

BISHOP COTTON WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

BENGALURU

ANNUAL REPORT 2017 - 2018

Good evening honoured guests, ladies and gentlemen and the Graduating Class of 2018. It is with great pleasure we welcome you to share in this celebration of achievement and accomplishment. We have come to honour the graduating students who have spent three or five years in this green campus.

We are here again, the management, faculty and Principal to flag off this batch of 2018 as you step into a 'Brave New World'.

In this age, education has become a need as important as food and water. There are many changing trends, which promise hope for a better future.

“Knowledge is power. Information is liberating. Education is the premise of progress in every society, in every family.”-- Kofi Annan

As new modes of learning come to the fore in the Indian education system, the traditional classroom structure is being modified for better learning models. Students are encouraged towards a project-oriented mode of studying. This project based education guarantees that students take away the maximum from the learning process. Although this change has not been fully developed as yet, steps have been taken to help students to think, learn and analyze things independently. They are encouraged to become independent learners. This should be the crux of education. In this regard, our students have been participating in various entrepreneurship courses and start up exercises.

This year has seen everyone on campus on their toes organizing conferences, seminars, panel discussions, debates and various programs that disseminate knowledge that empowers our students. These have created more awareness about unfolding socio-economic trends, new strategies in management and commerce, as well as new findings in science in the ever-changing scenarios around the world.

Our students have grabbed every opportunity to win laurels for the college in the continuous intercollegiate competitions conducted both on campus and in other institutions.

My dear student friends, what an honor it is to share this day with you, to savor every single moment of it, and then fly out of this campus armed with the knowledge that will help you make

a difference, with the awareness that your learning is necessary, and that the world is eagerly waiting to hear what you have to say.

It's important to know that at the end of the day it's not the medals you ought to remember. What you must remember is the process -what you have learnt about yourself by challenging yourself, the experiences you have shared with other people, the honesty the training demands -these are things nobody can take away from you.

“Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school.” --Albert Einstein

Do not forget what you have learned here. We have taught you to think critically and responsibly. Reflect for a moment and recognize that you have been blessed with talent, opportunity and education; recall the generosity of those who have helped you along the way. It's a blessing to have been fortunate, and today, you celebrate just that. Do not forget therefore, the less fortunate when you climb the ladder of success. This college of higher learning has nurtured you with values and ideals, which will journey with you for the rest of your life. “The aim of education is the knowledge, not of facts, but of values.”--William S. Burrough

I believe we're shaped as much by our failures, our weaknesses and setbacks, as we are by our successes. In many cases, these failures ultimately make success possible.

I acknowledge with joy our well wishers and stakeholders: our parent body that has been a strong support in all our endeavours. We value your partnership at various levels for having met us on common ground in incorporating new rules and executing them.

The numerous programs on our campus is testimony enough that “education is not the filling of a pail but the lighting of a fire.”-W.B. Yeats. All this is possible because of the responsibilities that the teaching fraternity has undertaken. They rise up as a willing community, who support students through every struggle and are the reason for their victories. They are seen by the students as a strong support system in their hour of need.

I would also like to place on record the tireless work turned out by the administrative staff and maintenance staff for the smooth functioning of this ever growing institution.

The massive spread and efforts of clubs, certificate courses, innovative practices, associations and committees working towards enhancing the special features of the college for the academic year 2018 are recorded in this annual report.

| STUDENT STRENGTH | | RESULT (FINAL YEAR ONLY) | |
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| Arts | 173 | Arts | 68% |
| Science | 113 | Science | 77% |
| Commerce | 604 | Commerce | 83% |
| BBA | 160 | BBA | 98% |
| BCA | 104 | BCA | 91% |
| M.Com. | 51 | M.Com. | 96% |

Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

World Communion of Reformed Churches at Leipzig, Germany in August 2017

- Living God Renew and Transform Us
- Called to Communion, Called to Justice

Principals' Study Tour of the Revival of History at Germany in September 2017 with reference to the 500th year of Reformation.

AIACHE (All India Christian Higher Education) Triennial Conference at Christ University in January 2018 on the topic 'Stakeholders of Education as Change Makers for Nation Building'

South Asia Area Seminar at Yangon, Myanmar on 'Women Federation of Methodist and Uniting Church Women' in February 2018 – Women's Empowerment

Colleges And Universities of the Anglican Union (CUAC)-India Chapter at Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirapalli, India on the 'Challenges and Opportunities in the field of Higher Education for Christian College and Universities in India' held in February 2018

Management Conclave – KMAT India on the topic 'Fostering Quality Teaching in Higher Education' at the Taj West End, Bengaluru in March 2018.

Invitee at the CSI Synod Executive, Jaffna, Sri Lanka in April 2018

HIGHLIGHTS OF FACULTY HONOURS:

Completion of Ph.D.:

Mrs. Nutan Kumari Singh – Faculty Member, Dept. of Hindi (PUC) – from Dakshin Bharath Hindi Prachar Sabha, Dharwad – on the topic "Hindi Ke AAnchalik Upanyaaso Me Aadivaasi Jeevan"

Mrs. Bhavya N P – Faculty Member, Dept. of Kannada (PUC) – from Kannada University, Hampi – on the topic "Power Politics in Kannada Dramas: Objective Study"

Registered for Ph.D.:

Mrs. Monisha Muliyl – Dept. of Psychology – CMR University, July 2017 Batch.

Mrs. Harshini Esther G-Asst. Prof. - Dept. of Commerce - Submitted Ph. D Thesis “A study on Work Life Balance among Academicians in B-Schools with special reference to Woman in Bangalore” at Tumkur University as of 11.03.2018

Mrs. Sheela Margaret – Asst. Prof. - Dept. of Management Studies - Bharathidasan University on the topic Digital Marketing

Residential Training Programme:

Ms. Evelin Silviya S – Asst. Prof. - Dept. of Mathematics attended a 21 days residential training programme equivalent to the UGC Refresher Course at IISc, Chitradurga District on “Degree College Teachers Training Programme in Mathematics” approved by MHRD, Government of India from 25th November 2017 to 15th December 2017. This programme is partially supported by L&T Technologies Services Limited, Mumbai.

AWARDS & HONOURS RECEIVED BY FACULTY

Dr. Amitha Santiago, Dept. of English :

Indo-China-Indonesia (ICI) Asian Senior Research Fellowship. Senior Research Fellow at the University of Hong Kong. 2017-19

Awarded Membership into the European Association for South East Asian Studies, Paris, France. 2018-2020.

Dr. Manonmani S, Dept. of Kannada:

Received “**Acharya Chanakya Samman Award**” from IDPS – Chanakya Vaartha , New Delhi on 8th April 2018 at Gandhi Bhavan, Bengaluru.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Dept. of Hindi:

Akhil Bharatiya Sahitya Saadhak Manch a literary organization of Bangalore had organized a function on 30th July 2017, to commemorate Premchand Jayanthi. Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav’s

philanthropic service in the field of renovating Munshi Premchand's house in Lamhi, UP was recognized and he was **felicited** for the same by the organization during the event.

Received the **Acharya Chanakya Award 2018** for his contribution in the field of education, Hindi Literature and Social Concern on 8th April 2018 at Gandhi Bhavan, Bengaluru from the Ex Justice and Governor of Bihar and Jharkhand, Shri. Rama Jois. The event was organised by Chanakya Vartha, National Fortnightly magazine

Mrs. Shilpi Choudhry, Dept. of History:

As a historian whose work is recognised in the field of Fashion and Heritage, she was awarded the following awards.

International Arab award for exemplary work in the field of Middle Eastern fashion and History – January 2018.

Women's achievers award as an entrepreneur – January 2018.

Nirbhaya award in recognition of exceptional act of courage and achievement – March 2018.

Awarded distinguished service award in Dayananda Sagar Institutions – March 2018.

Honoured as a Judge by the Indian Academy, IIFT, RNSIT, Bishop Cotton IT and Management, 2018.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

❖ BANGALORE UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION

Smt B. Susheela Lingaiah prize for securing highest marks in Nutrition and Dietetics in Bangalore University Examination.

Smt B. Susheela Lingaiah – Gold medal for having secured highest marks in B.Sc. In degree examination held during May 2016.

Dr. Kamma M.C. Gowda Cash Prize for having secured highest marks in B.Sc. For the year 2015-16

MS. ARSHIYA TAZEIN – DEPT. OF HOME SCIENCE

❖ PAPER PRESENTATION AT A NATIONAL CONFERENCE

“Virtual Reality and Cyber Security” during the National Conference on 3rd March at St. Anne's First Grade College for Women.

MS. TANISHA SHARMA AND MS. MICHELLE – III BCA

❖ **PAPER PRESENTATION AT AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE**

“Indian Start-ups, their challenges and Opportunities” during the International Conference at SJES College and won the best paper award.

MS. AKSHITA AGARWAL AND MS. SRIDEVI – III BCA

PAPER PRESENTATION AT A NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Final year B.A. Psychology students presented a Research Paper titled ‘**The Effects of Smartphone Usage on Adolescent Behavior**’ on 9th March 2018 at the Young Scientist in Psychology at Rajagiri Centre for Behavioural Science & Research, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences at Ernakulam, Kerala

MS. DIANA EVANGELINE AND MS. SHIPRA DARCUS – DEPT. OF PSYCHOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM

Alumni in Media: Priyanka Kambar of 2017 batch is working as News Anchor at Raj News Channel. Kudos Priyanka!

K. Anjali Sharma of second year won the third prize in the ‘VERBATTLE’ event conducted during DISHA 2017.

A Final year student Swaroop K completed an internship at Deccan Herald and a II Year student Simran Jeet Kaur completed her internship at Dainik Bhaskar in 2017.

A II year student K. Anjali Sharma has a blog page where she blogs under the ID ankarasharma.wordpress.com/

The II year student Syeda Huzaifa hosts several events as EMCEE

The II year students Priya Cherian, Simran Kaur, Varsha S. and K. Anjali Sharma attended “EXPRESSIONS 2018”, a National Seminar on ‘Trends and Challenges in Media, Films and Entertainment’ on 8th February 2018.

The II year students Priya Cherian, Simran Jeet Kaur, Devika Rani, Varsha S. and K. Anjali Sharma attended a workshop on ‘Film Appreciation’ on 22nd February 2018 conducted by the Presidency College.

PAPER PRESENTATION AT A NATIONAL CONFERENCE

MS. NONDUMISO – III SPE

Final year BA Sociology student presented a paper under the guidance of Mrs. Rajkumari J in the National Conference organized by BCWCC on “Becoming Women: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and Public Spheres” on 21st March, 2018. Her paper presentation is to be published in the Conference proceeding ISSN No. 2278-9367 and her full paper is due for publication in the Journal of Women’s Studies 2018.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

1. Ms. Spoorthy Gopinath Gowda and Ms. Kavya Mohan of II B.Com C represented India for the Malaysian Independent Asian Club Throw Ball Championship 2017 held at Malaysia from 28th to 30th of August 2017 organised by Malaysian Throw Ball Federation and secured First Runners Up.
2. Ms. Daniya Begum of III B. Sc secured the First Place in the Taekwondo (U-57 Kgs) in the Bangalore University Inter-College Tournament held on 1st September 2017 at Government College – Yelahanka. She was selected to represent Bangalore University at the All India University which was held from 20th to 22nd February 2018 at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar. She also represented the 35th State Senior Taekwondo Championship held at Koramangala Indoor Stadium on 04th and 05th November and secured the Silver Medal (U-57kgs).
3. Ms. Jasmine Jennifer, II B.A secured the III Place in the High Jump and Heptathlon (seven events) in the Bangalore University Athletic Meet held from 10th to 12th October 2017 at the Kanteerava Stadium, Bangalore.
4. The College Athletic Team secured the III Place in the 4x400 Mts. relay in the Bangalore University Athletic Meet held from 10th to 12th October 2017 at the Kanteerava Stadium, Bangalore. The team consisted of Ms. Jasmine Jennifer, II BA, Ms. Daniya Begum, III B. Sc , Ms. Rachel Eunice, III B.Com B and Ms. Aleena, I B.A.
5. The College Throwball team participated in the Inter-Collegiate Throwball Tournament held at IBS, Business School, Mysore Road, Bangalore on 14th and 15th August 2017 and secured the 2nd place.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

ENGLISH:

Screening of text related movies/documentaries and Power point presentations, extended reading of texts related to the syllabus, Assignments/ Projects and Paper presentations by students as per the syllabus. In view of the cultural fest 'Disha', pick n speak was conducted by the department. There were 50 participants for the event. During value education hour, students are mentored. Informally counseling is given, if needed.

Dr. Amitha Santiago is a consultant for the International Journal of Asian Christianity. She is the content and language Editor (2018 onwards), for the Asian Centre for Cross Cultural Studies, publishers Brill, Leiden, The Netherlands. She was also a workshop facilitator for the World Council of Churches and facilitated workshops at the conference on "Moving in the Spirit: Towards a transformative discipleship", Tanzania Arusha. Workshops on the following topics were conducted by her:

1. Dalit Narratives of encounter with Christianity (2 day workshop)
2. "Introducing the World Council of Church's Christian Witness Document in a multi religious World". – 1day workshop
3. Mission from the margins: Dalits and Christianity in India (1 day workshop)

Prof. Leena Karanth A, Head of the Department

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended the one day humanities national conference entitled "Becoming woman-Crafting the female side in private and public spheres" organized on the 22nd March 2018 at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended a one day International Conference in English Literature on "Contemporary Musings on Literatures of the World" held at the Indian Academy Degree College Autonomous in collaboration with Regional Institute of English, South India, Bengaluru on 21 September, 2017.

Attended a One Day UGC Sponsored Post Graduate Seminar at Mount Carmel College Autonomous, Post Graduate Department, Vasanthanagar, Bengaluru on "Rethinking Contemporary India: Dialogue through Culture, Literature and Language" on 17th January 2018.

Paper Presentations:

Presented a paper at the Indian Academy Degree College Autonomous, on the 21st September 2017 on the topic “On writings of contemporary women writers of Kerala: The lived experiences of an insider”

Presented a paper at the Mount Carmel Degree College, Autonomous, Post Graduate Department on the 17th January, 2018 on the topic “Anxiety, Alterity and Alienation: Displacement of Indian women in arranged marriages.”

Mrs. Suvina Benjamin, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended the one day humanities national conference entitled “Becoming woman-Crafting the female side in private and public spheres” organized on the 22nd March 2018 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

Ms. Rita Josephine Eve K, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended the one day humanities national conference entitled “Becoming woman-Crafting the female side in private and public spheres” organized on the 22nd March 2018 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

Publications:

1. 'The influence of Oral tradition and the native Ijaw in Gabriel Okara's The Voice' in Research Journal of English Language and Literature ISSN: 2395-2636(P):2321-3108(E) Vol 5.Issue 4.2017 (Oct-Dec)

2.Chinua Achebe’s Things Fall Apart - an attempt to establish the notion of a nation, race and cultural identity, in a national conference organized by VET Degree College, Jayanagar in collaboration with the teacher’s association of Bangalore University on 9th March 2018.

Dr. Amitha Santiago

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

One day Humanities National Conference entitled “Becoming Woman: Crafting the Female Self in Private and Public Spheres” organized at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College, Bangalore. 21st March 2018.

Fortress Press Writer's Workshop at the Ecumenical Resource Centre (ERC), United Theological College, Bangalore. August 25 – 26, 2017.

Attended the Senior Research Fellowship Summer School at the Hong Kong University. May 12-19.2017.

Attended the National Conference on "Narratives in Media and Literature" Kristu Jayanti College, Bangalore. 7th February 2017.

Attended the International Journal of Asian Christianity Conference on "Issues, Questions and Debates on Christianity in Asia-Past and Contemporary: An interdisciplinary Approach." 8th-10th January 2018.

Attended the World Council of Churches Conference "Moving in the Spirit: Towards *Transformative Discipleship*". Tanzania. Africa. March 6th -16th 2018.

Paper Presentations:

"Interpreting the Political in the Infrastructural Body of Christ: The Church Union Movement of South India". *International Journal of Asian Christianity Conference. January 8th-10th 2018.*
Paper presented at the Hong Kong University Senior Fellowship Summer School: "Performances of the Sacred Feminine in South India", Hong Kong. May 2017.

"Nurturing the Abstract in the Face of Religious Fundamentalism: A Study of Sufi Dharghas in Karnataka." Paper presented at: *The Fortress Press South Asia Theology Project on "Interrogating and Reconstructing Theology in South Asia". United Theological College, Bangalore. August 25 – 26, 2017.*

Publications:

"Bayit ze Isha: Housing the Body of the Woman through Spatializing Metaphors." Chapter in "Culture, Religion and Home-Making in and Beyond South Asia." Ed. Dr James Ponniah. Fortress Press International. Netherlands. 2018.

"Homes and Spaces under Transformation". Introduction to the book: Culture, Religion and Home-Making in and Beyond South Asia. Editor Dr James Ponniah. Fortress Press International. Netherlands. 2018.

Positions held:

Consultant and Core Group Member of Columbia University Planning Committee for the *International Empire Studies Conference, Southeast Asia Chapter.2016-2019.*

*International Society for Biblical Literature 2019 Conference. **Interdisciplinary Planning Committee Core Group Member.** 2014-19.*

Achievements:

Moderator: “Narratives in Media and Literature”. National Conference. Kristu Jayanti College. Bangalore. 7th February 2017.

Consultant Editor (Language and Content Editor) International Journal of Asian Christianity Conference. **Asian Cross Cultural Research Centre.** 2018-

Consultant Conference Coordinator for the Asian Cross Cultural Research Centre Urban Spaces Conference. September 2018.

Resource Person: Workshop Facilitator: at the **World Council of Churches CWME Conference:** “Moving in the Spirit: Towards Transformative Discipleship”. **Tanzania. Africa. March 2018.** Titles of Workshops Facilitated:

- a) *Christian Witness in a Multi-Religious World: Dalit Narratives of Witness in a Multi – Religious Context*
- b) *Mission From and At the Margins: Dalits and Christianity in India.*

Moderator of Panel Discussion: “Becoming Woman: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and the Public Spheres”. National Conference. Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College. Bangalore. 2018.

Resource Person, Madras University, School of Philosophy and Religious Thought. Chennai. 2015-2019

Editor of the Book: “Theology for an Inclusive World”. Dr. Felix Wilfred, Founder, Asian Cross Cultural Research Centre. March 2018.

KANNADA – SRUJANA KANNADA SANGHA

The department of Kannada, apart from the regular teaching and interaction during classroom sessions, practices the following innovative methods in teaching.

- * Alternative Quiz sessions to encourage students to read their text books
- * In-Class writing assignments to improve their writing skills.
- * Open –Book Tests
- * Using the visual aid to make them understand the texts (Novel, Drama)

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The department hands out regular assignments on various topics in keeping with the syllabus.

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Kannada Nadu-Nudi Habba: Srujana Kannada Sangha organized Kannada Nadu-Nudi Habba on 23rd March 2018. The Chief Guest, noted Folklore Scholar and literati, Dr. B. S. Talwadi, graced the occasion. His Contribution towards Kannada Literature is astounding. He has travelled across the world and has written nearly 243 Books. Being a spiritual scholar he has written an Epic on Jesus Christ "Siri Bhuvana Jyothi" in Kannada, for which he took nearly 25 years. His momentous Literary works are "Kannada Sahithya Lokada Sakshiprajnagalu, Western Children Dramas, Travelogue 'Sarasteerada Sobagu, Israel Naadinalli, Belladarathiya Belagenu, Jaanapada Jogi, Jaanapada Kalarava, Aidu Kraista Natakagalu, Malenaadina Vanijya Belegalu, Karnataka Kraistara Ithihasa, Tamburi Sampradayada Janapada Sampurna Ramayana, Maate Mariyammanaru, Pope Jagadgurugalu, etc., He also works as a social reformer. He opened a school for the Soligas tribe at Biligiri Rangana Betta. He received a felicitation for his overall achievement from the Department of Kannada and Culture, Government of Karnataka recently.

The programme started with Naadageethe, followed by the lighting of the lamp. Asst. Prof. Hombaiah welcomed the gathering and introduced the Chief Guest. The programme was hosted by Ms. Chandana - II B. Com. C. The Chief Guest, Dr. B.S. Talwadi, spoke about the importance of the mother tongue and he emphasized that people who are from other states but now living in Karnataka are also Kannadigaas and it is their duty to learn the state language and to respect the Culture of this land. He sang oral epics and verses of Kannada poets. The Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, in her speech lauded the great contribution of Dr. B. S. Talwadi towards Christian literature and folklore. She congratulated the students on their performances in various competitions. Mrs. Venkatalakshmi M, faculty member, thanked the gathering.

The students showcased their talents through participating in *Creative Writing, *Kaavya vachana, *Solo/ Group singing, *Pictionary, *Sketching, *Chameleon, *Quiz, *Rangoli, *Solo / Group Dance and *Fashion Show. The Students of Final B.Com C took the initiative to conduct all the interclass events and to organise the programme. They also sponsored lunch for the students.

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The Department organised an Educational Trip to Belur, Halebeedu and Shravanabelagola (Hassan District) on 11th April 2018.

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The department conducts remedial classes for the students to work hard and to show better performances in their Tests and Examinations.

Dr. S Manonmani, Professor and Head of the Department

Seminars/conferences Attended

Participated in the Loka Samvaada, a BCU Foundation Lecture series on – "My Idea of Karnataka and Revisiting Early Karnataka in the Company of Pioneering Researchers and

Writers” at Jnana Jyothi Auditorium Bangalore Central University, Bengaluru on 28th March 2018

Publications:

Published an article in Chanakya Vaartha – a Hindi fortnightly, New Delhi on the topic “Kannad Aur Hindi Bhasha Souhard”.

Positions held:

She is a Member of the Board of Studies at Smt. VHD Kendriya Home Science College , (Autonomous), Seshadri Road, Bengaluru and has set the Question Paper for IV Semester B.Sc., for Smt. VHD Kendriya Home Science College (Autonomous) Bangalore.

Mr. Hombaiah, Asst. Prof.

Holds the following positions:

Bangalore University evaluator for the II, IV and VI Semester - May/ June 2017

Smt. V.H.D .Central Institute of Home Science(Autonomous) Question paper setting for two semesters - B.C.A in the month of April 2017

Bangalore University Sit-In-Squad I, III & V Semester Degree Examination of December 2017

Bangalore University evaluator I, III & V Semester Degree Examination of December 2017

Smt. V.H.D Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous) Question paper setter for two semesters - B.B.A in the month of March 2018

HINDI

The activities of the department started with the celebrations of Premchand Jayanthi on 31st July 2017. The Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar was the Chief Guest for the event. The representatives of the Hindi Parishad who were elected during the academic year were felicitated with badges by the Principal. The following are the representatives who have been working with the department in all its activities.

1. I BA – Ms. Nilufer
2. I B. Sc – Ms. Sidra
3. I B.Com ‘A’ – Ms. Pooja
4. I B.Com ‘B’ – Ms. Riya Jain

5. I BBA – Ms. Kashifa
6. I BCA – Ms. S .Nimra
7. II BA – Ms. Priya Cherian
8. II B.sc – Ms. Nusra Samreen
9. II B.Com ‘A’ – Ms. Harsha Kankaria
10. II B.Com ‘B’ – Ms. Nimra
11. II BBA – Ms. Gayatri Joshi
12. II BCA – Ms. Honey Tiwari

Hindi Diwas was celebrated in a very grand manner on 14th September 2017 in the college. Dr. Veeresh Kumar, Senior Faculty, Central Institute of Indian Languages, Manasa Gangotri, Mysuru was invited as the Chief Guest. Various competitions like Creative Writing, Collage, Treasure-Hunt, Debate, Play and Group Dance were conducted during the Hindi Pakhwada between 4th September and 14th September 2017. The prize winners of these competitions were appreciated and the prizes were distributed by the Chief Guest during the occasion. The Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar and faculty members of the college graced the occasion.

Guest Lecture Organised:

A Guest lecture was organised for II B.Com. A and B Sections, II BBA and I B.Com A Section students on the topic “Role of Hindi and Other Languages in Building the Nation” on 7th April 2018. The Guest Speaker was Prof. Amjad Ali Khan, Retd. General Manager, BEML.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Professor and Head of the Department

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Invited as a **Resource person** to deliver a talk on “Pollution of river Ganga” for PU students organized by Jain college, B’lore on 28th July 2017.

He was invited as Chief Guest by ‘**Shabd**’ Hindi Literary Forum, B’lore which had organized a Kavi Sammelan in Malleshwaram on 13th August 2017.

An **International level Seminar** was organized by Sindhi college, B’lore on the topic ‘Vartaman Mein Bhartiya Sanskritik Vybhav, Chunoutiyan Va Suzhav’ as well as a Kavi Sammelan on 18th and 19th August 2017. **He chaired a session** on 18th August 2017.

He was invited as a **judge** on 22nd August 2017, by **Army public school**, PRTC, B’lore which had organized Lt. Col. Inderjeet Singh Gill, PVSM, MC Memorial Inter-School Debate competition at Para-Troopers parachute Regiment Training center on the topic “Aaj Ke Sandarbh Mein Shiksha Evam Naukri Mein Arakshan Ki Avashyakta Hain”.

IDBI Bank, South Zone office, B'lore had organized a debate competition for all the officers and employees of the government and public sector banks on 23rd August 2017. He was invited **as judge** for Inter – Bank Hindi elocution competition on the following topics :–

Role of Financial literacy in economic development.
Ransomware Virus and India's Cyber Security System
Merger of Public Sector Banks: Benefits and challenges.

Doordarshan, Bangalore celebrated Hindi Diwas on 13th September 2017. On this occasion, he was invited as one of the **panel members** to discuss on the topic “**Karnatak Mein Hindi ka Prachar Prasara**”. The programme was telecasted on DD Chandana channel on 14th September between 7:00 pm to 7:30 pm.

All India Radio, Bangalore had organized a programme on 14th September to celebrate Hindi Diwas. He was invited as **Chief Guest** for the function. During the event, he spoke on the importance of All India Radio programmes which have spread across every nook and corner of the country. He emphasized that in the context of globalization that whatever revolution might have taken place in the field of Radio Communication, still those programmes can never be on par with programmes like Fouji Bhayiyon keliye, Bhoole bisre geet, Aapki Farmayish etc., of yester years which are remembered even today. He re-iterated that PM's “**Mann Ki Baat**” has popularized the impact factor of AIR. He further said that AIR is the only radio channel which has linked the country with every remote area through its programmes in Hindi. At the end of the programme, he distributed prizes to the winners of various competitions that were held by the All India Radio.

He was invited as **Chief Guest** by HKBK College, B'lore which celebrated Hindi Diwas on 15th September. In his talk, he spoke on the importance of Raj Bhasha Hindi and it's relevance in the states of Southern India.

On 18th September, he was invited to give a **Guest Lecture** by MLA College, B'lore, to deliver a talk on “Hindi Ka Badalta Swaroop”.

He was invited as **Chief Guest** for the closing ceremony of Hindi Pakhwada, organized by **Door Darshan Kendra**, Bangalore on 27th September. In his address, he highlighted the role of programmes telecasted by the channel and how serials like Ramayan and Mahabharat were popularized for the first time on TV. Other programmes like Nukkad, Buniyad, Humlog, Kahagaye woh log, Bharat Ek Khoj, etc. were the most awaited serials during those golden years. Today, inspite of various other channels being telecasted, its D.D only which is considered to be authentic in its news telecast. Prizes were distributed to the winners at the end of the programme.

On 16th October he was invited as **Resource person** by Baldwin Methodist College, B'lore in a one-day workshop which was organized on the topic “**Bharat Ke Samajik, Sanskritik, Aarthik and Shaikshanik Vikas mein dalit yogadan**”.

He **organized** a one-day **National level Symposium** on the topic “**The Future of Hindi and Other Regional Languages**” in Jnana Jyothi Auditorium, Central College Campus, Bangalore University on 10th January 2018 which is celebrated as **World Hindi Day**. It was a joint venture of B'lore University Hindi Department and Alumni Association, Bangalore University. Prof. Mohanlal Chipa former Vice-Chancellor, Atal Bihari Vajpayee Hindi University, Bhopal was the chief guest of the function.

Dr. V. Sudesh. V.C (Incharge), B'lore University and Shri. Chowda Reddy, MLC, Graduate constituency were the special invitees. Dr. S.R. Leela, Former MLC and retired faculty member of Sanskrit department, NMKRV College, B'lore presided over the function. Dr. Senthil Kumaran, Founder, The Learners confluence, B'lore was the main speaker during the event.

He was invited to deliver a **Guest Lecture** by JyothiNivas College, B'lore on 14th February 2018 to deliver a talk on “Daud”, a novel written by Mamatha kaliya, which is prescribed as a text book for II B.Com. He spoke on the relevance of the novel in the present globalized world and it's impact on the present generation.

He was invited to **conduct** a one day work shop organized by **Doordarshan Bangalore** on 1st March 2018. Addressing the august gathering, he made it relevant and clear in his address that Hindi is a simple language and very convenient to speak also. The non-Hindi speaking people who usually have an opinion that grammar is a difficult part of Hindi, was clarified by him by quoting various examples regarding the gender and tense and thus simplifying grammar. It was appreciated and applauded by the gathering.

He was invited to deliver **Guest Lecture** on “**Filmon Mein Hindi Sahitya Ka Yogdan**” on 14th March 2018 by Goodwill Christian College for Women, B'lore. He emphasized on the importance of Hindi literary works based on various social issues which inspired the film makers to bring the same on the big screen & make it reach out to the audience at large.

He was invited as **Chief Guest** for the valedictory function at Vinod English School, Yeshwanthpur, B'lore on 16th March 2018.

He was invited to deliver a **lecture** by Sindhi College Bangalore on Munshi Premchand, a famous Hindi writer on 19th March 2018. He spoke on the contextual importance of Premchand's writings in today's world by quoting many stories and novels of Premchand, which are relevant even today.

Paper Presentation:

An International level seminar was organized by Sindhi college, B'lore on the topic '**Vartaman Mein Bhartiya Sanskritik Vybhav, Chunoutiyan Va Suzhav**' as well as a Kavi Sammelan on 18th and 19th August 2017. **He presented a paper** on 'Sanskriti, Sahitya Ke Sandarbh Mein' on 19th August 2017.

Positions held:

He has been appointed as Member, **Board of Studies**, B'lore University for the year 2018 – 2021. In this regard, he attended the BOS meeting on 2nd August 2017.

He is appointed as **paper setter** for I / III Semester (Hindi) UG Exam, 2017-18 B'lore University.

Other Achievements:

The Rajendra Babu Memorial Trust and Shri. Siddarth Sanskritik Parishad, B'lore celebrated the birth anniversary of Dr. Rajendra Prasad, the First President of India, on 3rd December. He was invited to **conduct** the entire programme.

Blanket distribution for the under-privileged at his village, phulka, Jamalpur, Bihar has been a regular annual event since 2012. He has been the back bone behind the start of the great social service programme. His unselfish and relentless service fetched him with the '**Fulka Ratna**' **award** which was conferred by the village in **year 2014**. So far, with the collective support of the other like-minded people, he has been successful in distributing more than 2000 blankets. He visits the village every year between 22nd December and 3rd January for 10 days. This year also he was invited as **Chief Guest** for the event on 25th December 2017. During his stay, he had the opportunity of addressing around 150 rural children of primary school. He motivated them with an inspiring talk on the importance of cleanliness and hygiene. He even distributed sandal soaps, towels and biscuits among them. It is indeed a matter of pride that inspite of very chill weather at 7⁰c, the children attended the function with lot of energy and zeal on a Sunday.

On 27th December, he was invited as a **Chief Guest** by DAV School, Fulka, Jamalpur. He distributed clothes among the most deprived community of the society called Musahar.

Prof. Jai Laxmi R

Seminars /Conferences Attended:

One day National Seminar conducted by the Alumni Association Bangalore University, department of Hindi on 10th January 2018 on the topic "Hindi Avam Anay Shettriya Bhashaoo Ka Bhavishya"

Paper Presentation:

Presented a paper at a National Conference held at Surana College –Reaching the Unreached Through Science and Technology on 6th and 7th October 2017 on the sub topic: Hindi Sahitya Mein Naatya Shaily Par Takniki Yug Ka Prabhavyear 2017.

Presented a paper in a National-level seminar organized by Surana College, B'lore on the topic “Hindi Natyakala Mein Adhunik Technique Ke Prabhav”.

Publications:

”Hindi Saahitya Mein Naatya Shaily Par Takniki Yug Ka Prabhav” - article was published in the book edited by Dr. Satnarayana with ISBN -978-81-931907-1-5 in the year 2017.

Positions held:

Question Paper Setter for the IV Semester B.Com. (Repeaters-2014-15), Bangalore University.

Asst. Prof. Kamal Harnal

Seminars /Conferences Attended:

A National Conference on ‘The Future Of Hindi and Other Regional Languages’ held at Bangalore University on 10th January 2018.

Publications:

Two research papers have been sent to Uttar Pradesh for publication.

FRENCH

Innovative Practices:

Sound-bites and audio files to enhance listening and pronunciation skills.

Listen to French songs.

Quizlet (anonline application)

Flashcards for vocabulary.

Links to online sites for grammar exercises.

Comprehension passages and Writing exercises. Oral interaction to improve speaking skills.

Assignments were given to students and presentations on the following topics:

Tourist destination, French Festivals, Francophone country.

Mrs. Thayabunnissa Mohamed, Asst. Prof.

HISTORY

The department organized an event cum seminar called 'Make in India'. The event included a panel discussion that took place on women's entrepreneurship. Speakers and resource persons were called from varied fields for expertise. The students of the college put up stalls of their wares and were put on sale and exhibited.

The department was also a part of a one day National Conference on "Becoming Woman: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and Public Spheres held on 21st March 2018 which had 3 key note speakers, 4 panelists and 20 paper presentations. The topics given were:

1. The Devadasi System: A Throwback to Antiquity.
2. Women in Media: A Historical Perspective.

The event was attended by more than 30 colleges and it was a big success.

Mrs. Shilpi Choudhry, Professor and Head of the Department.

ECONOMICS

Innovative Practices

Group-wise presentation of topics pertaining to financial institutions in India for B.Com. students
Project work assigned group –wise for III BA students

Bulletin Board – 'Karnataka Panorama'

Talk session on the topic "How Economy Benefits From Feminist Thinking" by Ms. Rashmi R. Asst. Prof., M S Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, (Alumnus of BCWCC) on 10th March 2018

Assignments given to the students

I and II BA students were given assignments at the end of each chapter.

B.Com. students were given assignments to write objective type of questions.

Fests

During Disha 2017, the Annual Inter-Collegiate Literary and Cultural Fest of the College, the department conducted two competitions viz., Pick-n-Speak and Collage.

Mentoring Activities

As class teachers, we help solve issues as and when problems occur. Value Education classes are taken as per time table. Informal career guidance and counseling is imparted to the final BA students.

Ms. Jyothi B G, Professor and Head of the Department:

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

A one day orientation on “Assessment And Accreditation of Affiliated Colleges by NAAC” organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell of MLA Academy of Higher Learning in association with Bangalore University I Grade College Principals’ Association on 28th February 2018.

Prof. Joyce Metilda Irudayam

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Participated in a National Seminar on “Emerging Trends in Public Policy and Implications for Development” organized by the Department of Economics, Jyoti Nivas College, Autonomous in collaboration with Indian Institute of Public Administration, Karnataka Regional Branch (IIPA-KRB) on 23rd January 2018.

PSYCHOLOGY

Innovative Practices:

Inter-Class Fest on Socially relevant themes completely organized by the students teaching them Leadership, Teamwork & practical application of psychology in the real world.

Launching the **Workplace Wellness: Well-Being Initiative for the Staff** of Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College - 16th February 2018

Learning a new skill-**The Art of Story Telling-** By **Rev. Noel Prabhuraj**, 16th February 2018

Financial help to students towards payment of Examination Fees, Textbooks and Practical Manuals

Ms. Devika - II B.A , Ms. Rema, Ms. Daniya Begum -III B. Sc, Ms. Noor Huda - III B.A.

Relationship Counseling, Emotional Counseling to enable them to cope and manage personal and Interpersonal issues - (Students of III B.A.- Ms. Agnes, Ms. Blessing, Ms. Adlin , Ms. Jane)

Assignments given to the students:

General Psychology - I B.A. PPT presentations on ‘Biology and Behaviour’

Developmental Psychology : II B.A. PPT presentations on ‘Adolescence Health concerns’

Abnormal Psychology: A write-up on different types of psychological disorders

Industrial/Organizational Psychology:

III B.A. PPT presentations on conducting ‘Training sessions on various topics’

Performance Appraisal Techniques adopted in organizations

Industrial Visits/ Field Trips:

Visit to Exhibition at NIMHANS on the occasion of National Science day at NIMHANS on 27th February 2018 which showcased live models, demonstrations, illustrative charts on various themes and topics in Behavioral Sciences. There were other interesting events like Quiz, Interactive Videos and Games, Psychological Assessments, Presentation of ongoing Research studies and their findings and performances on psychological themes through Street Plays.

55 students from the department along with Dr. Vijayshri R, attended the State Level Seminar on 'Hypnosis and Mindfulness' conducted by NMKRV College in collaboration with California Hypnosis Institute, USA - Certificate courses were conducted on 13th March 2018.

Fests Conducted:

'Depression: Let's Talk'. This is an ongoing campaign of the WHO and we have hopped onto the bandwagon to conduct the same on our campus. **Our Campaign Slogan: Defeat Depression**

This campaign was conducted between 14th and 25th August 2017 and saw the participation of the entire college

Campaign Objectives: To create Awareness amongst students on:

That Depression is Real

That Depression is Treatable

That they can reach out for help

Mentoring Activities:

Career Guidance, Motivational talks and discovering of one's strengths based on the Vision /Mission of the department.

Consultancy Services:

Conducted a Workshop on Managing Exam Anxiety for students and parents of I PUC and II PUC on 17th and 18th January 2018 at the Seminar Hall

The Resource Persons were:

Mrs. Monisha Muliyl - Ways to cope with Exam Anxiety

Mrs. Yallina Thomas -Dealing with Psychological and Emotional Issues in Adolescence

Mrs. S Sunila Kumari -Future Prospects and Career Choices

Dr. Vijayshri R and Dr. Renuka Paul –Panelists

Participants-Parents-15 Students Attended : I PUC: 60 II PUC: 65

Dr. Vijayshri R, Professor and Head of the Department:

Seminars /Conferences Attended:

A Workshop which is a collaborative initiative between the **UNDP** the Entrepreneurship Cell and the Placement Forum of Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College was held on 24th March 2018 to empower women through Entrepreneurship titled '**The Disha Dialogue**'. This is an Entrepreneurship Awareness Program. This event will provide the students an opportunity to interact with successful women entrepreneurs, learn from their experiences and come out with entrepreneurial ideas and strategies that they can pursue in the future. Disha UNDP will facilitate in providing mentorship to interested students.

Paper Presentations:

Was the Chairperson at the Paper Presentation in Literature And Psychology at the National Conference on 'Becoming Woman-Crafting the Female Self in the Private And Public Sphere' held on 21st March 2018.

Was invited as a Chairperson at a Conference for a paper presentation session at the One- day National Seminar on "New Methodology of NAAC - Ushering in Transparency in Quality Assessment and Assurance" on 22nd March 2018 at St. Anne's I Grade College, Bengaluru

Positions held:

Is a member of the Board of Studies – 2017-2018

As part of the Board of Examiners, (March 2018) of Mount Carmel College attended a meeting for the scrutiny of end semester question papers (UG and PG -Psychology) on 23rd February 2018.

Is a Paper Setter for the Developmental and Industrial Organizational Psychology Exams of 2018

Prof. Renuka Paul

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a 'One day Orientation on "Assessment and Accreditation of Affiliated Colleges by NAAC' at Malleshwaram Ladies Association Academy of Higher Learning, Malleshwaram, Bangalore on 28th February 2018.

A One Day Humanities National Conference on: "Becoming Woman: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and Public Spheres" at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College on 21st March 2018.

Positions held:

Is a member of the Board Of Examiners – Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College For Women, Bangalore.

Is a member of the Board of Studies 2017-2018

Is a Paper Setter for the Developmental and Industrial Organizational Psychology Exams of 2018.

Mrs. S Sunila Kumari, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

A National Level Conference “Crafting the female Self in the Private and Public Spheres “ held at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 21st March 2018.

Attended a meeting at APS College of Arts and Science

Positions held:

Is a member of the Board Of Studies - 2017-2018

Mrs. Monisha Muliyl, Asst. Prof.

Seminars /Conferences Attended:

A One Day Humanities National Conference on: “Becoming Woman: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and Public Spheres” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 21st March 2018

Paper Presentations:

Title of the paper presented: ‘Balanced thinking and professional stability in multitasking working women’ at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 21st March 2018

Other Achievements:

Composed, wrote and sang rhymes for an educational tool, titled: ‘Phonics’ – a child’s play, learning the fun way, published by Dr Ruchi Gupta, child psychiatrist. The educational tool was launched in September 2017.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Innovative Practices:

Divide and rule, newspaper reading, group discussion, talk on, debate, PPT and narration.

Assignments given to students:

I B A –Theories of Democracy, Challenges of Democracy, Nozick’s and Rawl’s concepts of Justice, and Imperialism and Neo-colonialism.

II B A –Medieval Political Thought-St. Augustine, Thomas Aquinas, Social contractualists- Thomas Hobbes, John Locke, and J.J. Rousseau.

III B A – UK, USA-Legislative ,executive and Judiciary, Foreign policies- USA, Russia and China.

Outreach Programme /Hostel Visit:

Visited New Life Centre CSI Girls Hostel on 10th February 2018 to bring awareness on Gender Equality

Visited Makkala Ashraya Kendra CSI Boys Hostel on 17th February 2018 to bring awareness on Gender Equality.

Fests Conducted:

At the Annual Intercollegiate Literary and Cultural Fest - DISHA 2017, where the theme was COALESENCE (Building Bridges, Celebrating Differences) which was held on 26th and 27th September 2017 the department organized an event “VOICE OUT YOUR OPINION” (on the latest issue)

Bulletin Board:

The Bulletin Board of the department was done on the topic “India leads on GST – Marathon Run with GST”

Rally Organised:

The department organized a Rally on Gender Equality on 17th February 2018 from Mission Road to Town Hall.

Guest Lecture:

The department organised a Seminar on Gender Equality on 24th February 2018. Dr. Uma Devi, Head, Department of Sociology, MLAC delivered the Guest Lecture.

Mentoring Activities:

General counseling is done regularly, identifying the weak students and taking remedial classes, guiding them and preparing them for examination.

Mrs. Hemalatha MS, Asst. Prof. and Head of the Department

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a **Quality Improvement Programme** – IQAC initiative organized by Surana College on 27th June 2017.

Attended a National Level Seminar on Emerging Trends in Public Policy and Implications for Development on 23rd January 2018 organised by Jyoti Nivas College in collaboration with Indian Institute on Public Administration, Karnataka Regional Branch.

Organised and Attended a One Day National Conference on “Becoming Women: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and Public Spheres.” At Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on

Paper Presentations:

Presented a paper entitled ICT for Creative Learning at Dr. Gopalaraju Government First Grade College, Anekal on 17th April 2018

Ms. Jacqueline Elisha Gomes, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a National Level Conference on Becoming Women- Crafting the Female Self in Private and Public Spheres at Bishop Cottons Women’s Christian College on 21st March 2018.

Paper Presentations:

At Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 21st March 2018 - The Partial Role of Women in Politics.

Achievements:

Working as a Special Educator and Remedial Facilitator

JOURNALISM

Innovative Practices:

To improve the writing skills of budding journalists, various practical oriented assignments and projects are given to the students.

The I Year students were taught ‘Movie Review’ in the class though it is not part of their curriculum. Students reviewed movies as a part of their assignment in September 2017. They also reviewed two newspapers of their choice in February 2018.

The II Year students brought out one page individual newsletter in September 2017. They will also bring out the Journalism Newsletter Vol-10 in April 2018.

The Final Year students interviewed noted personalities to improve their interviewing skills. Few eminent personality interviewers included Police Officer, Politician, Women Entrepreneur, Sports Person, Photographer, and Counsellor.

The Final Year students prepared one page print advertisement on 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan'. The best three advertisements won the prize.

The I, II and Final Year students presented inter-class PPT presentation related to their syllabus and media. The best three presentations won the prize.

An inter-class debate was conducted between the first year students and second year students during class hour on the topic-'Reality Shows and Ethics' on 16th September 2017.

Assignments given to the students:

I Year- Kinds of Journalism, Movie Review

II Year-Case Studies of various Media Laws, Film Censorship, One page individual Newsletter

III Year- Writing for Advertisements in different Media, Brand Promotion and Sales Promotion Interview, Print Advertisement on Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan.

PPT Presentations on various topics related to syllabus for all the three year students in both the semesters.

Field Trip:

The department organized a Press Visit for the I, II and Final year students. Staff and students visited the Deccan Herald Printing Press at Kumbalgodu on 10th April 2018.

Add on Course:

The department tied up with Deccan Herald In Education program. As part of the programme, a soft skill training workshop was conducted and Deccan Herald provides certificates to the enrolled students.

Fests Conducted:

The conducted Inter-Collegiate 'VERBATTLE' competition on 26th September 2017 during "DISHA 2017". Around 15 colleges participated in the 'VERBATTLE' event. Academician Prof. Indira and Ms. Amulya, Udaya TV Anchor were the judges.

Mentoring Activities:

Students discuss their peer relationship problems and sometimes referred to the counselor. Parents/Guardians interact and discuss attendance and academic progress. Weak students are identified and assignments and test are given to them.

Glimpses of Departmental Activities:

Inter-Class Competition:

5/02/18 to 15/02/18: Inter-Class power point presentation competition was conducted on various topics related to the syllabus and media. Best presentation from each class won the prize.

Soft Skill Training Workshop

14/10/17: Soft Skill Training Workshop on “EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION Skill” was conducted in association with Deccan Herald. Corporate Trainer Mr. Mallikarjuna conducted the workshop.

Guest Lecture:

Special Guest lecture on “Globalization and Media” was delivered by Dr. Vani Ramgopal, Former Head, Dept. of Journalism, NMKRV College for Women on 4th April 2018

5/02/18 to 15/02/18: Inter-Class power point presentation competition was conducted on various topics related to the syllabus and media. Best presentation from each class won the prize.

Inter-Class Debate

16/09/17: An inter-class debate was conducted between the first year students and second year students during class hour on the topic-‘Reality Shows and Ethics’.

Bulletin Board: The First Year students put up the Bulletin Board on the topic “Mass Media VS. Right to Privacy”.

Prism Released:

16/07/17: Journalism Newsletter ‘PRISM VOL-09’ was released by Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar during the General Assembly. She appreciated the efforts of the staff and the students in bringing out the Newsletter.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Asst. Prof. and Head of the Department

Paper Presentations:

Presented a Paper on 'Role of Public Relations in Sustainable Development-A Study with reference to Swachh Bharath Abhiyaan at the Two day National Conference on 'Sustainable Development- Accountability Towards A Better Future' which was held on 27th and 28th March 2018 at Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College, Bangalore

Presented a Paper on 'ICT in Higher Education –An Analysis' at the National Conference on 'Higher Education in Digital Era' which will be held on 17th April 2018 at Dr. S Gopal Raju I Grade College, Bangalore.

Publications:

Research Paper 'Role of Public Relations in Sustainable Development-A Study with reference to Swachh Bharath Abhiyaan was published in the Book of Proceedings, Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College, Bangalore.

Research paper 'ICT in Higher Education –An Analysis', will be published in the conference proceedings with ISBN Number.

Positions held:

Paper Setter for the Bangalore University UG Journalism Examination, May 2018.

External Examiner for UG-Journalism, NMKRV College for Women and set V Semester Paper for October 2017 Examination and II Semester Paper for April 2018 examination respectively.

Achievements:

Interview of Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar by the **AIR Program Executive Mrs. Sulochana** was broadcast by **All India Radio** on 22nd August 2017.

SOCIOLOGY

Innovative Practices:

The department uses various innovative methods like audio/visual techniques, screening of documentaries on different topics related to the syllabus such as terrorism, disabilities of untouchables, violence against women (such as rape, kidnapping, murder, wife battering etc).

Using PowerPoint presentations on the relevant topics.

Assignments given to students:

III B.A (V semester) students were given the following topics Health as a fundamental rights, Health policy of government of India, Financing of healthcare, Health insurance.

III B.A (VI semester) students were given the following research topics Google – How benefits can make your employees happy, Cyber security – can we really be safe? , what problems does Uber face? What should be done to avoid them? , The effect of computers on student's performance.

II B.A (III semester) students were given the following topics on Mass media – print media and electronic media.

II B.A (IV semester) students were given the previous question papers to solve on social anthropology as their assignment.

I B.A (I semester) students were given the following topics on fundamentals of sociology – culture, elements of culture, cultural lag and cultural relativity.

I B.A (II semester) students were given the previous question papers to solve on social institutions as their assignment.

Guest Lecture:

A Guest lecture was conducted on 4th September 2017 for the Final Year B.A students related to the syllabus paper- VI “Sociology of Health and Medicine” by Dr. Lily John, CSI hospital, Bangalore to understand the interpersonal relationship in hospital system – Doctor/patient relationship and Doctor/Nurse relationship.

A Guest lecture for the I, II and III B.A students on 24th February 2018 to bring awareness on Gender Equity by Dr. Uma Devi, Head, Dept of Sociology, Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College.

Outreach Programme:

The staff and students of I and II B.A visited new life center girl's hostel on 10th February 2018 for an awareness program on Gender equity.

The staff and students of I and II B.A visited Makkala Ashraya Kendra Boys hostel on 17th February 2018 for an awareness program on Gender equity – self respect, values and respect to women.

Rally:

Staff and students of I, II, III B.A (SPE,PYEJ,HEP,EPH) went on a rally on 17th February 2018 for an awareness program on Gender equity and sensitization with various plaque cards marched from college to Town Hall shouting slogans and depicted two street plays to bring awareness of Gender Equity.

Inter-Collegiate Competitions:

The inter-collegiate Street Play competition was conducted during DISHA on 26th September 2017. Around eight colleges participated in the event on the theme Social Problems and its evils.

Inter-Class Seminars:

III B.A students prepared Power Point presentations related to the syllabus- Methods and techniques of Social research paper- VII on various topics such as Techniques of Data collection – Observation, Questionnaire and Interview methods from 5th March to 10th March 2018.

II B.A students prepared a Power Point presentation related to the syllabus – Social Anthropology – physical anthropology and cultural anthropology.

I B.A students prepared a power point presentation related to the syllabus – Issues and challenges of Marginalized groups – scheduled caste, scheduled tribes and OBC's.

Bulletin Board:

The SPE students of III BA displayed a Bulletin Board on the theme “Dances of India” on 26th March 2018.

Mentoring Activities:

Students who needed special guidance and who were academically weak were given regular counseling and were improved by conducting tests and assignments.

Remedial classes were held with attendance.

Mrs. Rajkumari J, Asst. Prof. and Head of the Department

Seminars / Conferences Attended:

Attended a one-day Workshop at Christ University, Bangalore on “World Social Work Day 2017” focusing on promoting community and environmental sustainability on 21st March, 2017.

Organized and attended a one-day National Conference on “Becoming Women: Crafting the Female Self in the Private and Public Spheres” at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College on 21st March 2018.

Paper Presentation:

Presented a Research Paper at a National Conference on the topic “Effect of Digitalization on Higher Education Institutions in Rural India” organized by Dr. S. Gopalaraju Government I Grade College, Anekal, Bangalore.

Positions held:

Evaluator for VI and IV Semester BA examination at Bangalore University for the subject Sociology of Health and Medicine, and Sociology of Mass Communication in the year 2017.

COMMERCE

Innovative Practices:

Stimulation trading/ virtual trading session was conducted for final year B.Com students in order to give them insight into floor trading / physical outcry system.

Short movies were shown on topics like procedure for applying patents, Customer list, GST registration, Filing IT Returns and Tally installation.

Interactive videos on operation of Stock and Commodities Market.

Analytical games like Business Puzzle, Cross Word etc for Entrepreneurship Development.

A Discussion on proceedings/verdicts of real life cases in India for the subject Business Regulations.

Analysis of Legal agreements like Sale Deed, Offer Letter, Lease Agreement, Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of Company.

Case studies on Accounting scandals, Event Management and Retail Management.

Analysis of corporate financial statements.

Assignments given to the students:

Students of final year B Com were asked to prepare a fact file of two mutual fund schemes to prepare a sales pitch for their clients.

Students of I B Com visited the retail stores in the city to study and document the retail store layout and Visual merchandising.

Presentations on Stock Market factors.

Role play on promotional activities was performed by students.

A Project on Retail marketing strategies with reference to new products.

Analysis of Legal agreements like Sale Deed, Offer Letter, Audit Report, Lease Agreement, Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of Company.

Preparation of Business Plan.

Projects on Event planning.

Assignment on Stock market indices and Trend analysis of market.

Industrial Visit:

Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani organized an Industrial visit for II B. Com. students on 6th April 2018 to “Sri Mayura Kitchens Pvt Ltd” and “ Shakti Kitchen Equipment Pvt Ltd “

Certificate courses conducted:

Tally ERP 9 conducted by Alpha Tech Academy

Fashion Designing course conducted by Mrs. Rama Rani, Fashion Designer.

CA / CS coaching classes conducted by K2 learners

Guest Lecture conducted:

Guest lecture on the topic “Sentiments and Professionalism” for II B.Com by Dr. Vinnarasi, Professor, Christ University.

Guest lecture on the topic “Goods and Services Tax” for III B.Com by Mr. Naveen, Associate Professor, Christ University.

Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed, Professor and Head of the Department

Positions held:

Viva Voce Examiner for B. Com and BBA courses at Mount Carmel College, Bangalore.

Viva Voce Examiner for BBA course at Mahaveer Jain College, Bangalore.

Reviewer for Management Accounting and Financial Accounting papers of the BBA course at Bangalore University.

Mrs. Prathiba David, Assoc. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

A One day Orientation on Assessment & Accreditation of Affiliated Colleges by NAAC held at MLA Academy of Higher Learning on 28th February 2018.

Paper Presentations:

National Conference on “Business India – Innovative Practices for Growth and Sustainability” held at R. V. Institute of Management, Bangalore on 16th December 2017. Title of the Paper “Innovative Practices in Indian Banking System and their role in Economic revival of Indian Agricultural Sector”.

Publications:

A Research Paper published in the RVIM Journal of Management Research (Vol.9, Issue 2, 2017) ISSN 0974 - 6722 titled “Innovative Practices in Indian Banking System and their role in Economic revival of Indian Agricultural Sector”.

Ms. Suriya Naaz, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended one day workshop on Goods & Services Tax at ASC Degree College organized by Bangalore University Teachers’ Council for Commerce and Management.

Positions held:

Member of Bangalore University Teachers’ Council for Commerce and Management.

Evaluation:

Evaluator for I Semester, BBA at Bangalore University for the subject Financial Accounting

Evaluator for III Semester, BBA at Bangalore University for the subject Business Regulations, December 2017.

Mrs. Saadia Hameed, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Participated in a two day workshop on Research Methodology and SPSS organized by Department of Management studies and Research centre (MBA), Bangalore Institute of Technology in association with Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi on 27th and 28th July 2017

Participated in the Faculty Development Program on “Research Methods, Research paper writing and publishing” on 21st September, 2017 organized by Teachers’ Academy Degree College, Bangalore.

Paper Presentations:

Participated and presented a paper titled, “Foreign Direct Investment in Healthcare sector in India” in the 5th International Conference on “Emerging Trends in Global Accounting, Finance and Taxation” held on, 22ND September, 2017, organized by the Department of Commerce (PG) at Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bangalore

Publications:

The paper titled, “Foreign Direct Investment in Healthcare sector in India” was published in the UGC indexed International Research Journal of Commerce and Law (Special Issue), Scopus ID IRJCL: EOFEFE77AFIE160D with an ISSN No. 2349- 750X with an impact factor of 4.414.

Positions held:

Member of Bangalore University Commerce and Management Teachers Association

Evaluator for Business Economics paper at Mount Carmel College, Bangalore

Paper setter for The Fundamentals of Accounting at Government Arts and Science College, Bangalore

Mrs. T Powlin SahayaRani, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended one day national level seminar on “Globalism: Opportunities and Challenges for Better Tomorrow” conducted by Infant Jesus Evening College on 9th April 2018.

Positions held:

Member of Bangalore University Teachers’ Council for Commerce and Management.

Evaluation:

External Evaluator for I Semester M.Com. at Christ University for the subject Direct Tax, October 2017

External Evaluator for VI Semester M.Com. at Christ University for the subject Advanced Taxation, April 2018

Mrs. Porkodi S, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended one day workshop on Goods & Services Tax at ASC Degree College organized by Bangalore University Teachers' Council for Commerce and Management.

Positions held:

Member of Bangalore University Teachers' Council for Commerce and Management.

Evaluation:

External Evaluator for III Semester, BCOM at Mount Carmel College for the subject Business Economics, May 2017.

Mrs. Jenifer Soniya S, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended one day workshop on Goods & Services Tax at ASC Degree College organized by Bangalore University Teachers' Council for Commerce and Management.

Positions held:

Member of Bangalore University Teachers' Council for Commerce and Management.

Evaluation:

Evaluator for IV Semester, B.Com. at Bangalore University for the subject E-Business and Accounting, June 2017

Evaluator for III Semester, B.Com. at Bangalore University for the subject Business Ethics, December 2017

Ms. Vidya Shree R, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

One-day workshop on IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards) and IFM (International Financial Management) held at Community Institute of Commerce and Management, Bangalore on 22nd August 2017.

Consultancy:

Provided consultancy services on statistical data analysis for Dr. Adnan Saeed who is pursuing his M.Ch (Surgical Oncology) at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology.

Ms. Vandana M, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

One-day workshop on IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards) and IFM (International Financial Management) held at Community Institute of Commerce and Management, Bangalore on 22nd August 2017.

MANAGEMENT STUDIES

Innovative Practices:

The Innovative Teaching practices implemented in the Department of Management are Model Making, Quiz, Group Discussion, Debate, Case Studies, PowerPoint Presentations and Role Play

Assignments given to the students:

The following are the assignments given to students for various subjects:

Study on the Modes of Entry In International Business
Review of question papers
Banking Application form and compilation of various forms
A study on the services offered by private and public sector banks.
Modeling a layout for a factory
Creation of website
Product launch and strategies

Industrial Trip:

The students of the Final Year BBA were taken on an Industrial Trip to Coimbatore and Ooty. The industries visited were Murugan Mills, NTC in Coimbatore and Benchmark Tea Factory and Doddabetta Tea Factory in Ooty.

Certificate Courses Conducted:

The following courses were conducted for the Students pursuing BBA. Details are as follows

Basic Tally, ERP 9+ , Basic Excel , Website creation, 35 hrs
I BBA, Alpha Tech Academy

Basic Tally, ERP 9+ , Basic Excel , Website creation, Photoshop, Corel Draw, 45 hrs, II BBA,
Alpha Tech Academy

Basic Tally, ERP 9+ ,Excel, Photoshop, Corel Draw, GST, AWS workshop (cloud computing)55hrs, III BBA, Alpha Tech Academy

Fests Conducted:

The Intercollegiate Management Fest NISHKA 2017 was conducted on 5th August 2017. The theme this year was “Metamorphosis”. The Chief Guest was Dr. Mahananda, Head, Department of Commerce and Management, KLE College. Students from various colleges participated in events like Finance, Marketing, Best Manager, Business Quiz and Entrepreneurship Management. The overall trophy was won by Christ University.

Mentoring Activities:

Groups of 25-30 students are divided under each mentor. The mentor has details of each student with them and a record of the mentoring activities like counseling, encouragement in extracurricular activities, remedial classes and so on is maintained.

Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Assoc. Prof. and Head of the Department:

Paper Presentations:

National Conference on “Business India – Innovative Practices for Growth and Sustainability” held at R.V. Institute of Management, Bangalore on 16th December 2017. Title of the Paper “Innovative Practices in Indian Banking System and their role in Economic revival of Indian Agricultural Sector”.

Publications:

A Research Paper published in the RVIM Journal of Management Research (Vol.9, Issue 2, 2017) ISSN 0974 - 6722 titled “Innovative Practices in Indian Banking System and their role in Economic revival of Indian Agricultural Sector”.

Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

A One day International Seminar on “Ingenious Teaching Techniques in Higher Education”

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended a one day National Conference in Association with NABARD and SIDBI on “ Small and Medium Scale Enterprises – Opportunities and Challenges in Digital India” organized by Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March, 2017.

Participated in two days International conference "Entrepreneurship and Management" on 30th June and 1st July 2017 organized by Aditya Global Business School.

Participated in "Two day workshop on Research Methodology and SPSS" organized by the Department of Management Studies and Research centre, Bangalore Institute of Technology in association with Visweshwaraya Technological University Belagavi, Karnataka held on 27th and 28th July 2017.

Attended a one day National Conference on Digital Transformation Journey on 15th September 2017 organized by the department of Commerce and Management Studies of "Sri Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain I Grade College.

Participated in an International Multidisciplinary Conference on Commerce, Management Technology and Environmental Sciences held at St. Joseph's College of Arts and Commerce , Satpala, Virar in association with Indo Global Chamber of Commerce, Industries and Agriculture on Friday 29th September 2017.

Attended a one day faculty development programme on "Lean Six Sigma tools for Management Teachers and Research Scholars held on Monday, the 13th November 2017 at Seshadripuram Institute of Management.

Attended a one day Seminar on Digital Marketing "Opportunities, Challenges, Future" held at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan- M/s M. P. Birla Institute of Management on 20th December 2017.

Paper Presentations:

Presented a paper at the National Conference on "Small and Medium Scale Enterprises – Opportunities and Challenges in India” at Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017. The Title of the Paper was “Internationalization of SME’s in Developing Countries”.

Presented a paper entitled “Managerial Entrepreneurship" in the International Conference "Entrepreneurship and Management” on 30th June and 1st July 2017 organized by the Aditya Global Business School.

Presented a paper entitled " A Comparative Study on Digital Marketing Era -the past, present and future focuses" in the one day national conference on Digital Transformation Journey on 15th September 2017 organized by the department of Commerce and Management Studies of "Sri Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain I Grade College.

Presented the paper entitled "Challenges of Marketing for the Next Decade" at the International Multidisciplinary Conference on Commerce, Management Technology and 'Environmental Sciences held at St. Joseph's College of Arts and Commerce , Satpala, Virar in association with Indo Global chamber of commerce, Industries and Agriculture on Friday, the 29th September 2017.

Publications:

A Research paper titled “Internationalization of SME’s in Developing Countries”. The paper was published in the National Conference in Association with NABARD and SIDB organized by Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017.

A Research paper titled “A comparative study on Digital Marketing Era – The Past, Present and Future Focus”. The paper was published in the National Conference on “Digital Transformation Journey A Vehicle of New Age” organized by Sri Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain I Grade College on 15th September 2017. ISBN : 978-93-86537-73-7.

A Research paper titled “ Challenges of Marketing for the Next Decade”. The paper was published in an International Multidisciplinary Half Yearly Research Journal. Volume VI, Issue – II, Part – VII. June to November 2017. ISSN -2278-8158.

Mrs. Sheela Margaret, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a 2 day seminar on the topic “Sustaining a Competitive Edge in the Changing Global Scenario: Challenges, Practices and Innovation” at Christ University on 6th and 7th February 2018.

Attended a one day seminar on Demonetization - Opportunities and Challenges on 14th February 2018.

Publications:

“Organisational Justice in Higher Educational Institutions”, NHRD Network Journal, ISSN-0974-1739, Vol. 7, Issue 4, Oct 2014.

PHYSICS

Innovative Practices:

For Astrophysics we are using PPT presentation
Computation Method – physics(program using C language) we are using the computer to execute the program.

Assignments given to the students:

Based on the topic : Optics- Interference of light
Diffraction
Difference between Interference and Diffraction
Nano Physics – basic and methodology

Industrial Visit:

All B. Sc (PMC) students were taken to **Vishveshwarya Museum and Planetarium**

Workshop Conducted:

A one day workshop was conducted for the students on the topic NANO SCIENCE. Nano science and technology plays a very important role in the field of science. Nanotechnology is the engineering of functional system at the molecular scale. Thus covers both current work and concept that are more advanced.

Workshop conducted on NANO SCIENCE – by Dr. Uma Ullas Pradhan in Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College on 22nd February 2018

Fest:

Tangram Puzzle: An event organized for the Annual Inter-Collegiate Fest of the College DISHA 2017 on 27th Sept 2018

Bulletin Board: was put up on the topic “Interference”.

Mentoring Activities:

Focusing on the issue of the students - Related to studies, Related to friendship (family), Motivating for co-curricular activities, Values of life, Ice breaker

Ms. Anitha Clarin, Asst. Prof. and Head of the Department:

Seminars /Conferences Attended:

Invited as a Judge for **Regional Level Science Exhibition** – smart school(Sri Vidya Kendra-Affiliated to CBSE Delhi)

Positions held:

Member of Board Of Studies for Jyothi Nivas Autonomous College.

Member of Board Of Studies for NMKRV College.

Member of Board Of Studies for Physics Forum

Ms. Likitha MS, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Conducted Physics workshop on Nanoscience and Technology by Dr. Uma Ullas Pradhan on 22nd February 2018 at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College, Bangalore.

CHEMISTRY

Innovative Practices:

Use of OHP, Charts, Models and Power Point Presentations.

Guest Lecture:

Lecture was given on 'Nanoscience' by Dr. Uma Ullas Pradhan, Department of Nanotechnology, Jyothi Institute of Technology, Kanakapura Road, Bangalore on 22nd February 2018.

Field Trips/ Workshops:

The staff and B.Sc. students participated in a rally 'India March for Science' on 9th August 2017. The rally was organized to demand for more funding for scientific and technological research and for promotion of scientific temper. The rally was also organised to condole the deaths of the great scientists Shri. Yash Pal and Shri. Ramachandra Rao in July 2017.

A visit to Azyme Biosciences Pvt. Ltd, Jayanagar, Bengaluru was arranged on 15th March 2018 to learn Instrumental Analysis. HPLC, GC, Ion exchange chromatography and SDS- PAGE were demonstrated.

The staff and 30 students participated in Nano for Youth programme organized by Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences (CeNS), a premier research institute under Department of Science and Technology (DST) held on 22nd March 2018 at the Satish Dhawan Auditorium - CSIC, IISc, Bengaluru as a part of the International Conference on Nanoscience and Technology (ICONSAT 2018).

Assignments given to the students:

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| I B.Sc – | Paper I- Periodic table and periodic properties of s and p block elements. Paper II- Chemical bonding: hybridization, VSEPR theory, molecular orbital theory. |
| II B.Sc – | Paper III- Fertilizers: nitrogenous, phosphatic and mixed fertilizers. Manufacture and uses of urea and superphosphate of lime. Paper IV- Environmental Chemistry: greenhouse effect, acid rain, photochemical smog, water pollution, treatment of sewage, industrial effluents and disposal of radioactive waste. |
| III B.Sc– | Paper V- Alkaloids: structure of nicotine; uses of alkaloids. |

Paper VI- Electrochemistry: standard cell (Weston cadmium cell). Types of electrodes: metal-metal ion electrodes, gas- ion electrodes and redox electrodes. Reference electrodes: hydrogen electrode, calomel electrode, quinhydrone electrode and glass electrode; determination of pH using these electrodes
Paper VII- Co-ordination Chemistry – theories of coordination compounds, Werner's theory, valence bond theory, crystal field theory and applications on the study of structure and magnetic properties of complexes.
Paper VIII- Hormones– classification into amino acid derivatives, peptide and protein hormones and steroid hormones

Fest:

An event Graffiti-Science Concoction was organized by the Departments of Chemistry, Botany and Biotechnology during the intercollegiate fest Disha 2017 on 26th September 2017.

Bulletin Board:

Bulletin board on “Green Chemistry” was displayed by the students of II B. Sc (CBBT). Principles and applications of green chemistry were displayed.

Mentoring Activities:

Remedial classes were organized for academic upgrading and revision tests were conducted for weaker students. Seminar topics from syllabus were given to students for academic enrichment and to improve organizational and communication skill.

Dr. Jacqueline T R, Professor and Head of the Department:

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Participated in Nano for Youth programme organized by Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences (CeNS), a premier research institute under Department of Science and Technology (DST), held on 22nd March 2018 at the Satish Dhawan Auditorium - CSIC, IISc, Bengaluru as a part of the International Conference on Nanoscience and Technology (ICONSAT 2018).

A one-day workshop on “Instrumentation” at Azyme Biosciences laboratory, Jayanagar, Bengaluru on 15th March 2018.

Seminar on “Nanoscience” on 22nd February 2018 at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

Positions held:

Joint Secretary of Chemistry Teachers Forum, Bangalore University, Bangalore.

Life member of Indian Association of Solid State Chemists and Allied Scientists.

Member of BOE, CMR University, Jain University, Mount Carmel College, Jyothi Nivas College.

Ms. Sarala Sonia, Asst. Prof.

Seminars / Conferences Attended:

A Workshop entitled “Nano For Youth” was attended at CSIC- Satish Dhawan Auditorium, IISc, Bengaluru on 22nd March 2018.

A one day workshop on “Instrumentation” was organized at Azyme Biosciences Laboratory, Jayanagar, Bengaluru on 15th March 2018.

BOTANY

Innovative Practices:

OHP presentation was done for the related topics

Models and Charts were used

Internally generated material was used

CD was used

Maintenance of a medicinal garden

Assignments given to the students:

I B. Sc-Economic importance of Cyanobacteria

II B. Sc- Contributions of Prof. B.G.L. Swamy and P. Mahaeshwari in the field of Embryology

III B. Sc- Medicinal plants and their use to mankind, Origin of Evolution

Industrial Visits:

Visit to Monsanto, agricultural fields located at outskirts of Bangalore, Doddaballapur on 1st February 2018.

Visit to Bio-C centre Hulimaavu on 27th March 2018. Students were given first hand knowledge on plant tissue culture lab. They learnt various techniques involved in the production of plant tissue and mushroom cultivation.

Fest/Seminars/ Conferences Conducted:

An intercollegiate event called Graffiti was conducted on the topic “Swachh Bharath” at the inter-collegiate fest of the college DISHA 2017.

A Talk was organized on “HIV Awareness Programme” on 20th March 2018.

A One day National Conference on “Redefining Globalization” was conducted in collaboration with Student for Development on 4th April 2018.

Mentoring Activities:

Extra class was given to weaker students and mentored the students regarding higher education and future prospects in Botany. Students weak in their studies were identified and given extra coaching thus enabling them to take frequent tests.

Mrs. Esther Watson, Asst. Prof. and Head of the Department

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended a Faculty Development Program at Kristu Jayanthi College. The Topic : “Data Analysis in Natural Sciences”.

Attended a one day workshop at Vijaya College on “Life and Contribution of Prof. BGL Swamy to Botany” in connection with BGL Swamy Centenary Celebrations.

Positions held:

Member of Board Of Examiners at CMR University
Member of Board Of Examiners at Maharani College.

Ms. Adeline Rebeeca, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a National Conference titled "Redefining of Globalization" on 4th April 2018 at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

Publications:

Published a research paper in the International Journal of Engineering, Technology, Science and Research, Volume 5, Issue 3, 25th March 2018, ISSN 2394 - 3386

Paper Title: A Comparative Review of PprA gene with Respect to Deinococcus radiodurans using Bioinformatic Tools.

Achievements:

Completed a 2 month intensive basic vocal training course conducted by the Majolly Music Trust on 12th June 2017.

BIOTECHNOLOGY

Innovative Practices:

OHP presentations for the related topics.
Power point presentations were presented
Video presentations were displayed.
Models and charts was used
Internal generated resource material is used for reference.

Assignments given to the students:

I B.Sc - Bacterial cell wall structure –gram negative and gram positive bacteria
II B.Sc- Insertional elements and Transposons,
III B.Sc—Production of polyhydroxy alkonates, PHA and PHB, Edible vaccine

Industrial Visits:

Visit to Monsanto, agricultural fields located at outskirts of Bangalore, Doddaballapur on 1st February 2018.

Visit to Bio-C centre Hulimavu on 27th March 2018. Students were enlightened on the method of plant tissue culture lab. They learnt various techniques involved in the production of plant tissue and mushroom cultivation.

Fest Conducted:

An intercollegiate event called Graffiti was conducted on the topic “Swacchh Bharath” at the inter-collegiate fest of the college DISHA 2017.

A Talk was organized on “HIV Awareness Programme” on 20th March 2018.

A One day National Conference on “Redefining Globalization” was conducted in collaboration with Student for Development on 4th April 2018.

Mentoring Activities:

Motivational talks was given to students, student problems due to personal reason, families and friends groups was solved. Counseling weaker section of students and remedial classes was conducted.

Dr. Sharmila A, Professor and Head of the Department:

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended a Faculty Development Program at Kristu Jayanthi College. The Topic : “Data Analysis in Natural Sciences”.

Attended a two day workshop at Maharani’s Science College For Women on 5th and 6th September 2017. “Hands –on training on Science Laboratory Equipment and Instrumentation”

Positions Held:

Member of Board Of Examiners at CMR University

Member of Board Of Examiners at Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College for Women.

Member of Board Of Examiners at Jain University

Member of Board Of Examiners at Indian Academy of Sciences

Prof. Susanna P

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a one day International seminar on “Indigenous Teaching Techniques in Higher Education” held at Goodwill Christian College for Women on 16th February 2017.

Attended a Faculty Development Programme on “Data Analysis in Natural Sciences” organised by the Kristu Jayanthi College, Bengaluru on 6th and 7th December 2017.

Positions held:

Member of the Board of Examiners for Jain University, CMR University and Government Science College.

ZOOLOGY

Innovative Practices:

Specimens, charts, models, OHP and Guest lecture.

Prof. M. J. H. Shafi from Vijaya College, Basavangudi, Bangalore was invited to give a guest lecture on Apiculture pertaining to the syllabus on 3rd April 2018.

Assignments given to the students:

I Semester: Corals and Coral Reefs, Canal System in Sponges

II Semester: Sericulture, Apiculture, Prawn Fisheries, Oyster and Pearl Culture

Field Trips:

On 14th February 2018, the students of I B.Sc. were taken to the Regional Sericultural Research Station, Central Silk Board, Kodathi, Bangalore. Dr. Jalaja S. Kumar, Dean and Head, Dr. Saraswati and Dr. Hanumatharayappa explained to the students about Silkworm rearing, Vermi composting and Cultivation of varieties of Mulberry trees and the students benefitted to a great extent.

Fests conducted:

The Department conducted the event 'Play with Clay' during DISHA in September 2017. There was an overwhelming participation in the event from various colleges.

A One day National Conference on "Redefining Globalization" was conducted in collaboration with Student for Development on 4th April 2018.

Mentoring Activities:

Individual attention was paid to the weak students so that they would excel in the exam.

Mrs. S Anthuvan Grace, Asst. Prof.

HOME SCIENCE

Innovative Practices:

Seminars and PPT, Charts and Visual aids, Demonstrations, Quiz, Guest Lectures on Interiors

Assignments given to the students:

Semester: I, III and V 2017-18

- Domains of Development; Food Pyramid; Stages of prenatal development I B.A./B.Sc.
- Rendering for different textures; 8-head figure sketching; Vitamins and Minerals, III B.A./B.Sc.
- Vitamins and Minerals I B.Sc. (ND)

Semester: II, IV and VI 2017-18 - ND

Nutritional Requirements during pregnancy and pre-school.

Semester II, IV and VI B.A./B.Sc.

Traditional Textiles of India

Colour schemes

Audio-visual aids used in community development

Creative activity file

Industrial Visits:

Semester II, IV and VI : B.Sc/B.Sc
Visit to a Textile Mill
Visit to Makkala Mandira
Visit to a Play school - Maple bear
Visit to YWCA for Extension activities
Visit to homes to study interiors.
Visit to Lalbagh to study Flower Arrangements

Fest Conducted:

Jewellery Designing at the Annual Inter-collegiate Fest of the college – DISHA 2017.

Mentoring Activities:

Semester I, III and V: Remedial classes conducted for academically weak students.

Workshops Conducted:

B.A./B.Sc. I Semester - Puppet work shop - Latha Sadgoppan
B.A./B.Sc. III Semester - New Age Parenting - Dr. Vijayshri R

Dr. Grace Premila Victor, Professor and Head of the Department

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

International Seminar on Ingenious Teaching Techniques in Higher Education at Goodwill Christian College for Women, on 16th February 2017.

National Seminar on Home Science Education and Skill Development - Home Science Association of India, Karnataka State Branch, 27th October 2017 Maharani College for Women, Bangalore.

Academy of Higher Learning on Internal Quality Assurance Cell in Association with Bangalore University First Grade College Principals' Association, 28th February 2018 Malleshwaram Ladies Association, Bangalore.

Positions held:

Paper setter for Home Science, Bangalore University, for the year 2014-15 onwards.

Member of Board Of Examiners during 2016-17.

Examiner for Practical Examinations and paper setter for Mount Carmel College and Smt. VHD Central Institute for Home Science (Autonomous college) from 2014 onwards.

Paper setter for Smt. VHD College of Home Science for Nutrition for the year 2017 onwards.

Co-ordinator for IQAC from 2013-2014 onwards.

Prof. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

National Seminar on Home Science Education and Skill Development - Home Science Association of India, Karnataka State Branch, 27th October 2017, Maharani College for Women, Bangalore.

Positions held:

Paper setter for Home Science, Bangalore University for the year 2014-15 onwards.

Examiner for Practical Examinations and paper setter for Mount Carmel College and Smt. VHD Central Institute for Home Science (Autonomous college) from 2014 onwards.

Member of BOE during 2015-16 and 2017-18

Member of BOS for Department of Home Science, Bangalore University, Department of Composite Home Science, Mount Carmel College, Department of Care and Welfare, Smt. VHD Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous) from 2015 onwards.

Executive Member of Home Science Association of India –Karnataka State Branch from 2015 onwards.

Mrs. Felicia Sunil, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

Attended a Seminar on Caregivers for Geriatric patients at St. John's Church in May 2017.

International Day of Prayer in support of Women of Suriname on World Pollution

Publications:

Efficacy Of Anti-Perspiration Finish Using Eco-Friendly Herbal Extracts On Silk Filaments, IJRASET, February Volume 2, 2018.

MATHEMATICS

Mentoring Activities:

Special coaching classes were organized and revision tests were conducted for weaker students

Student Projects:

III B.Sc. – Chaos theory, Complexity: Fractals.

Bulletin Board:

Bulletin board on the topic “The Golden Ratio” was displayed on 3rd March 2018 by the students of II B.Sc. A brief introduction and application of Fibonacci Sequence and Golden ratio.

Field Visit:

A field trip was organized by Department of Mathematics for all B.Sc. (PCM) students to Sir M. Visvesvaraya Memorial Museum at Muddenahalli on the 23rd February 2018. The students got to know and appreciate the achievements of the great engineer. We also visited his Samadhi and Nandi Hills nearby.

Ms. Evelin Silviya S, Asst. Prof.

Seminars / Conferences Attended:

Attended a one day Workshop on ‘Scilab and Maxima(FOSS)’ at Jnanajyothi Auditorium, Central College, Bangalore on 9th February 2018.

Attended a one day Workshop on “Preparation for UGC-CSIR NET Examination in Mathematics” at Government Science College, Bangalore on 10th February 2018.

Attended a two day Workshop on “Glimpses of Indian Mathematics” hosted by Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Bengaluru Campus on 3rd and 4th March 2018.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Innovative Practices:

Group discussion, Presentation on Recent Development in Information Technology, a demo on how to create a movie using movie maker and IT Quiz on logos and Companies were conducted by the III BCA students.

Assignments given to the students:

III BCA – Internally generated resource on Cryptography and Network Security

II BCA –Presentation on Digital Marketing, GST and demonetisation, Cryptocurrency, Bigdata analysis, E-commerce

I BCA – Assignments were given on Electronic Data Interchange, Basic concepts of IPR – Copy rights and patterns, E Learning

Certificate Courses conducted:

Certificate courses were conducted for the I BCA students on “Photoshop and Coral Draw” by IIHT and “Networking with Netsim” sponsored by the UGC

Certificate course were conducted for the II BCA students on “Embedded System”, sponsored by the UGC

Certificate course were conducted for the III BCA students on “Java Advanced and Web”, by IIHT

Workshops Conducted:

A workshop was conducted on “Web Designing” for the I BCA students

Workshops on “C & C++” and “PHP” were conducted for the II BCA students

A workshop on Cloud Computing was conducted for the III BCA students

Career Guidance:

Career guidance was conducted by the alumnis Ms. Sowmy Stephen and Ms. Gnanabai on 17th March. They guided the students on how to write a resume, how to prepare for interviews and the different opportunities available for them in their career.

Prizes won at Inter-collegiate competitions:

Ms. Sriveda and Ms. Akshita of III BCA won the **First place** in “Coding and Debugging” during the National IT, held at Christ University.

Ms. Akshita and Ms. Sriveda of III BCA won the **First place** in “Tech Chef” during the Intercollegiate IT Fest, held at Surana College.

Ms. Sriveda and Ms. Akshita of III BCA won the Second place in “Coding and Debugging”, during the Intercollegiate IT Fest, held at Surana College.

Ms. Akshita and Ms. Sriveda of III BCA won the Second place in “Coding and Debugging”, during the Intercollegiate IT Fest, held at CMR Institute of Technology.

Competitions held:

Interclass Competitions were conducted for all the BCA and B. Sc. Computer Science students on the events IT Manager, IT Quiz, Poster Making, Movie Making and Coding and Debugging .

Intercollegiate competition was held on “Digital Poster Making” during Disha 2017.

Newsletter:

A newsletter was released by the Department of Computer Science.

Faculty Development Programme:

Such a programme was conducted on “Creating Professional Presentations with animation” by IIHT on April 20th.

Field Visit:

The final year BCA students accompanied by the faculties Asst. Prof. Reeja Esther and Asst. Prof. Ann Kuruvilla visited the Indian Institute of Science campus on 10th March 2018 to have an in depth study on the research-culture. . They visited some of the departments (Computer Science and Automation, Center for Nanoscience Engineering, Supercomputer Education Research Centre and Department of Electronic Systems and Engineering).

Mrs. Suja D Shanthi, Assoc. Prof. and Head of the Department

Positions held:

Member of the Board of Examiners at Indian Academy Degree College(Autonomous).

Set a question paper for III Semester BCA on Object Oriented Programming using C++ for Indian Academy Degree College (Autonomous).

Set a question paper for III Semester BCA on Operating System for the Bangalore University

Set a question paper for IV Semester BCA on Visual Programming for Indian Academy Degree College (Autonomous).

Set a question paper for VI Semester BCA on Cryptography and Network Security for Smt. VHD Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous)

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Asst. Prof.

Paper Presentation and Publication:

Presented a paper on ‘CyberSecurity and its Challenges’ for the National Conference on Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Start-Ups for Economic Transformation organised by Sindhi College,Benagluru on April 13th.

Paper will be published in UGC Indexed Journal ISSN:2348-4969

Positions held:

Paper Setter for Bangalore University Examination End Semester (November 2017)

Paper Setter for Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College(Autonomous)

Paper Setter for Home Science College(Autonomous)

Mrs. Reeja Esther, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/ Conferences Attended:

Attended a two-Day Faculty Development Programme On “Methodology – Mix For Effective Teaching” at SJES College Of Management Studies on 9th and 10th February 2018.

Positions held:

Paper setter for Kristu Jayanti College for End Semester Examination, October 2017

Paper setter for VHD Central of Home Science (Autonomous) End Semester Examination, October 2017

Mrs. Jayakiruba, Asst. Prof.

Paper Presentations:

Presented a paper “Applying Genetic Algorithm for Prioritization of Test Case Scenarios Derived from UML Diagrams” in the International Conference on ‘Advances in Computer Science & Technology’ organized by Department of Computer Science, St. Francis De Sales College, Bangalore on 24th Jan 2018.

Positions held:

Appointed as a Question Paper setter for the UG (II SEM DBMS BCA) May 2018 Examinations of Smt. VHD Central Institute of Home Science College, Bangalore.

Mrs. Manjula M, Asst. Prof.

Seminars/Conferences Attended:

One day National Conference on " Innovative & Emerging Trends in Business Information Technology, Science and Humanities - Synergy 18 on 22nd January 2018 at Christ College of Science and Management, Hosur - Malur Main Road, Alambady, Malur, Karnataka

Paper Presentations:

Presented paper at an International Conference on Advances in Computer Science and Technology Paper Title : " An overview of Data Encryption Standard (DES)" on 24th January 2018 at St. Francis De Sales College, Electronic City, Bengaluru.

Publications:

Paper published in the International Conference on Advances in Computer Science and Technology entitled “An overview of Data Encryption Standard (DES)”
10.29126/23951303/ICACT18-113

DEPARTMENT OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES: M.COM.

Guest Lectures held:

A Guest lecture on “Recent Trends in Research Reports “ by Dr. V. Babu from St. Joseph’s College on 12th February 2018 for the IV Semester students

A Guest lecture on “Business Ethics” by Dr. Sundara Murthy from Pondicherry University held on 15th November 2017

A Guest lecture on Impact of Macro Economics in Business Decisions by Prof M. M. Gupta for I Semester students held on 16th October 2017

Seminars/Conferences attended by students :

The II Semester students Ms. Gowthami. V, Ms. Daminisingh VS, Ms. Sharon Angelica, Ms. Anju J Saini, Ms. Manju J Saini, Ms. Priyachallani – participated in business conclave programme organized by the department of business administration in St. Joseph’s Evening College (Autonomous) held on Saturday, the 10th March 2018.

The II Semester students Ms. Ayesha Tabassum, Ms. Zaiba Nasheen, Ms. Vanditha H – participated in National level management fest UNICUS organized by the Department of Management in Jyothi Nivas College (Autonomous) held on Friday, the 9th March 2018.

The IV Semester students Ms. Zaiba Kouser, Ms. Hajira Tabasum, Ms. Sadiya Tabassum, Ms. Khatijatul Kubra, Ms. Husna Samiulla, Ms. Tenzin Thinley, Ms. Tulasi Mani, Ms. Navya. K, Ms. Sacchida Charantayya Swami, Ms. Aparana. S – participated in the state level Management Development Programme organized by the department of Business Administration, St. Joseph’s Evening College (Autonomous) held on Saturday, the 10th March 2018.

Industrial Visits

Visit to Karnataka Milk federation (KMF) On 3rd Nov 2017 with 2nd semester and 4th semester students.

Visit to VST Tillers and Tractors Ltd., Mahadevapura on 26th March 2018 with II and IV Semester students.

Dr. Narasimhan K, Professor and Coordinator

Seminars/Conferences attended

Participated in International Conference on “Emerging Global Trends in Accounting, Finance and Taxation” At Jain University Bangalore on 27th February 2018.

Participated in “Management Development Programme” organized by St. Joseph’s Evening College Bangalore on 10th March 2018.

Acted as a chairperson for paper presentation in International Conference on ‘Scope of Emerging Business dimensions and sustainable Development’ at St. Joseph’s College (Autonomous) Bangalore on 9th March 2018.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

“The spirit, the will to win, and the will to excel are the things that endure. These qualities are so much more important than the events that occur” -
Vince Lombardi

Achievements

- 1 Ms. Nirmala C Gowda, Physical Education Director, was nominated as one of the Selection Committee Members to select the Bangalore University Basket Ball Team held on 25th and 26th September 2017 at Mount Carmel College, Bangalore.
- 2 Ms. Rachel Eunice, III B.Com B secured the Individual Championship at the Annual Athletic Meet 2017-2018. The Best Outgoing Sportswoman of the year was Ms. Daniya Begum, Sports Secretary.
- 3 The Annual Athletic Meet was held on 28th February 2018 at United Mission Degree College. The Chief Guest for the day was **Dr. B G Uday Garudachar B E, Managing Director of Garuda Mall, Bangalore.** The Guest of Honour was **Ms. Bindu Rani, International Athlete.**

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda,
PED.

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

As the main objective of the library is to provide current knowledge material to supplement and support the academic curriculum, 522 of both Post-graduate and Under-graduate books were added to the existing collection and the total collection of books are bar-coded. We have a collection of 40 journals and periodicals of both National and International repute and a few of these are complimentary. Apart from this, there is accessibility to e-books and e-journals through the library's membership with other library consortiums such as The British Council, DELNET (Developing Library Network) and N-LIST (National Library and Information Services for e-resources).

The above services are provided along with other regular services which include internet facility, Wifi, reprography, educational CDs, book bank and question bank. The library has a collection of rare books apart from the latest books in all major disciplines. The Online Database Library Software-Environ Libsoft gives us access to OPAC. Being institutional members of The British Council, we have Inter-library borrowing facility that can be availed by the staff and students.

Mrs. Rose Francis P,
Librarian.

COUNSELLING

Counseling is a process that enables us to sort out issues and reach decisions affecting personal and professional lives. Often counseling is sought out at a time of change or crisis. It need not be so as counselling can also help us at any time of our life.

Counselling involves talking with a person in such a way that it helps him/her solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause him/her to solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause him/her to understand and /or improve his/her behaviour, character, values or life circumstances. At the end of the counselling process, the client himself /herself has an insight to the problem and he/she becomes more empowered to take his/her own decision.

One on One counselling session in progress

Conflicts, academic problems, career, personal and socially related problems are more prevalent nowadays than in the past. Counselling programmes involve individual sessions with students where truth serves as a means to reach the goals of counselling. Follow - up sessions are carried out on a regular basis and parents are involved in the process, if the need demands.

The counsellor was also actively involved in meeting the parents of those students who had shortage of attendance. The students were counselled and advised to be regular to college and to

maintain 75% attendance in all subjects. In future, the counsellor hopes to instill skills that will enable the students to be efficient and successful.

Counselling is defined as the service of helping people to adjust/deal with personal problems by enabling them to discover for themselves the solution to the problems by receiving attention from a counsellor.

The Counsellor's View point

The counsellor had to deal with not only counseling issues but also address and manage the help desk for the students and parents. Throughout the year, she met students, staff and parents addressing many issues like peer pressure, parental pressure, academic pressure, personal problems, relationship problems, depression, career guidance, shortage of attendance, misconduct, enquiries, ventilation of grievances and interpersonal problems. She has maintained confidentiality and dealt with each individual on a non judgemental basis. Certain sensitive matters had to be taken up with the Principal and handled delicately. She has maintained confidential reports after every session and also maintained a record of work on a daily basis. She has also got feedback from students, parents and staff on the sessions that were conducted. In certain cases follow-up sessions were taken up by her. Students who had approached her seeking help have also brought their classmates and friends for various issues. This shows a definite positive impact of her counselling services. Respondents were asked for general comments or remarks of the services provided.

Her primary task is to support the academic session of the college by providing a range of interventions which enhance a student's ability to be consistently engaged with achieving their academic potential.

Other activities

The counsellor gave a talk on the topic "Adolescent counselling" to the II year students of the Home Science department on 16th August 2017.

The opening remark was made by the counsellor on 4th August 2017 for the panel discussion on "Talking about mental health is a sign of strength and not weakness" which was conducted by the department of Psychology.

The Counsellor handled the student sessions and addressed the parents of the I and II PUC students.

Workshop on Overcoming Exam Anxiety

On 17th January 2018 a workshop on "Overcoming exam anxiety" was organized for the students by the Department of Psychology.

The counsellor is also a member of the Internal Complaints Committee and has also been actively involved in arranging an awareness program for students on sexual harassment which was conducted by Mrs. Rovina David during the assembly on 31st August 2017. An awareness program for the support staff was conducted by Mrs. Shanthala Banu in Kannada and an awareness program for the teaching staff and the office administrative staff was conducted by Mrs. Rovina David. Both the above Awareness programs were conducted on 31st October 2017.

On 3rd April 2018, a team from RESCUE conducted a program focusing on the destructive nature of Immorality. This was conducted in the auditorium. Mr. Abhishek Clifford, CEO, RESCUE and Ms. Liny Babu conducted the program. RESCUE has addressed over 2,50,000 students in various educational institutions.

On 2nd March 2018 the Counsellor conducted an activity on Caption Making for the II and III year BCA students to educate and create awareness on sexual harassment and Ragging.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ASSEMBLY

Assemblies were conducted on alternative Thursdays of the month during the value education hour. The first assembly for the year was held on 11.01.2018. The staff led the assembly with a time of devotion by the Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar.

The students were given an opportunity to conduct the assembly class wise. A theme based on the fundamental rights was given to various classes keeping in mind -special events/days/festivals. The entire program –the bible reading, the prayer, skit, tableau or choreography was chosen in accordance with the theme. A special assembly was held on 26.03.2018 in the view of Student Council Elections for the year 2018-2019. The department of Computer Science conducted the assembly on 15.3.2017 to commemorate Women's Day.

Announcements were made regarding the forthcoming events and programs by the concerned department or committee. Students were recognized during the assembly for their achievement in academics, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.

Asst. Prof. G. Harshini Esther,
Convenor.

VALUE EDUCATION

Value education classes were held on Thursdays during the value education hour by the class teachers in order to inculcate the students with moral and ethical good values, be achievers in society and also contribute back to the society. The value education classes were interactive and students were taught using multimedia aids, videos, group discussion, debates and short stories. The schedule comprised of topics such as values, life enrichment skills, inter-personal relationships and personality development. A feedback on each session was given by the class teacher.

The other members of the Value Education committee are Dr. Renuka Paul, Mrs. Suvina Benjamin, Dr. Grace Premila Victor, Mrs. Rebecca Theodore and Mrs. Sonu Sujit David.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas
Counsellor

CHAPEL

Chapel services are held at the college chapel, every alternate Thursdays during the value education hour for all the Christian students. It is open for other students as well.

The academic year of 2017-18 began with the Communion Service led by Rev. Vincent Vinod Kumar, Presbyterian-in-charge, CSI Shaffer Memorial Church and Rev. Naveen John, Presbyterian in charge, Barnabas Kannada Church. Every class is given an opportunity to conduct the Chapel service as guided by their respective Chapel prefects. During the Chapel service, the students take part in various activities such as praise and worship, Bible quiz, short videos etc. The staff of each department would share a short reflection during the service.

A prayer cell was conducted where the students gather together and pray every Monday. Bible study was conducted every Wednesday where Guest speakers from Campus Crusade and Youth for Christ had come and shared the Word of God with the students.

Inter- class competitions were held for all the Christian students from the 2nd April to 6th April on the theme 'chazaq', which means "growing firm in the Lord". Various events such as Bible quiz, memory verse, pick and speak, debate and creative writing were conducted. This was initiated to encourage the students to learn the word of God and grow in their spiritual life.

A one day retreat was organised in the college campus on April 10th. It was conducted by FMPB. The day was filled with different sessions of praise and worship, spiritual mentoring and some activities. The students actively took part in various intercollegiate Gospel Fests and won many prizes.

Asst. Prof. Rebecca Theodore – Convenor
Assoc. Prof. Suja D Shanthi
Asst. Prof. Sheela Margaret

ANTI RAGGING

The anti ragging committee, in order to take care and prevent ragging visited the classes of all the I year students on 21st July 2017. The committee explained to each class the strict anti ragging policy of the college .The students were told that the college has a zero tolerance policy on ragging.

The details on 24/7 anti ragging helpline was put on the notice boards .

The other members of the anti ragging committee are Mrs. Leena Karanth, Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav and Mrs. Shilpi Choudhury.

The Counsellor conducted an activity on Caption Making for the III year BCA students to educate and create awareness on sexual harassment on 2nd March 2018 .

Mrs. Yallina Thomas
Counsellor

SEXUAL REDRESSAL

As education and increasing awareness are the best ways to prevent sexual harassment, the members of the sexual harassment committee visited all the classes on 25th July 2017 and informed the students about the different aspects of inappropriate gender - based sexual behaviour. A questionnaire was distributed among students to find out the level of understanding amongst students on various issues related to sexual harassment.

The committee consisted of the Counsellor and Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran.

The Counsellor conducted an activity on Caption Making for the II year BCA students to educate and create awareness on sexual harassment on 2nd March 2018.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas
Counsellor

THE INTERNAL COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE

The Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) was set up on 9th August 2017 by the Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar with the aim to protect and prevent sexual harassment of women at the work place and other incidents related to Workplace harassment other than sexual in nature. The ICC also aims to protect students from sexual abuse and to spread awareness amongst students in respect to cyberspace and its related crimes.

The Internal Complaints committee members were nominated by the Principal and comprise of 3 teaching, 2 non teaching staff and 3 students. They are:

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran - Presiding Officer
Mrs. Yallina Thomas
Mrs. Prathiba David
Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav
Mrs. Leena W
Ms. Nusrath Fathima
Ms. Nayantara Rao
Ms. Krethi Rao

Mrs. Rovina David is the External member of this committee. She is an advocate and a Partner at Tommy Sebastien Associates. She trained the committee members on handling a complaint on sexual harassment and the procedures to be followed while conducting enquiry proceedings. This was done on 9th August 2017.

An awareness programme for students on sexual harassment was conducted by Mrs. Rovina David during the Assembly on 31st August 2017. An awareness programme on sexual harassment for the support staff was conducted by Mrs. Shanthala Banu in Kannada on 31st October 2017. An awareness program for the teaching and the administration staff was conducted by Mrs. Rovina David on 31st October 2017.

An Awareness program was conducted on the 2nd, 9th and 16th February 2018 regarding Cyberspace and related crimes.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL – E – EVOLVE

E-evolve, the entrepreneurship cell of the college began its activities for the academic year 2017-2018 with an orientation program on 16th August 2017.

The Chief Guest for the orientation program were the alumni e-cell students Ms. Varsha .S. Jain and Ms. Husna Begum.

The faculty members of E-cell are Ms. Suriya Naaz -Dept of Commerce, Mrs. Porkodi. S- Dept of Commerce, Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond-Dept. of Management Studies, Dr. Jai Laxmi R- Dept of Hindi and Ms. Vandana M, Dept of Commerce. The e-cell core member student team consists of Ms. Ibtesam Sahana , Ms. Shifa Idrees , Ms. Sufiya Suhail , Ms. Pooja Haran , Ms. Harsha Kankaria , Ms. Sadia Hasham.

The activities that are conducted during the activity hour are \$ One Venture, Think with the Box, What's my Story, Competition-Idea box and Movie Screening. The E-cell students are

undergoing an E-cell certificate course WF NEN 100:- Orientation program in Entrepreneurship E-cell and WF NEN 10:- Basic Program in Entrepreneurship. These activities have helped the students to run their ventures and tuck shops regularly.

Ms. Pooja Haran, III Year B.Com and Ms. Harsha Kankaria, II Year B.Com. attended a two day E-leader's workshop on 21st and 22nd September 2017 at DERBI Foundation, Bangalore.

On 12th September 2017, a Panel Discussion was organized by the E-cell club in association with the department of History. The topic of discussion was "Skilled India- Make In India". The panelists shared their knowledge and highlighted the importance of 'Make In India' products. The students of E-cell showed active participation in organizing the event and there were stalls highlighting the importance of Indian Products.

Following were the ventures in campus:

- **COLOR CRAFTS:-** It is a College Company which is run by the E-cell Students and the products are Paper Bags, Photo Frames, Key Chains and Tiaras.
- **MELTING MOMENTS:-** founded by Ms. Ashika Jain, II B.Com.- The company deals with home-made Chocolates and home-made Doughnuts.
- **THE CREATIVE GALLERY:-** founded by Ms. Pooja A. Haran, II B.Com. – the company deals with Home-made Chocolates, Designer Panel, Dream Catcher Key-chains.
- **JAZZSAM CRAFTS:-** It was started by Ms. Meher Samrah, a student from III BBA with Jaiza Taskeen. It functions as an Instagram craft store. They provide customized handmade gift items like explosion box and greetings to mention few.
- **HUSNA MAKEUP:-** It is run by Ms. Husna Baig, III B.Com. The start-up features trade of makeup and beauty products of various brands like Oriflame, Mac, Kylie Cosmetics, Huda Beauty and Dubai Imports.
- **GILLTER GALLERY:-** It is a start-up focusing on customization of book covers generating a great revenue and customer satisfaction. It is started by Ms. Aliya Khanum.
- **KODESITEL:-** It is a brainchild of Akshita Agarwal and two other partners. The start-up comprises of budding entrepreneurs helping other start-ups set their foot in the market by developing websites.

E-week

The E-week was held from 5th February 2018 to 12th February 2018 with the theme "Live Your Entrepreneurial Dream! Break Barriers, Create Wealth, Change India". With E-week we were able to tap the hidden talents of our students and were able to create a healthy atmosphere in our college campus by uniting all the students irrespective of their combinations.

The events that were conducted during the E-week were Treasure Hunt and Idea Generation, Merchandise Designing, Mad-Ads, Film Making and Fashion Show. The most happening event of E-week was Panel Discussion. It was an event where we had entrepreneurs sharing their experiences and encouraged the students to work towards being an entrepreneur. Some of the other events were school outreach and social entrepreneurship. Our E-cell students visited

United Mission Primary School and YWCA School and conducted color craft and wealth out of waste workshop for the school students. The outreach program helped in creating awareness and promoting entrepreneurship.

A small step not only taught us about what little things we can do but also put a smile on the childrens' faces . There was a social entrepreneurship activity wherein the students visited the YWCA'S Women's Wing and conducted a workshop on Silk Thread Jewellery Making and Paper Bags. The week long activities came to an end with the finale being conducted in New Delhi on 24th February 2018.

International Women's Day

On 9th March 2018, the E-cell students celebrated International Women's Day with the YWCA unit on the theme "Women against Violence – Break the Silence, Stop the Violence". The E-cell students enacted a skit cum dance showcasing the violence against Women and the measures to fightback.

Entrepreneurship Dialogue

In collaboration with UNDP (United Nations Development Programme) the college conducted a Entrepreneurship Dialogue – Hackathon on 24th March 2018. It was a wonderful opportunity for us to collaborate with UNDP which is an esteemed organization working in the area of Women's Development. The activity was conducted by UNDP in such a manner wherein the students actively took part. After the inaugural session, the students were sent out to four different rooms based on their choice of theme such as 1) Finance 2) Marketing which were considered as challenges and 3) Technology 4) Innovation as opportunities for the Entrepreneurs. In each room there was a entrepreneur as a panelist who shared their stories of entrepreneurial journey and two of our students were moderator and a rapporteur who facilitated the entire session. In the second session each room was further divided into four groups wherein each group, after a brain storming session, came out with an entrepreneurial idea and strategies to pursue it. The presentations were judged by the panelist and the best presentation was selected for the finale. Out of 16 presentations, 4 presentations were selected for the final round and then the best presentation was chosen and awarded.

Asst. Prof.. Suriya Naaz,
Convenor

STUDENT WELFARE

Student Welfare Committee members

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla(Convenor), Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond(Co-Convenor)
Dr. Narasimhan K, Mrs. Sunila Kumari S , Ms. Vidya Shree, Ms. Anitha Clarin, Mrs. Manjula M

Student Council

President – Ms. Pooja Sharma, Vice President – Ms. Sufiya Suhail, General Secretary – Ms. Zaina Mymoon, Cultural Secretary – Ms. Cecilia ,Sports Secretary – Ms. Daniya Begum, Treasurer – Tanu Sharma, Literary Co-ordinator – Cecilia Juanita, Chapel Prefect – Libnah Sherine, SCM prefect –JebaJyothi

The Student Welfare Committee along with the student council for the year 2017-18 conducted the following activities in the college

- An orientation for the first year degree students was conducted on 23rd June 2017.
- The class elections for class prefects, class cultural prefects, class sports prefects, class chapel prefects was held on 6th July 2017.
- The investiture for the newly elected student council and class representatives was held on 19th July 2017. Rev. Noel Prabhuraj, National Director, VBS Ministries was the chief guest for the event.
- The counselling and guidance session for the student council and prefects was organised on 25th July 2017. Mr. Aaron Watson, HR Consultant, Sinai Global conducted a session on leadership training. Our faculty members Ms. Jyothi BG(Dept. of Economics),Dr. Vijayshri R (Dept. of Psychology), Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran (Dept. of Home Science) also gave valuable inputs to students during this programme.
- The Freshers' Day Programme was organised on 29th July 2017.
- Teachers' Day Celebration was held on 5th September 2017.
- The annual inter collegiate cultural fest DISHA-2017 with the theme COALESCENCE – 'Building Bridges , Celebrating Differences' was organised on 26th and 27th September 2017.The chief guest was Mr. Madhu Bangarappa (MLA, Sorab Constituency, Karnataka).The Guest of Honour for the event was Mrs. Anitha Madhu Bangarappa . Around 50 colleges participated in the event.
- Inter class competitions were held from 29th January 2018 to 5th February 2018. Around 20 events were organised for the students. The events were Poem Writing and Reciting, Rangoli Making ,Solo Singing ,Quiz, Creative Writing, Pot Painting, Group Singing, Best Out of Waste, Debate, Mehendi ,Instrument Playing , Pick and Speak, Sketching Solo Dance ,Street Play, T-shirt Designing ,Group Dance ,Fashion Show, Photography and Film Making. There was active participation for all the events.
- Fashion week was organised from 19th March 2018 to 23rd March 2018.The fashion week concluded with the ethnic day.
- The student council election for the year 2018-19 was held on 28th March 2018.The candidates campaigned on 22nd and 23rd March and candidates addressed the students on 26th March 2018 during a special assembly.

- The Thanksgiving and Valedictory in honour of the class of 2018 was held on 24th April 2018. The programme was this year themed as “Bloom Where You Are Planted” and the Chief Guest was Dr. Latha Christie, Author and Speaker, Scientist G and Associate Director, DRDO, Ministry of Defence.
- Our students participated in many inter collegiate fests and won many prizes in various events

Asst. Prof. Ann Kuruvilla and Asst. Prof. Leena Jyotsna Raymond

Convenors

ECO WATCH CLUB: (GO GREEN AND CLEAN)

The club mainly focused on making the campus green and cleans with many innovative gardening practices. Students from all the combinations actively participated in creating a beautiful canteen garden. Students also painted the walls with graffiti depicting the culture and heritage of Karnataka.

Awareness program was another step taken by the club to promote clean-green environment. The members took part in the awareness program on August 15th for the flower show held at Lalbagh Botanical Gardens.

The club organized various competitions on the occasion of the Eco day. Some of the competitions conducted were:

Rain water harvesting model

Painting on sustainable development

Wealth out of waste

Patch Garden

The winners of these various competitions were awarded along with the leaders of the club for their service and dedication.

This year the club organized a trip to Hulimaavu Biocenter on 17th March 2018 to study farming and hybridization techniques.

A National conference on redefining globalization was organized as a green initiative on the 4th April. The inauguration ceremony was graced by Dr. Vishnukant Chatpalli, Advisor, NAAC, Dr. Krishna Raj, Prof. Institute for Social and Economic change, Srilekha, Convenor, student for development, Karnataka chapter and Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal of the college. Three eminent speakers spoke about World as a family Vs Globalization. They emphasized on Eco friendly approach, conservative approach, treatment approach in the context of globalization. They insisted that we should take care of our environment like how we take care of our family to sustain it for future generations. This conference instilled in all the students a sense of responsibility to sustain our environment for our need and not for our greed.

Prof. Susanna P,

Convenor

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL – IQAC

The IQAC met twice in the year 2017 in the month of March and November and planned various programmes and activities.

The Programmes planned in March are as follows:

1. Starting of new courses in B Sc
2. Starting of M Sc Psychology
3. Departments were asked to prepare PPT in the activities conducted by them and presentation of PPT was done in January 2018.
4. It was discussed to start Internal Complaints Committee and it was implemented this academic year.
5. In the meeting it was decided to start Fashion Designing and Interior Decoration.

The Second IQAC meeting was held in the month of November 2017 and discussed the following:

1. The Bangalore University has given its consent to start M Sc Psychology from the year 2017-18.
2. Permission was given by the University to start new combinations in B Sc – Chemistry, Zoology, Biotechnology, Nutrition and Dietetics, Chemistry, Zoology and Chemistry, Botany, Zoology.
3. The staff members were divided into 7 groups criteria wise to prepare the Self Study Report for NAAC re-accreditation.
4. It was planned in the meeting to invite members of the United Board arranged by Madras Christian College to extend their assistance in preparing SSR in the month of February 2018.
5. It was recommended to start Advance Diploma in Accounting and Business offered by ACCA, UK.
6. The humanities and the science were asked to conduct National Seminar in the month of March and April 2018.

Activities in January 2018 onwards:

The IQAC team met the staff members and distributed the files for the 7 criteria and had discussions. The UB team comprising of two members Dr. Marcus Dreper Boominthan, former Principal, Bishop Heber College, Trichy and Dr. M Jayar Jebanesan, former Principal, Scott Christian College, Nagarcoil deputed by Madras Christian College visited our college on 20th February 2018. The team visited the departments, classrooms and facilities. The Principal presented the profile of the college through PPT. Each department showcased their activities through PPT. After that visit the peer team gave a detailed report about the Institutional strengths, weaknesses, institutional opportunities and challenges. They also highlighted on best practices of the College.

A one day orientation was conducted by the UB peer team. For consultation with UB peer team 5 colleges – BCWCC, BCLC, Goodwill Christian College for Women, United Mission Degree

College and BC Academy were invited. Resource person Dr. Marcus Boominathan explained the requirements for all 7 criteria and Dr. M Jayer Jebanesan briefed about the assessment – qualitative and quantitative and students’ feedback.

The Humanities department conducted a National Conference ‘On Becoming Women is crafting the female self in the private and public spheres’ in the month of March The Science departments conducted National Seminar in the Month of April 2018.

The IQAC team met some of the staff from Humanities, Science, BBA, Commerce and BCA and were asked to divided the students into groups of 20-25 and the names were allotted to the staff for mentoring. The team also discussed with alumni association to have its alumni meet in April and also to collect Rs. 500/- from the present final year students towards associations.

The team met with y-unit and SCM unit and discussed about signing an MOU with YWCA and SCM. The department of Botany was asked to start a medicinal garden and to get the Botanical name plates for the plants and trees in the college campus. The team also met the staff concerned to prepare questionnaires, preparing a questionnaire for student feedback. All the clubs and committees were asked to be ready with their reports with photographs by May 2018.

Prof. Grace Premila Victor,
Convenor.

LEGAL LITERACY PROGRAMME

The Legal Literacy Programme for the year 2017- 2018 was organised for II BCOM students. The main focus of the programme was ‘Women and Law’. The resource persons for the programme were the faculty from our sister institution Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian Law College.

This legal awareness programme comprised of four sessions. The **first session** was about the rights of women under Hindu personal law. It included marriage and divorce laws that are followed in different religions and brief discussion about Special Marriage Act.

The **second session** was organized to provide awareness to the students regarding the legal aspects of domestic violence. The programme was designed to provide insight and to understand the key concepts, review and to discuss the phenomenon of Domestic violence.

The **third session** was about the Cyber crimes and protection for women according to Information Technology Act, 2000. The session also had a discussion about the World Women’s Day.

The **fourth session** was organised to throw light on various legal aspects pertaining to Article 14 (Equality of gender), Article 21(Right to life), Section 299 (Culpable homicide). Further videos relating to offences and penalties under the law for activities such as Foeticide, Abortions and Infanticide were played during the session about to create awareness.

All the sessions were interactive. The programme made the students to be aware of women’s rights, their duties, various legal procedures and legal remedies. The sessions were not only interesting and informative but also helped in knowledge building for the students.

Asst. Prof. Porkodi S,
Convenor.

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

Orientation:

On 10th August 2017, NSS unit conducted orientation for all the NSS Volunteers. Dr. Gayathri M S, HOD, Department of Botany and NSS Programme Officer of Goodwill Christian College inaugurated the programme. The Chief Guest addressed the students on various activities of NSS at the National Level. Further the students were given knowledge about the formation of NSS.

Independence Day:

The NSS unit celebrated Independence Day in our college campus on 15th August 2017. Our Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar hoisted the National Flag and addressed the gathering. This was followed by a cultural programme performed by NSS Volunteers and NCC Cadets.

Special Assembly:

A special assembly was conducted by NSS volunteers on 17th August 2017. NSS Volunteer enacted a play on Women Rights and Child Marriage.

Shramadhana:

As a part of Shramadhana programme, cleanliness campaign was held on 22nd September 2017. NSS Volunteers addressed in the college campus regarding maintenance of cleanliness and hygiene.

Awareness Programme:

NSS Volunteers painted the cafeteria wall in college campus as a part of Awareness Campaign Signage. The painting depicted the cleanliness habits to be maintained in the cafeteria.

Republic Day

On 26th January 2018 along with the NCC Cadets, the NSS students Union Members and the students of BCWCC celebrated Republic Day.

NSS Special Camp:

The NSS unit organized a Special Camp from 14th February to 20th February 2018 at St. Paul's Church, Robertsonpet, KGF. The Special Camp was inaugurated on 14th February 2018 by the Chief Guest Rev. Robin Marshall, Presbyter of St. Paul's Church, KGF, Guest of Honor Rev. Usha Rani, Presbyter of St. Mathews Church and St. John's Church, KGF.

Guest Lectures were conducted for the volunteers on topics such as "Role of Youth in Community" by Mr. Ashish Babu and Mr. Joshua Marvin, Helping Hands Bangalore. The NSS Volunteers contributed towards the Helping Hands outreach programme.

An interactive session on the topic “Personal Health and Hygiene – Physical Fitness” was conducted by Dr. Savitha, Private Doctors Association.

The Volunteers visited Government School, Pottapanahalli, KGF and addressed the students on personal hygiene and moral values. NSS Volunteers also donated books to the students.

The unit also conducted an awareness campaign on Segregation of Dry and Wet Waste among the residence of Pottapanahalli, KGF.

Regular assemblies and Cultural activities were also conducted by the NSS Volunteers as part of the NSS Special Camp.

Outreach Programme:

The NSS Volunteers visited Sinclairs High School, Child Care Centre, Hennur Bande, Bangalore as part of the outreach programme on 13th April 2018. The volunteers conducted cultural programme for the kids, taught craft work and contribution in kind was given.

Asst. Prof. Jenifer Soniya S
NSS Programme Officer

REMEDIAL CLASS

Remedial Classes were conducted by various departments during remedial hour, class and lunch hours. Faculty members have identified the weak students on their performance in the university exam and have given assignments and class tests to improve their academic performance. Extra classes have been taken by few staff also.

Asst. Prof. Chaya Anilkumar,
Convenor.

GOSPEL FEST - EXALTED

The inter-collegiate Gospel fest EXALTED was conducted for aspirants assembling from various colleges with very high competitive spirit to showcase their God given talent.

For the preceding academic year 2017, we had organized our Gospel fest based on the theme "Inside Out-Change your Game" (Romans 12:2) with enthusiasm and determination among the new set of student co-ordinators, student volunteers and faculty co-ordinators on 18th August 2017. It was a one day event that filled our campus with a multitude of talents from an array of colleges in Bangalore.

The theme says to "be transformed by the renewing of your mind". The event was successful enough to attract as many as 24 colleges, 14 from Degree and 10 from PUC. The fest was executed with a total of 10 events planned and organised at its best quality such as: Ice Breaker,

Western Singing, Vernacular Singing, Walk the Bible, Street Play, Bible Quiz, Pot Puree, Treasure Hunt, Creative Writing and Choreography.

The co-ordinators for the fest were:-

Staff Co-ordinators: •Dr. Grace Premila, •Mrs. Harshini Esther •Ms. Vidya Shree. R

Student Co-ordinators: •Libnah Sherin Wilson •Jeba Jyothi •Precilla Sheeba(PUC)

Before the commencement of the main events, the inauguration took place with an opening prayer by the SCM co-ordinator which was then followed by a meaningful praise and worship session led by the college choir. A portion from the Bible was read by the PUC chapel co-ordinator after which our Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar addressed the gathering. This was then followed by lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries. The chief guest for the day, Dr. Jacob Swamynathan inspired us with a message on the theme. The Principal then declared the fest open.

It was a fruitful day with good participation, co-ordination and team work by the staff and students of our college. The overall trophy was bagged by the students of Christ University and the runners up were St. Aloysius College.

We, as a Cottonian family are thankful to God for helping us have a meaningful fest this year.

Prof. Grace Premila Victor,
Convenor.

COLLEGE CHOIR

The Choir forms an integral part of every program of the college. The year began with auditions in the month of July. Students from all the three years enrolled themselves for the auditions and 30 students were selected. The Choir met regularly for practice during the activity hour on Fridays.

Hymns and special songs were selected in relevance to the theme of a program. The PUC and the Degree Choir students came together for special programmes held in the College - St. Peter's Day, Investiture, Gospel Fest and Christmas Carol Service. The highlight of the year was the 40 member strong choir for the Christmas Program with the theme "Be Born In Me" with soulful solos, duets and quartets. The choir enthralled the audience.

The Choir also took part in a number of Inter-Collegiate competitions and programs and won the following prizes. The College Choir won the I place in 'Vernacular Singing' and III Place in 'Western Solo' at East Parade Church. They also won the 'over runner up trophy' in the competition. **At the Vincent Palotti Christmas Choral Competition, our College Choir won the II prize with a cash award of Rs. 5000/.**

Asst. Prof. Rita Josephine Eve K, Asst. Prof. Reeja Esther
Asst. Prof. Rachel Joshua, Asst. Prof. Adeline Rebecca
Convenors.

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT OF INDIA – SCM

The SCM unit of our college has a rich legacy of creative activities, faith initiatives and social action. In the academic years, SCM Continued and amplified it's creative presence in campus in various ways and forms. Our students and senior friends creatively led the movement.

We are in the process of enhancing our capabilities to inspire and equip the student community to realize their creative potential and to respond positively to the call to be social transformers.

The unit membership comprises of students and senior friends with the total of 105.

The following are the programme which our students attended in the present year.

- In the XXVIII Annual general committee meeting which was held in Kerala, President Ms. Jeba represented SCM Karnataka and was elected in the SCM Executive and Constitutional body of the SCM for the year 2017-2019.
- Our unit president Ms. Jeba represented SCM India in an international youth camp which was held in Germany.
- Ms. Rachel, Ms. Dharshini and Ms. Monica represented our SCM unit in a documentary screening in support of a women's rights which was held in SCM house Bangalore.
- In the National level leadership training programme which was held in Punjab, our students Ms.Libnah, Ms.Mercy and Ms. Hepsibah represented SCM Karnataka which was jointly organized by SCMI and IAPCHE.
- Our Unit students actively took part in a competition which was organized by the 1st year MSW students of St. Joseph's College in collaboration with SCMI which took place in the SCM House Bangalore. Ms Jeba, Ms. Kedsiya, Ms. Rachel, Ms. Alisan, Ms. Aishwarya and Ms. Claron participated in various activities.
- Our Students Ms. Kriti, Ms. Kedsiya , Ms. Hepsibah and Ms. Jeba represented our unit in the Mara Mara (Discussion under the tree) in the SCM House Bangalore regarding the violence against women in our Society.
- Ms. Kedsiya, Ms. Kriti, Ms. Hepsibah and Ms. Jeba actively took part in the students Manifesto for the upcoming Karnataka election.
- With regard to the celebration of Women's Day, the SCM organized a movie screening regarding the Delhi Gang rape Case. Our Students Ms. Sherlin, Ms. Rachel, Ms. Mary, Ms. Mini Diana and Ms. Jeba actively took in the group discussion which enlightened their views on the status of women of the Indian Society.

All our activities and achievements are the result of our Lord's immense grace and the team work of our Students, Staff advisors and Senior friends.

Asst. Prof. Sonu Sujit David
Convener, SCM

Compiled by Ms. S Jeba Jyothi Jansi Rani
President, SCM

STAFF WELFARE

A free Eye-Check Up was organized in collaboration with 'Lawrence & Mayo' on 29th August 2017 for the Staff.

The Staff Welfare also arranged a Farewell to Mrs. Jaysree (Office Administrative Staff) on 23rd February 2018. She attained superannuation on 6th February 2018.

Assoc. Prof. Prathiba David and Asst. Prof. Rita Josephine Eve K,
Convenors

YWCA – Y UNIT

Y-unit Poster Making Competition:

Theme: “Women empowerment and Harassment”

The competition was held on 20th January 2017 in Dept of Physics. 12 students participated and won prizes .

World Day of prayer: 3rd March 2017:

World day of prayer was held on 10th March 2017 in mission compound YWCA office. Student from Y-unit attended the prayer day. 20 students were present. Rev. Sanjay Samuel was invited as a special speaker for the day. The prayer theme was mainly for Philippines country.

YWCA –PROGRAM

(ECO FRIENDLY FASHION SHOW ON ST.JOSEPH COLLEGE) on 17.08.2017

Dressed modestly eco friendly material was used and hand made by student. The student won consolation prize for this competition.

World Day of prayer: March 2018:

Suriname: All God's creation is very good.

YWCA of Bangalore city organized world prayer day on 02.03.2018 for the country Suriname. On the theme All God's creation is very Good. The speaker of the day was Ms. Sushanna, a doctoral student from United Theological College, Bangalore.

Young men's Christian Association (YMCA)

Rotary Bangalore peenya and Lions club of Bangalore pyramid jointly organized – 33rd Sir C.V Raman English and Prof. T. Reuben Kannada Collegiate Public Speaking Competition -2018 on 27.02.2018.

Our YWCA students were invited for the competition.

Ms. Shelrin III B.Com. and S. Jeba Jyothi III B.Com. participated and Ms. Shelrin won the consolation prize. Ms. S. Jeba Jyothi III B.Com C won the Best performer award

YWCA: Organized Solarium on Activity hour.

Mrs. Anitha from Campus crusade was invited to take the activity hour and enrich the student on 08.03. 2018

Asst. Prof. Anitha Clarin,
Convenor.

ROTARACT CLUB

The installation of the office bearers for the year 2017-18 was held on 12th August 2017. The Chief Guest was Rtn. Divakar Marathe President of Banashankari Rotary, Rtn. Raghunandan, Rtn. Prasanna Hegde, Rtn. S. N. Gowda, Rtn. Hemachandra and DRR Rtr. Naveen.P.

HIP-HOP Workshop:

On 15th August Hip-Hop workshop was organized and the instructor was Naveen who has its own Dance Academy-Aarav's Academy. It was a fund raiser event. All the Rotaractors had a lot a great time by learning Hip-Hop. This event raised adequate funds for the club.

Distribution of Books and Stationeries

On August 14th 2017, Government School of Lakkenahalli, Tumkur. The program began with welcome address by principal of school & Rtn. Divakar Marathe & Rtr. Sriveda addressed the gathering followed by distribution of 500 books & geometry box to 150 students. The students were extremely happy to receive new books.

Independence Day-Inauguration of Free Health Check-up Camp

The main aim of the camp is that on every second Saturday of each month we will be having a Free Health Check-up Camp for people who cannot afford health check-up. The inauguration started with lighting of the lamp by Rtn. Divakar Marathe, Rtn. S. N. Gowda, Rtn. Hemachandra, Rtn. Raman sir to mark the beginning of great cause followed by Health Check-up which included the check of the BP level, Diabetes, blood check-up etc for more than 50 people. This cause can be a great start for people to get health checked for free of cost second Saturday of every month. This inauguration ended with high hopes of providing Health Check-up for people who can't afford.

Ashvattha-DLTW-27th August 2017, PES.

All the office bearers attended Ashvattha-DLTW. Taking up the post is not a great thing but getting educated by the best of best guides about responsibility of each post is the great thing. DLTW team gave us great opportunity to not only learn about our responsibilities but also, how to best execute them.

Housie Activity-September 1st 2017 Refreshing Ancient Games.

All the Rotaractors were very enthusiastic and enjoyed the game. Rtr. Akansha won the maximum number of prizes.

Teacher's Day Celebration-5th Sept 2017.

Celebration started by collaring president followed by cake cutting. Teachers spoke few words to the Rotaractors regarding their experience in Rotaract Club. Special dance performance by Rtr.Bhumika to make celebrations even more lively.

RotaTech(Science Exhibition & Competition)- 9th September 2017, Kairalee Nilayam School.

HAL Technical society along with Rotary and Rotaract Bangalore West organized RotoTech 2017 which is a Science Exhibition and Competition. Our club volunteered in RotaTech.

Campus Cleaning 17th Sept 2017.

Keeping place clean around us is everyone's responsibility. Our club took an initiative to clean the campus. Our main focus was to remove plastic covers and wastes around the plants which affect growth the plants. This even made us realise how difficult it is to clean the campus. We had more respect towards the cleaning stuff in our college after this activity. At the end, seeing the campus so clean we were filled with satisfaction.

Dandiya Dhammal (Dance for a Cause)- 23rd Sept 2017, Government Girls High School.

Dancing is always fun but dancing for a cause is even more fun. We were supporting club for Dandiya Dhammal which was organized by Bangalore Rotaract West.

MegaTrek- 23rd Sept 2017, Madhugiri Betta.

A total of 1853 Rotaractors had trekked on Asia's second largest monolith- Madhugiri making a Guinness world record and our club name is mentioned in Indian Book of Records too.

Envelope Decoration was organized on Sept 29th 2017. Rotaractors decorated envelopes creatively and same was sold to raise funds.

CANDLE MAKING WORKSHOP-6th October 2017. Main motive was to teach Rotaractors how to make candles. This workshop was fun filled & creative section where all Rotaractors were completely involved in making diyas.

Book Drive- 7th Oct 2017

Bhumi is one of India's largest independent youth volunteer non-profit organisation. Bhumi capitalises on the volunteering force of Indian youth & helps poor children to realise their potential & works towards building libraries in government schools. Our club volunteered to give books to Bhumi Organization by collecting novels, fictions, dictionaries, used & old books from Rotaractors by organizing Book Drive in college. At the end of Book Drive, we collected more than 100 books & handed to Bhumi Organization volunteer.

VISIT TO KARUNASHRAYA- 20th Oct 2017

Karunashraya provides free professional palliative care for advanced stage cancer patients who are beyond cure.

It was our wish to celebrate Diwali with these special people. As soon we went, we had a very fun & interactive time with them. Then we played housie game with them. Gave flower bouquets & sweets to 3 winners of the game. Followed by dance & song performance. At the end we distributed diyas, non-polluting crackers & sweets. We had best Diwali ever by celebrating in Karunashraya and interacting with people there.

Drawing Competition on 15th Sept 2017

On occasion of Children's Day, we organized Drawing Competition for students of 1st - 5th classes in YWCA. Topics were Nature & Festivals.

Children were enthusiastic & enjoyed a lot while drawing. We Rtrs relived our childhood school days & had a great time interacting with kids. All the drawings were artful & it was difficult for us to select the best ones. At last we distributed trophies to the winners & chocolates to all the kids.

ANNADATA - 9th January 2018

Annadata focuses towards distributing hot, nutritious & homemade food to poor, needy and hungry 50 people. Our belief is that food should be served in an equitable and friendly manner. We distributed food at K.R. Market for homeless people. We were satisfied and happy by seeing happiness in their eyes. They not only ate food but in turn blessed us. Receiving blessings from them was the best thing about this project. Our club has decided to conduct Annadata every month to spread happiness.

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Child Abuse Awareness Program(PANTS) 17th - 20th January 2018

With the increasing incidents of sexual abuse and fatal incidents with children, teaching children the difference between the good touch and bad touch is extremely important. Children below age 10 lack the knowledge about good and bad touch.

Considering this our club & RaC Bangalore SouthWest started PANTS.

We start the program with icebreaker session followed by a video clip which conveys the meaning of PANTS then a scenario session and at the end we speak with kids individually by asking few personal questions to know if the kid is undergoing any kind of abuse. If we come across any kid going through sexual abuse we inform HM about the kid and we provide counselling to the kid.

So far, we have covered 10 schools and 200 children, among which 5 children have faced child abuse in their past.

ICYE

Letter head exchange with Rotaract Club Chandigarh Midtown (RID 3080). On 15th February we hosted 2 Rtrs. Rtr.Harsh Godara (President of Rotaract Club of Chandigarh) and Kevin Singh (Sergeant at Arms of Rotaract Club of Chandigarh).

RotaFest

Middle School in the following events: Sangam-RotaFest organized by Rotaract District council in association with RaClubs of Bangalore B.I.T. and Presidency College.

Day 1: 9 Children had participated from United Mission

Solo Dance- 2 participation, Group Dance, Solo Singing, Drawing

We won two places in Solo Dance:

2nd Place by Johnson and 3rd Place by Sandeep

Day 2: Our Club Participated in Fashion Show, Street Play, Solo Dance (2 Participants) and Photography.

Awareness among the Rotaractors about Basic Life Hacks:

On 2nd March 2017, Rtr. Saniya created awareness among the Rotaractors about basic life hacks which are very important to save a person's life in the absence of a doctor.

Demonstration on DECOUPAGE:

On 15th March 2018 Mrs. Saadia Hameed, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce conducted demonstration on Decoupage for Rotaractors. It was very fun filled session where Rotaractors got to learn new art form.

RotaMela:

RotaMela was organized on 21st March 2018. Totally 5 tuck shops were put by Rotaractors and they sold food items. Through this event adequate funds were raised for a cause. At the end of the event Rotaractors had a great experience.

Zumba Session:

The much-awaited Zumba session was organized by our club on 31st March during the International ROTACAMP-PRAYAAG organized by Rotaract District Council 3190. This session was organized to have fun filling physical activity for all the Rotaractors

Prof. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran and Asst. Prof. Manjula M,
Convenors

YOUTH RED CROSS SOCIETY

Development of personality through community service”, this is the unique system that the Red Cross Society has adapted to impress upon the youth. The importance of serving our society with self-less thoughts, self-less deeds helps to build good rapport with others and boosts the development of one’s personality.

The college Youth Red Cross Society celebrated Independence Day and Republic Day with a great patriotism in the college campus. The salute was taken by the Principal, Staff and the students.

HIV - Awareness Program was held on 20th March 2018. The program was conducted by Dr. Shirley Thomas, Consultant MBBS, DNB – General Medicine, PG-DIP in ID, fellowship in HIV medicine from Baptist Hospital, Bangalore

The blood donation camp in collaboration with Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology was organized on 27th March 2018 in the college seminar Hall in the aid of cancer patients. Every donor was presented with the certificate and the institution was awarded with a special certificate and memento.

The response was immense as 57 units of blood was collected from the staff and students and donated to Kidwai Hospital.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda,
PED/ Nodal Officer

NATIONAL CADET CORPS – NCC

The NCC activities, camps and parades are as follows:-

The regular activities of the NCC unit began with NCC Enrollment of students for the year 2017-2018, on the 27th July 2017.

There was a good response from both PUC and Degree students in their physical fitness through a number of races and shuttle.

The GCI along with a PI staff from 1 Karnataka Girls Battalion was present for the Enrollment and the GCI highlighted the benefits of NCC.

47 girls were selected and became a part of the NCC Unit for the year 2017-2018, and attended a number of camps.

Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC), 10 Cadets along with the ANO attended this Camp. The Camp was held from 2nd June 2017 to 13th June 2017 at SJP College.

On 15th August 2017 Independence Day was celebrated with the NCC Cadets, the NSS Students, Union Members and the students of BCWCC.

OTA Gwalior Camp- SUO Swathi. S attended the OTA camp which was held from 12th May 2017 to 24th May 2017.

Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC), 9 Cadets attended this Camp. The Camp was held from 3rd October 2017 to 12th October 2017 at Gnanadeep campus.

DG Visit - Our College cadets attended DG visit meeting in Christ College on 15th September 2017.

Para Basic course was attended by SOU Swathi. S conducted in Agra from 1st November 2017 to 24th November 2017.

Republic Day- on 26th January 2018 along with the NCC Cadets, the NSS students Union Members and the students of BCWCC celebrated Republic Day.

DDG Commendation was attended by SOU Swathi. S on 4th February at NMKRV College.

Lt. Bhavya N.P

Associate NCC Officer

ENDOWMENT PRIZES

For students securing highest marks in the University Examination 2016-2017.

- **J Balamani Krishnappa Memorial Prize: Instituted by (Late) Mrs. Supriya Steele (well-wisher of the College) for:**

I B.A. – Punyo Kampu

II B.A. – Noor-e-Saba

III B.A. – Amritha C Jadwani

- **Mrs. Grace Moses Prize: Instituted by Mr. Davis Moses for:**

I B.Sc. – Rajashree J Bani

II B.Sc. – Pooja Parihar K

III B.Sc. – S Divya

- **Rt. Rev. & Mrs. Wharton, Bishop of New Castle, UK Prize for:**

I B.Com. – Monica N J

II B.Com. –Pooja Bhandari

III B.Com.- Praneetha M P

- **Mrs. Elizabeth Joseph Prize: Former Principal of the College and School for the Degree student in Optional English: Saniya Anjum**

- **Supreme Universe International Travel Agent & Tour Organisers Special Prize for:**

Journalism –Anusha Manju

Political Science – Amritha C Jadwani

- **Rasarushi Kuvempu Puraskara for Kannada: Kumari S – III BCA**

- **Munshi Premchand Saahithya Ratna Puraskar for Hindi: Srishti Chauhan - III B.Com. B**

- **M/s Crazy Holidays Prize for Home Science : Hunaiba Fathima**

- **Picasso Animation College Prize: for B.Sc. Computer Science: B.Sc. – Monisha R**

- **Mr. S D Mark Memorial Prize: for Botany – S Divya**

- **Ms. Sanghita Sen Memorial Prize for:**

History – Amritha C Jadwani

Economics – Amritha C Jadwani

Sociology – Dickyi Dolkar

Psychology – Meer Nida Fathima (B.Sc.)

- **Mr. Mathew Philip Memorial Prize: For the student securing highest marks in III BBA: Divya Gusain**
- **GEMS – B School and MMIHE, Bengaluru Special Prize: For Accountancy (BBA) – : Amreen Tazeen S**
- **Mr. Mehboob Shariff Memorial Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in III BCA: Surekha S**
- **Dr. & Dr. (Mrs) Gemson Prize: For Mathematics – Raheela Khanum**
- **Dr. & Dr. (Mrs) Gemson Prize: For Physics – Raheela Khanum**
- **CITO Infotech Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru Special Prize: For Chemistry – S Divya**
- **Sri Raksha Special Prize: For Auditing (B.Com.) – Naseema Banu**

SPECIAL AWARDS – 2018

BEST OUTGOING STUDENT:

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| B.A. | - Noor-e-Saba |
| B.SC. | - Pooja Parihar K |
| B.COM. | - D Sonali – III B.Com. A |
| BBA | - Ibetsam Shahana |
| BCA | - K S Sridevi |
| M.COM. | - Husna Samiulla |

BEST ALL-ROUNDER:

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| B.A. | - Diana Evangeline |
| B.SC. | - Daniya Begum |
| B. COM. | - Madhuri M – III B.Com. C |
| BBA | - Sufiya Suhail |
| BCA | - Akshita Agarwal |
| M.COM. | - Shalini PC |

BEST IN CO-CURRICULAR:

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| B.A. | - Ashmita Saha |
| B.SC. | - Monalisa Majhi |
| B.COM. | - Rachel Eunice R – III B.Com. B |
| BBA | - Ruthika Jain |
| BCA | -Akshita Agarwal |
| M.COM. | -Nayana M |

BEST PREFECT: Mercy A Lazar – III BBA

BEST LEADERSHIP: Pooja Sharma – III B.Com. B

BEST SPORTSPERSON: Daniya Begum – III B.Sc.

BEST NSS VOLUNTEER: Cecila S – III B.Com. C

BEST NCC CADET: Madhuri M – III B.Com. C

YOUTH RED CROSS VOLUNTEER: Janani – III B.Sc.

BEST E-CELL LEADER: a) Pooja Haran – III B.Com. B (b) Ibetsam Shahana – III BBA

BEST ROTARACTOR: a) Akshitha Agarwal – III BCA (b) K S Sriveda – III BCA

BEST ECO-CLUB LEADER: Pooja Parihar – III B.Sc.

BEST SCM STUDENT: Jeba Jyothi – III B.Com. B

BEST CHAPEL PREFECT: Libnah Sherin W – III BBA

BEST NEWSBOARD: III B.Com. C

BEST BULLETIN BOARD: Department of Political Science

BEST TUCK SHOP: III B.Sc.

BEST CLASS: III B.Com. C

ANNUAL REPORT 2016 - 2017

Good evening Honoured Guests, Ladies & Gentlemen and the Graduating Class of 2017. It is with great pleasure we welcome you to share in this celebration of achievement and accomplishment where we have come to honour the graduating students who have spent three to five years in this green campus.

On this momentous occasion, I would like to take this opportunity to extend a warm welcome to our honourable Bishop of Karnataka Central Diocese, Rt. Rev. Dr. Prasanakumar Samuel, Chairman of the Board of Management and the Presiding Dignitary of this evening. It is our privilege to have a renowned academician, Dr. Abraham Ebenezer, Former Principal, Bishop Cotton Boys' High School, Rajyotsava Awardee for Excellence in Education and Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, Former President of India Award for Best Educationist as our Chief Guest for this evening. Greetings and a warm welcome to all the Heads of Institutions, Donors of the Endowment Prizes, Members of the Board of Management, Members of the academic and non – teaching fraternity.

We, as the Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College family have been riding on the wheel of hope which has taken us to greater heights, gaining momentum, fine tuning us towards every opportunity that lies in our path and emboldening us to practice integrity, to embrace the impossible and fathom the world of endless expectations.

As – Michael Altshuler puts it...

“The bad news is time flies. The good news is you're the pilot”. Everyone is a pilot of one's own time and we at Cottons are trying to pack events between one valedictory and the other. Being a college of higher learning we are forever trying to handle the changing scenarios with expertise and aiming to go beyond the ordinary.

Education is a continuous process...with globalization and the rate of information flow in this day and age....one must be prepared to shed outdated information and relearn to stay relevant. We have been constantly realigning ourselves with the shifts of technology and instituting new gadgets to further our efforts in providing to our students the ambience of a true learning temple.

The push for a holistic education was made years ago but it was never as effective as in this academic year with numerous programmes and activities. In short, we are stressing the importance of a rounded education.

Our students have done us proud by securing accolades in all round performance in both curricular and co-curricular. They have engaged in various outreach programmes which have earned them points for their profile.

To our graduating students this evening, I congratulate you on a job well done. For having come this far...which only tells you that the journey does not stop here. On the other hand, the college has been a platform which hands you over to a new phase of life. Inhale hope in every breath you take because it breathes life into every person.

The success and laurels that you take away from this institution today, have a significant background story. We need to acknowledge the dedicated and tireless work rendered by our

teaching fraternity who from time to time have nurtured you, moulded you and polished you into the academic bent of mind. You may leave the portals of this institution but these amazing memories that lie embedded in you will many a time later in life surface, to give that reminder and push, to move.

Not to forget another important group whom we need to salute this evening are you, our dear parents, who have breathed their life into you...giving the best, very often trying to rise above limitations to give their daughters nothing but the best. We extend our appreciation to you for unselfishly giving your cooperation to your children and to the institution.

On this momentous occasion, I take pride in announcing that we have signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Concordia University, New York, USA to help our students in higher academic programmes once they leave our portals. Such ventures with foreign universities are being launched out. Certificate courses and Foundation courses to enable students to enhance themselves in academics have been thought out and broad plans have been laid.

Our faculty have engaged in various workshops, paper presentations, publications, seminars and other academic exercises.

| STUDENT STRENGTH | | RESULT (FINAL YEAR ONLY) | |
|------------------|-----|--------------------------|------|
| Arts | 176 | Arts | 88% |
| Science | 92 | Science | 90% |
| Commerce | 628 | Commerce | 80% |
| BBA | 155 | BBA | 89% |
| BCA | 90 | BCA | 85% |
| M. Com. | 29 | M.Com. | 100% |

Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal.

Attended a Women's Conference in Hyderabad – "Together Towards Fuller Life in Building Communities of Justice and Peace

Attended a Managerial Skill Training Programme at Mangalore

Attended a Gender Equity Programme at Chennai

Was the Women's Day Speaker at The United Presbyterian Church, Texas, USA

Was a participant for a Study Tour in Russia

Was a part of a guided Study in Italy – A reading of Architecture and Early Christianity

HIGHLIGHTS OF FACULTY HONOURS:

Completion of MBA:

Mrs. Porkodi S, Faculty, Department of Commerce completed and received her Degree for MBA- Human Resource Management from Annamalai University.

Ms. Jenifer Soniya S, Faculty, Department of Commerce completed her Masters in Business Administration (MBA) with HRM Specialization from Annamalai University in the year 2016.

Registered for Ph.D.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English completed Ph.D course work successfully with Distinction and registered for Ph. D. in Jain University, Bangalore, in September, 2016. The topic: “Paradigm Shift in Gendered Roles and Emotional Trauma: Representation of Malayalee Women’s Identity in select narratives.”

Mrs. Felicia Sunil, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science is currently pursuing Ph.D. in Textiles and Clothing.

Completion of Certificate Course:

Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head, Dept. of Management Studies a certificate course on “Management Accounting for Decision making from Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

ENGLISH:

Innovative Practices included Screening of films like Emma, My Fair Lady, The Last Dictator.

Visiting various NGOs and getting hands on experience report of their activities.

Guest lecture was conducted for the literature students on the 16th March 2017 on Mahashweta Devi’s novel, “Mother of 1084” by Dr. Saumitra Chakravarthy, Research Guide, Jain University and Guest Faculty, Post Graduate -Dept of English, National College, Bangalore

Assignments given to students

General English

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| I B A | - | Superstars who have worked as Extras. |
| I B Com A | - | A Journey of Discovery/Survivors/Achievers from any field |
| I B Com B | - | Favourite Sportsperson. |
| I B Com C | - | M K Gandhi – Life and Achievements |
| I B Sc | - | a) Global Achievers b) Monuments of the world |
| I BBA/BCA | - | Famous personalities related to Science/Literature/Religion/Politics/Sports |
| II B A | - | G M Hopkins – Life and Achievements |
| II B Sc | - | India: As I see it |
| II BCA | - | a) Famous Artists of the World b) Fashions of the World |
| II B Com A | - | Life, Works and Achievements of Mahesh Dattani |
| II B Com B/C | - | Any Place/City: How It Was and How It Is/ Famous Painters and their works |

Additional English:

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| I BA/B. Sc/BCA/B Com/BBA- | | Preparing a brochure on any city/country |
| II BA/B. Sc/BCA | - | Biography and work of Sir C V Raman/the Dalai Lama |
| II B Com/BBA | - | PPT Presentation on various topics based on the syllabus |

Optional English:

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| I B A | - | * Life and works of any two Romantic poets and analysis of any two poems. *The Georgian Age, The life and works of Jane Austen and an analysis of ‘Emma’. |
| II B A | - | a) Victorian Poets b) American Poets c) Henry David Thoreau – Life and Achievements |
| III B A | - | a) Bhakthi Poets b) Indian Novelists and short story writers. c) Analysis of the play Dance Like A Man/Any one Post Colonial Poet with analysis of any one poem. d) Post colonial features in “No Longer At Ease” |

by Chinua Achebe
e) Life and works of Jean Rhys and a study of the major themes
in 'Wide Sargasso Sea'

Literary and Cultural Fest " DISHA" on the theme " India – A Kaleidoscope" was conducted and various competitions like Creative Writing, Pick and Speak, Poetry Writing and Elocution were organized by the department.

Mentoring activities

Remedial classes were conducted, Value Education was conducted as per the timetable and Informal Career guidance and counseling was given.

Consultancy

Malaysian based lawyer and writer Sabah Currim gave tips on how to write and shared knowledge on where to look for information. She also made the students aware of the practical challenges of writing a novel. Her book "Semi – Apes" was formally released in the presence of the literature students of the English Department.

Mrs. Suvina Benjamin, Faculty member:

Attended a one day National Conference on the Topic: 'English-The Living language' organized by Indo-Asian Women's Degree College on 10th March 2017.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty member:

Attended a workshop for research students at School of Commerce and Management, Jayanagar 9th Block, Jayanagar Campus, Jain University on 3rd September 2016

Attended a National Level Jyoti Summit 2016 – Multiple Approaches to Gender organized by Post Graduate Centre, Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore on 22nd September 2016.

Attended a workshop on "Research Methodologies in Literary Studies" conducted by the Department of Languages, J C Road Campus, Jain University on 9th and 10th December 2016.

Presented a paper on "Research Methodology in Literary Studies" at J C Road Campus, Jain University on 10th December 2016.

Publications:

Absence and Presence of Dowry in Streedhanam in the Syrian Christian Culture of Kerala.
International Journal of Arts & Sciences CD-ROM. ISSN: 1944-6934 ::09(01)235-242(2016)

Is gender an issue in higher education? Bishop Cottons Women's Christian College. Journal of Women's Studies. Special Edition ISSN: 2278-9367::07(01)15-24 (2016)

Article titled "Diasporic Writings of Syrian Christian Women" in Thinklet – a monthly newsletter: A Dialogue for Doctoral Scholars of Jain University. Vol.2 Issue 7, July 2016.

Transition of Gendered Roles in Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things". Text, Context and Contestations: Articulations of Gender Identity. ISBN No. 978-81-931746-3-0.451-463(2017)

Ms. Rita Josephine Eve K, Faculty member:

Attended a one day National Conference on the Topic: 'English-The Living language' organized by Indo-Asian Women's Degree College on 10th March 2017.

Published a paper on the topic "Gender roles-Patriarchy, Marginalization and Status of African women in Chinua Achebe's Things Fall Apart" in a UGC sponsored National Seminar "Text ,Context and Contestations: Articulations of Gender Identity" organized by Maharani Women's Arts, Commerce and Management College in the month of February 2017.

KANNADA – SRUJANA KANNADA SANGHA:

The department followed the prescribed syllabus of Bangalore University for the Academic year 2016-17. Apart from the regular teaching and interaction class room sessions, the faculty practices the following innovative methods in teaching.

- Alternative Quiz sessions to encourage students to read their Text Books
- In-Class writing Assignments to increase their perception power.
- Open –Book Tests
- Using the Visual aid to make them understand the Texts (Novel, Drama) in a better way.

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The department is giving regular assignments on various topics according to their syllabus.

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Department organised a Field Visit to Gandhi Bhavan" on 24th Marck 2017. The Students of I B.A and I BBA took part in different activities viz., Quiz, Sketching, Speech on the Importance of Khadi, PPT, Singing and Shramadaana. They visited Gandhi Museum and had an interaction session with The President of Gandhi Bhavan, Sri. H. Srinivasayya. They also viewed a documentary film on Mahatma Gandhi.

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Kannada Nadu-Nudi Habba: The department organized Kannada Nadu-Nudi Habba on 10th February 2017. The Chief Guest Dr. L. Hanumanthaiah, Kannada Poet and Ex-MLC graced the occasion. He spoke on the power of Language and Culture and about the Social revolutions and reforms of Sharanaas of the 12th century. Our Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar addressed the students and congratulated them on their performances in various competitions. Students presented a variety of cultural events. Students won trophies and certificates in different competitions. The details are as follows:

*Creative Writing- I Prize – Brinda – I BBA

- II Prize – Ramya – II B.Com –C
- III Prize – Apoorva R – I BCA
- *Pictionary - - I Prize – Chaitra , Evangeline- III B.Com -C
- II Prize – Rebecca, Nireeksha – I B.Com -C
- *Solo Singing - - I Prize – Brinda – I BBA
- II Prize – Rebecca– I B.Com -C
- *Sketching - -I Prize – Patricia Karen – I B.Com -C
- II Prize – Bhavana R – II B.Com –C
- III Prize – Camilla – I B.Com -C
- *Chameleon - - I Prize – Nissy . N – II B.A
- II Prize – Harshitha M – I B.Com –C
- *Quiz -I Prize – Brinda , Ashwini– I BBA
- II Prize – Saraswathi, Deepika – II BBA
- III Prize – Chaitra , Evangeline- III B.Com –C
- *Rangoli - - I Prize –Thejaswini, Bhuvaneshwari- I B.Com -C
- II Prize – Swathi, Kruthi – II B.Com –C
- III Prize –Samantha, Divya – II B.Com –C
- *Solo Dance - - I Prize – Ramya – II B.Com-C
- II Prize – Mary Smitha – II B.Com –C
- *Group Dance -I Prize – Keerthana, Kumari,Megha , Namitha, Sanghavi – I BCA
- II Prize – Spoorthi, Janavi, Varsha, Kavya , Tejaswini – I B.Com -C
- *Fashion Show - I Prize –Kavya, Evangeline, Chaitra, Pooja, Manopreetha, Glory
- III B.Com -C
- II Prize – Brinda, Monica, Monisha.N, Aishwarya .M, Tejaswini.G
- Shruthi Sri, Devi Shambhavi, MohanPriya – I B.Com –C
- III Prize –Dilma Nachappa, Sharon Veronica, Sheetal, Anvitha, Priya, Mini
- Diana – I BBA

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II B.Com Students Participated at Inter College Event –INCHARA- at MES College and won the III Prize for Group Dance.

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I B.Com – C Students attended a Drama – Show – Jalagaara – of Kuvempu, at Ravindra Kalakshetra, on 27th February 2017

II B.Com-C Students displayed the departmental Bulletin Board on 13th March 2017 on the theme – “Karnatakada Vishishta Habbagalu”

The department conducts Remedial classes for the students to show better performance in their Tests and Examinations.

I and III Sem Bangalore University Examination Nov- 2016, the percentage Kannada Results as follows:

I Sem B.Com – 94%, BBA – 100% , BCA – 100%, B.Sc – 100%, B.A – 83%

III Sem B.Com – 85%, BBA – 76%, BCA – 100% , B.Sc – 100%, B.A – 66%

Dr. Manonmani S, Head of the Department.

Attended a National Conference on the Topic –“Literary works of M. Gopala Krishna Adiga” at Jain University, Bangalore on 23rd March 2017

Published an article in the Book –“ Danivariyada Chetana”- February 2017.

Is a Member of Board of Studies at – Smt. VHD Kendriya Home Science College,(Autonomous) Seshadri Road, Bangalore

Has set the question paper for IV Semester B.Sc. at Smt. VHD Kendriya Home Science College (Autonomous) Bangalore.

Mr. Hombaiah, Faculty member:

Question paper setting for Kannada at VHD Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous) in the months of March 2016 and October 2016

Officiated as the Sit-in-Squad for the Bangalore University Examinations in May/June 2016 and was also involved in Valuation duty for the above mentioned Examination in June 2016.

Officiated as the Sit-in-Squad for the Bangalore University Examinations in November/December 2016.

HINDI

The departmental activities started with the celebrations of Munshi Premchand Jayanthi on 31st July 2016. The Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar was the Chief Guest for the occasion. Inter class quiz competition on the life and literature of Premchand was held during the day.

Fest Conducted :

On 20th September 2016 Hindi Diwas was celebrated in the college. Shri Jeevendra Jha, Sub-Editor, Rajasthan Patrika was the Chief Guest. Various literary and cultural competitions were conducted during the Hindi Pakhwada before the event the prizes of which were distributed on the Hindi Diwas celebrations by the Chief Guest.

Field trip organised :

A field trip to Central Institute Of Indian Languages, Ministry of HRD, Govt. of India, Manasa Gangotri, Mysore was organised on 15th March 2017. 40 students along with 3 faculty members

had the opportunity of interacting with the officials. It was a rare opportunity for the students who had the privilege of knowing the importance and usage of different Indian languages and about 161 Indian tribal languages and the research work done regarding the same.

Rally organised:

A rally was organised on 25th October 2016 to create an awareness about the inflow of unethical foreign products and consumable products which are weakening the backbone of the Indian Economy and strengthening the foreign economy. Students created an awareness regarding the same in the college premises by addressing the students in each and every classroom interacting with each and every student. Later on a rally was organised from College to Town Hall. The students utilised the time by interacting with the public too. The inspiration for the conduct of the rally was a novel for III Semester B.Com by Sushi Kumar Singh Alakh Azadi Ki

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head of the department

- On 30th and 31st May, 2016– Chaired one of the sessions of National Testing Service India- a central scheme under the aegis of the **Ministry of Human Resource Development**, Government of India, in association with the Centre for Testing & Evaluation (CT&E) and Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL), Manasagangotri, Mysore, which had organized a two day Seminar on ‘Role Of Evaluation In Quality Maintenance In Language Education With Special Reference To Hindi.’ The importance of the syllabus to improve the quality of education system was discussed upon during the sessions.
- On 18th March, 2017 – Chaired a session in an International Seminar ‘**VIBHUTI 2017**’ on Hindi Sahitya Mein Naari Vimarsh, organized by *International School of Fashion, Arts and Design* in association with Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan.

Invited as Guest of Honour:

- On 16th July, 2016 - Invited by the *BGS World School*, Chikaballapur, Bangalore, which conducted an Inter-School Cultural Competition of Chikaballapur, Kolar and Bangalore ISSE Schools Association at Jnanaganga Campus, Chikaballapur.
- On 26th & 27th December 2016– Invited by ‘*Yoga Association Of Bihar*’ at a two day State level competition which was held at Kendriya Vidyalaya, Jamalpur, Bihar. *Smt. Veena Devi*, Member of Parliament from Munger and the Principal of the school were also present during the occasion.

Invited as Resource Person:

- On 8th August, 2016 - Invited by *Sindhi Commerce College*, Bangalore, which organized a one-day workshop on the syllabus of III semester Degree (Hindi, UG), Bangalore University.
- On 3rd December 2016- Invited by *Pre-University Board*, Government of Karnataka, which conducted a State-level workshop for PU lecturers at Bijapur, Karnataka.
- On 31st January 2017 – Invited by *Seshadripuram First Grade College*, Bangalore at a one-day workshop on IV Semester Degree (Hindi) syllabus of Bangalore University.
- On 10th February 2017– Invited by *Adarsh College*, Bangalore at the International Hindi Conference ‘Adarsh Bhasha Sammelan’

Invited as Speaker:

- On 5th August 2016- By *Christ Junior College*, Bangalore to deliver a lecture on the ‘Importance of Munshi Premchand’s Literary Contribution.’

Invited as Keynote Speaker:

- On 15th September 2016 – Keynote Speaker by *Sheshadripuram College, Bangalore* which organized an International Seminar on ‘Hindi Language and Literature in the context of Globalisation, impact, challenges and prospects.’ The seminar was organized to celebrate Hindi Diwas.
- On 17th February 2017 – Keynote Speaker at a National-level Seminar on ‘Modern Day Relevance of Munshi Premchand’s Literature’, which was organized by *Mount Carmel College, Bangalore*.

Invited as Language Expert:

On 18th October 2016–Invited by *Central Hindi Directorate*, under the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India to deliver a lecture on ‘Scope of Hindi’, in a week-long workshop for Non-Hindi speaking Neo Hindi Writers at *Jain University*, Bangalore.

Invited as Chief Guest:

On 14th September 2016– By Chandana Channel, *Doordarshan Kendra*, Bangalore to conduct Inter College Quiz Competition on the occasion of Hindi Diwas. The programme was telecast on the same day.

On 22nd September 2016 – By *Bishop Cotton Academy of Professional Management*, Yelahanka to celebrate Hindi Diwas.

On 24th September, 2016– By *Vivekananda First Grade College*, Bangalore on the occasion of Hindi Diwas.

On 26th September 2016 - By *Shree Veerendra Patil Degree College of Science, Arts and Commerce*, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore to celebrate Hindi Diwas.

On 28th September 2016 – By *Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Ltd.*, (KIOCL), Bangalore, a **Government of India Undertaking** which celebrated Hindi Diwas. Messages from the Ministry of Home Affairs and Ministry of Defence were read out during the occasion.

On 29th September 2016 – By *Indian Academy Degree College*, Hennur, Bangalore which had organized ‘Bhasha Utsav’ in connection with Hindi Diwas celebrations.

On 1st October 2016- By *MQI Degree College*, Benson Town, Bangalore on the occasion of Hindi Diwas.

On 28th October 2016 – By *Amara Jyothi Pre-University College*, Devasandra, KR Puram, Bangalore which had organized ‘SahityaSangam’ an Inter-College Literary Fest.

Seminars/Workshops attended:

On 6th August 2016 – A workshop on ‘LeheronKeRaajhans’ and ‘AlakhAzadi Ki’ plays written by Mohan Rakesh and Sushil Kumar Singh respectively. The books were prescribed as text books for III Semester BBA and B.Com (Hindi), Bangalore University. The workshop was organized by *Jain College*, Jayanagar.

On 25th February 2017 – A State-level Seminar on ‘Contribution of Women Writers in Hindi Literature’ organized by *St. Claret College*, Jalahalli, Bangalore.

On 8th March 2017 – Attended a one-day National level Students Seminar on the ‘Role of Media in the Development of Hindi’ at *Shri. Mahavir Jain College*, K.G.F, Karnataka.

Extended Services:

On 13th January 2017, the Department of Hindi, Bangalore University and the Alumni Association, Hindi Department, Bangalore University organized a one-day Seminar on ‘Hindi

Cinema- EkAvalokan' at JnanaJyothi Auditorium. As the **Secretary** of the Association, took the lead of organizing and conducting the event in a very successful manner. Noted Kannada writer and film maker Baragur Ramachandrappa was the chief guest for the day.

Papers presented:

On 10th March 2017 – Presented a paper on 'Mass Media Contribution in the Development of Hindi' at a one day National level seminar organized by *Indo-Asian Academy Degree College*, Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore.

Books/Articles Published:

On 17th February 2017 – Editorial Advisor for the papers presented in a National level Seminar on 'Modern Day Relevance of Munshi Premchand's Literature' which was organized by *Mount Carmel College, Bangalore*.

Positions held:

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- Board of Studies, Jain University, Bangalore.
- Board of Studies, NMKRV College (Autonomous), Jayanagar, Bangalore.
- Board of Studies, Government Science College (Autonomous), Nrupatunga Road, Bangalore.
- Board of Studies, Reva University, Yelahanka, Bangalore.
- Secretary, Alumni Association, Hindi Department, Bangalore University, Bangalore.
- Joint Secretary, Jnanakiran, Hindi Teachers Association of Bangalore University Colleges, Bangalore.

Social activities/Achievements:

On 25th December 2016 – Organised Blanket Distribution Programme for the under privileged at *Jamalpur, Bihar*. World renowned philanthropist and educationist Mr. Anand Kumar, Founder, Super 30 was invited as the Chief Guest for the event.

Dr. Jai Laxmi R, Faculty member:

- 1 Attended Seminars on the topic “Hindi Cinema Ek Avlokan” on 13th January 2017 at Bangalore University and on the III Semester Syllabus at Sindhi College on 8th August 2016.
- 2 Attended an NEN Workshop held at MLA College, Malleshwaram from 27th to 29th December 2016.
- 3 Presented Papers on the topic “Pachpan Khambe Lal Deeware Upanyas Ke Patro Ka Charitrar Chitran” on 31st January 2017 at Seshadripuram College, Yelahanka and on the topic “Hindi Sahitya Mei Samajik Chunoutiya on 23rd September 2016 at the International Seminar held at Baldwin Women’s Methodist College.

Dr. Kamal Harnal, Faculty member:

Attended a one day conference on “Hindi Cinema --- Ek Avlokan” at Bangalore University on 13th January 2017.

Presented a Paper on “Hindi Sahitya Mein Samajik Chunoutiyan Vivechana Evam Vimarsh” in a two day “International Hindi Seminar” held on 23rd to 24th September 2016 at Baldwin Methodist College, Bangalore.

Presented a Research paper presented at Baldwin Methodist College with *ISBN : 978-81-932362-7-7* by Srijanlok Prakashan, Vashisth Nagar, Aara (Bihar)

TAMIL:

The Department got 100% result. Ms. Nirmala, II BCA secured 66 marks out of 70 in the 3rd Semester. The Department put up a Bulletin Board about the Former Chief Minister of Chennai, Dr. J Jayalalithaa – Topic : Muthamizaga Amma. The department conducted an Essay Competition – topic: Samudayathil Udagangalin Aalumai. The department has Napinai Mandram which conducted. Seminar Topic: Natupurs Illakiyathin Thotramum Vallarchium. Prizes were distributed for the carious programmes on Tamil Day for the prize winners.

Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Head of the department:

Thiruvalluvar University Ph.D. adjudicates, Member, Board of Studies – Christ University, Member, Board of Examiners – Bangalore University from 2015-2017, Question Paper Setter – VHD Institute of Home Science

FRENCH:

The department was involved in innovative practices which included listening to dialogues and oral comprehension exercises, learning songs, singing competition, Crossword and a French film. Assignments were given to students on the topics - Reading comprehension exercises, Grammar exercises, Chart-making on Francophone countries, Translation activities and PPT presentation on various topics related to France and French culture

Fest Conducted:

Fête de Français conducted on 15th February 2017

Events: Quiz on French culture, Crossword, Treasure Hunt, Individual French song, PPT Presentation and Pictionary-Guess the word.

Mrs. Thyabunissa Mohammed, Head of the Department

Attended an Eight month Ongoing C2 Level Conversation class – commenced on 4th November 2016. Professor-in-charge- Mr. Prajwal. Venue: Studio TITRI Office, 7th Cross, Indiranagar.

She has also completed C1 level course at Alliance Francaise Bangalore. DALF C1 Examination completed and certificate received.

ECONOMICS:

The Innovative practices which were practiced included:

Group based project presentation – Corporate India, Rural Development and Co-operation, Demonetization, Karnataka Economy.

Role play – on Industrial Development Bank of India

Screening of video relating to the topic. –Life Insurance Corporation

Bulletin Board was on the topic “Financial Services”

As class teachers, along with co-class teachers implemented Government of India’s awareness programme VISAKA – Digital India.

Assignments given to students

BA / B Com students were given assignments based on the chapters completed, Model questions were discussed, tests were given and Remedial classes were taken at regular intervals.

Multi – Department Seminar

The Departments of Commerce, Management and Economics organized a one day seminar on the topic ‘Demonetization – opportunities and challenges on 14th February 2017 for the final year students of B.Com./ BBA/ BA and participants from other colleges.

The Chief Guest was Mr. Madhusudan Kankani – partner Accounting Advisory Services (KPMG). The Key note address was given by Prof. Sathya Prasad . The Speakers for the technical sessions were Prof. Augustine Amaldas and Prof. M. M. Gupta and the Panel discussion was by Dr. Mahananda & Mr Anil Bharadwaj

Industrial Visits/Field Trips organized

Students of II BA and I B.Com visited the Reserve Bank of India on 24th August 2016. Power point presentations were made by senior bank officials pertaining to the topic ‘Role of RBI’. The students also visited the Financial Inclusion Resource Centre.

Fests conducted

Inter – collegiate competitions were conducted during DISHA- College Literary and Cultural Fest on 16th September 2016. A Collage on the topic was “Financial Inclusion and Financial Literacy” and another event JAM (Just a minute) on current events was organized.

Mentoring activities

Value education classes were taken as per the time-table. Informal career guidance and counseling for the final BA students. As class teachers, issues are solved and when problems occur.

Ms. Jyothi B G, Head of the Department.

Participated in a one day seminar at Mt. Carmel College on “25 years of Liberalisation and the way forward” on 17th August 2016 organised in association with Forum of Free Enterprise, Mumbai and Dept. of Economics. Key note speaker was Mr. Sunil Bhandare and the guest speaker was Dr. Amita Sehgal.

Organised a one day multi-department seminar on “Demonetization – opportunities and challenges” on 14th February 2017.

Was one of the guest speakers for the Leadership training programme for the Student Council of the College.

Is a Staff representative on the Governing Council 2016 – 2017 and also an IQAC member

Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam, Faculty member:

Attended a one day seminar in Mt. Carmel College on “25 years of Liberalisation and the way forward” on 17th August 2016 organised in association with forum of Free Enterprise, Mumbai

and Dept. of Economics. The keynote speaker was Mr. Sunil Bhandare and guest speaker was Dr. Amita Sehgal .

Attended a one day multi-departmental seminar on “Demonetization – opportunities and challenges” was organized on 14th February 2017.

PSYCHOLOGY:

The students of I BA participated in PSY't'17, an inter-collegiate fest organized by the Indian Institute of Psychology and Research and Ms. Fatema Kapadia and Ms. Mahasweta C were awarded the II place for debate and Ms. Priya Cherian the III place for cartooning.

The final year students participated in an inter-collegiate fest Swagnan-17 organised at MES Degree college.

5 students of the I year, 3 students of the II year and 2 students of the III year who were irregular to class were counseled individually and have appeared for practical and theory examination. 03 students who belonged to the 2012 batch had sought help from the department and relevant question bank and notes were given and have successfully appeared for the practical and theory examination.

Power point presentations, assignments and projects were given in relevance to the syllabus as per the Bangalore University guidelines. Regular tests were conducted to check the academic performance of the students.

Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty member:

The faculty member was invited in her capacity as Psychologist to be on the Selection Board for Appointment of PSI (Civil) for Karnataka State Police Department, March 2017.

POLITICAL SCIENCE:

Innovative Practices:

Group discussions (News Paper), Learning and earning system (Think, Pair and Share), Assignment, PPT / Seminar, Mega big fight (on the latest issues)

Assignments

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| I B A – | Demonetization |
| II B A – | Jayalalithaa's life sketch |
| III B A – | Paper 6.1 – Demonetization, Paper 6.2 – Foreign Policy of USA and China |

Programme

Go digital on 13th January 2017

Field Visit

To Gandhi Bhavan on 24th March 2017

Fest

At the intercollegiate cultural fest “DISHA” where the theme was “INDIA - A KALEIDOSCOPE” on 16th and 17th September. Under this we organised an event “MOCK CID” (bringing out an investigator officer in you)

Bulletin Board

Demonetization (we are the soldiers of new economy) displayed on 22nd February 2017

Mentoring Activities

Guiding, solving problems related to studies moulding and counselling them on the regular basis and to develop a positive attitude towards life.

Consultancy

Students showing interest in bringing awareness in the society and case studies.

JOURNALISM:

The department adopted various innovative teaching practices such as PPT presentations, research oriented case studies, screening of documentary films, preparing advertisement copy and editing techniques enabled students to learn theory subjects with practical insight. First year students were taught movie review though it is not part of their syllabus.

To hone the writing skill of budding journalist and to learn the nuances of mass media various practical oriented assignments and projects were given to the students.

First year students were taught movie review though it is not part of their syllabus. Students reviewed movies released in the month of July- September 2016 and compiled fact file of two English and Kannada newspapers in February 2017 respectively. They also presented PPTs related to media and syllabus.

Second year students brought out one page individual Newsletter in August 2016 and will bring out a department Lab journal Prism-Vol: 8 in April 2017 respectively. Compilation of case studies related to Media Laws and PPT presentation.

Final year students presented a research paper on the topics related to syllabus and mass media through Analytical, Descriptive and Case study method. They also prepared print advertisement on 'Herbal Hair Oil in February 2017.

Final year students interviewed noted personalities in the month of September 2016 as part of their assignment to learn the techniques of interviewing skills. Few among them are-

- 1) Ms. Sri laxmi.C interviewed Mr Pavan R.C, Founder," Achieve School of Education"
- 2) Ms. Vani interviewed Corporate lawyer, Mr Raghu H V
- 3) Ms. Sharvari G C interviewed Mrs Lavanya G N, Meditation Trainer
- 4) Ms. Anusha Ganesh interviewed Mr. Narasappa , AGM, KPCL

Inter –Collegiate Competition

16-09-2016: Inter -Collegiate "Debate and Caption Writing" Competition was conducted during "Disha 2016". Mr Imtiyaz Ahmed ,News Editor, Deccan Herald, Ms Feona Davis, Communication Manager, Thomson And Reuters Ltd Company , Ms Sariya ,Creative Artist were the Judges.

21-07-2016: Journalism Newsletter "PRISM" Vol: 7 was released by Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar during the General Assembly She appreciated the efforts of staff and students in bringing out the Newsletter.

Soft Skill Training Workshops

1-10-2016 : Soft Skill Training Workshop On "Inter-Personal Relations " was held in association with Deccan-Herald. Corporate Trainer Mr. Hanson Varghese conducted the workshop.

18-02-2017: Soft Skill Training Workshop on "Group Dynamics" was conducted in association with Deccan-Herald. Mrs Avanthi, Faculty Trainer "Poorna Prajna Institute of Faculty Development" conducted the workshop. Students received Certificates by Deccan Herald.

8-10-2016: Documentary Film "Frame Within Frame" was screened for Second year students.

7-10-2016: First Year Students Put Up "Bulletin Board" on the topic "Crime News"

Weaker Students were identified and special coaching was given during remedial class and lunch hour. Students with low attendance were referred to college counselor. Value education and career guidance were given to students.

Student Achievements:

Best Paper Presentation

Final Year Student Kasthuri S presented a paper under the guidance of Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar in the International Conference organized by YCC Public Relation Council of India on 4th & 5th March 2017. Her Paper Presentation won the I Prize and received Kautilya Award from Karnataka Minister Anjanappa”

Publication

One Byline article by Final Year student Krithika T.A was published in ‘The Hindu’ Newspaper.

Two Byline article by Final Year student Sri Laxmi was published in ‘The Hindu’ Newspaper.

Internship

Final year students Priyanka .S and Kasthuri .S completed their internship in Janasri News Channel from 23rd December 2016 to 3rd January 2017.

Final year student Krithika T.A and Srilaxmi completed their internship in THE HINDU from 10th December 2016 to 31st December 2016.

Second Year student Ashmitha Saha completed her internship in ‘Prag News’ in June 2016.

Final year student Anusha G completed her internship in the PR department of KPCL.

Publicity

Department of journalism actively co-ordinated in the publicity work of the college by sending press releases and inviting press to various college programs. Various reports of college programs were published in the leading Kannada and English newspapers. Investiture ceremony and Disha 2016 fest was broadcast in Kannada news channels.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head of the Department:

Presented Research Paper on ‘ Bridging Relationship Between Public Relations, Ethics and Media Ownership’ in the National seminar ‘Media Spark’ organized by Garden City College on 22nd September 2016.

Presented Research paper on ‘Impact of WhatsApp on Higher Education: An Analysis’ in the National Conference on ‘Challenges and opportunities in Higher Education’ organized by Government First Grade College on 12th April 2016.

Published a Research Paper on ‘Impact of WhatsApp on higher education: An Analysis’ was published in the Conference Proceeding. ISBN NO 978-81-928928-9-4. Pg 610-614

She was External Member for the October 2016 UG Journalism examination of NMKRV College and set fifth semester question paper.

She chaired a session in the National Media Symposium 'Mediatron' held at Jyothi Nivas College on 3rd February 2017.

SOCIOLOGY:

Assignments:

I Sem B.A :- Social Inclusion and exclusion - Nature, Issues and Problems of social exclusion.

II Sem B.A :- Religious Minorities - Muslims, Christians, Buddhists - problems of minorities and constitutional provisions.

III Sem B.A :- Print media - Newspaper, Magazine and Electronic media:- Television, Cinema.

IV Sem B.A :- Folk-urban continuum, Nature-Man -spirit complex, Nilakanta Syndrome.

V Sem B.A :- Women and Media-portrayal of women in media, commodification of women.

VI Sem B.A :- Guided students to do Research Study on various topics related to syllabus Research study on Internet use and misuse, Research study on Slum, Research study on Tribes of Manipur and Research study on The effects of mass media on youth.

Paper Presentations by the students:

I B.A PPT Presentation on various topics related to syllabus - Constitutionally Recognized Minorities from 1st March to 3rd March 2017.

II B.A PPT Presentation on various topics related to syllabus Social Anthropology Marriage, Family, Religion and Magic.

III B.A PPT Presentation on various topics related to syllabus Techniques of data collection Observation, Interview and Questionnaire.

Bulletin Board:

SPE Students of I, II and III B.A displayed Bulletin board on HONOR KILLING -Crime against women, Rape, Dowry, Female infanticide etc.

Mentoring Activities:

Students who needed special guidance were given assignments and tests on the syllabus regular remedial classes were held with attendance guiding them and preparing them for the examination.

Ms. Rathna H K, Faculty member:

Attended a Seminar at St. Josephs Autonomous, Bangalore on 12th December 2016 on the topic: Higher Education in the 21st Century; Opportunities and Challenges.

Attended a Seminar at Kempegowda Institute of Medical Sciences and Research center, Bangalore on 12th December 2016 on the topic Body Donation.

Mrs. Rajkumari J, Faculty member:

Attended a National Young Sociologist Competition held at Christ University on 19th December 2016 on the topic “Society, culture and Identity”

Attended a one day workshop on “Orientation of VI Semester BA Syllabus “Current Social Problems of India” at Maharani’s Arts, Commerce & Management College for Women on 15th February 2017.

Presented a paper in the National Conference titled “Empowerment of Women in Revitalising India” held at Jyothi Nivas College on 13th August 2016

She was appointed to work as Sit-in-Squad for Nov/Dec 2016 UG Examination, Bangalore University, Evaluator for V Semester BA at Bangalore University for Sociology Paper V – Sociology of Women and Evaluator for III Semester BA at Bangalore University for Sociology Paper III – Sociology of Mass Communication.

COMMERCE:

Industrial Visit

Ms. Porkodi organized an industrial visit to “MOTHER DAIRY” for 50 students from II B.Com. on 3rd February 2017.

The Department organized an educational tour to COCHIN from 18th to 22nd March 2017 and visited:

International Coir Factory, Kitex Garments Ltd., Chinese Fishing Net, Anna Aluminium Company, Hill Palace Museum

Outreach Activities

20 students from II and III year BCOM were educated and sent to SP Road, Bangalore to create awareness about various Digital Payments among the small vendors.

As a part of social outreach 30 students visited “His paradise for Deserted”, an orphanage for specially challenged children and helped in assisting the caretaker of the orphanage.

Certificate Course

Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed coordinated to conduct a 40Hr Tally.ERP9 Course for II and III year B.Com. students from 20th July 2016 to 18th September 2016 by Alpha Tech Academy, Bangalore with strength of 50 students.

Ms. Rachel Joshua coordinated a 16 Hr Advantage U Programme by Talent Ease Business Solutions Pvt. Ltd, for 22 students of III B.Com. from July 2016 to September 2016. The course included sessions on Communication, Presentation and Interview skills.

Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed coordinated to conduct a 40Hr Tally.ERP9 course for I year B.Com. students from 11th January 2017 to 12th March 2017 by Alpha Tech Academy, Bangalore with a strength of 40 students.

Workshop/Seminar:

Mrs. Saadia Hameed and Ms. Vidya Shree. R organized a workshop on CA/ CS career options conducted by Mr. Shripal Jain, CEO of K2Learners for B.Com. students. The workshop included technical sessions on CA/CS professional courses.

A one day seminar on the topic “Demonetisation – Opportunities and Challenges” was organized on 14th February 2017 where delegates and students from various colleges within the city had participated.

Conference Attended by the students:

Students from final year B.Com participated in One day conference on the topic “Human Resource Accounting”, organized by BET SADATHUNNISSA College on 23rd October, 2016.

Innovative Practices:

Visual Stimulation Learning:

Stimulation trading/ virtual trading session was conducted for final year B.Com students in order to give them insight into floor trading / physical outcry system.

Short movies were shown on topics like procedure for applying patents, various ethical issues.

Interactive videos on operation of Stock and Commodities Market were projected in classrooms.

Critical Thinking:

The students solved practical Case Studies for Business Ethics and Retail Management.

Analytical games like Business Puzzle, Cross Word etc were conducted for Advanced Financial Management and Retail Management.

A Discussion on proceedings/verdicts of real life cases in India for the subject Business Regulations.

Analysis of Legal agreements like Sale Deed, Offer Letter, Lease Agreement, Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of Company were done by the students.

Students were asked to conduct a survey to study consumer buyer behavior in retail sector. SWOT and PEST analysis for various brands in retail marketing were conducted.

Analysis of Financial Statements of various companies was studied upon to understand the new reporting standards in IFRS.

Students were asked to submit Project report on event plans and present the same for Principles of Event Management.

Student-Centered Constructionism:

Students of final year B.Com were asked to prepare a fact file of two mutual fund schemes to prepare a sales pitch for their clients.

Students of final year B.Com were asked to analyse various industries according to Porter's five force model.

Role play on promotional activities was performed by students.

A Project on marketing strategies on the industrial visit was assigned to students with reference to products of "MOTHER DAIRY".

Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed, Head of the Department.

Organized and co-ordinated one day seminar on "Demonetisation- Opportunities and Challenges" held on 14th February, 2017 at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College, Bangalore.

Co-authored IV semester "Value Education" Book (non-core subject) published by Vision Book House.

Member to the Board of Examiners for under graduate BBA Exams of 2016-2017.

Paper Setter for Financial Accounting, I semester B.Com course at Indian Academy Degree College (Autonomous), Bangalore.

Paper Evaluator for Christ University, Bangalore; Mount Carmel College, Bangalore and Bangalore University.

Viva Voce Examiner for B.Com and BBA courses at Mount Carmel College, Bangalore held in March, 2017.

Mrs. Prathiba David, Faculty member:

Participated in an international seminar on “Ingenious Teaching Techniques in Higher Education” at Goodwill Christian College for Women on 16th February 2017.

Ms. Suriya Naaz, Faculty member:

Attended an NEN Entrepreneurship Educator Program:- WF 100 from 23rd -25th June 2016 at St. Joseph’s College of Commerce.

Attended an NEN Entrepreneurship Educator Program:- WF 101 from 27th -29th December 2016 at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women.

Was invited as a Judge for the Commerce Fest “Luminance 2017 –a Spectrum of Excellence” at Abbas Khan College for Women, Bangalore.

Has been a part of the valuation of answer scripts at Bangalore University.

Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani, Faculty member:

Is on the Board of Examiners for Christ University and is also an Evaluator for Indirect Tax papers at Christ University.

Mrs. Porkodi S, Faculty member:

Submitted a research paper titled “A study on Workforce Diversity & Demographics in Educational Sector” at JSSGIW Journal of Management, Bhopal.

Attended a three day Faculty Development Programme on “Entrepreneurship Educator Programme” organised by NEN, Wadhvani Foundation at St. Joseph’s College of Commerce from 23rd to 25th June 2016.

Is a Member of Bangalore University Teacher's Council for Commerce and Management and an Evaluator for V Semester Consumer Behaviour and III Semester Banking Regulations paper of BBA at Bangalore University evaluations for the year 2016.

Ms. Jenifer Soniya S, Faculty member:

Participated in the Panel Discussion on Genderlogue – Digitalisation in Social Change at Mount Carmel College, Bangalore in association with Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, India on 22nd August 2016

She is a member of Bangalore University Teachers' Council for Commerce and Management.

Evaluator for IV Semester, B.Com. at Bangalore University for the subject E-Business and Accounting, June 2016.

Evaluator for III Semester, B. Com. at Bangalore University for the subject Business Ethics, December 2016.

Ms. Vidya Shree R, Faculty member:

Attended a Workshop on IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards) held at Bangalore University, Bangalore on 15th and 16th July 2016 and on 18th and 19th August 2016.

Attended a One day workshop on Orientation of V Semester B.Com Syllabus of Bangalore University held at SRN Adarsh College, Bangalore, on 22nd July 2016.

She was also involved in setting the semester question paper for St. Joseph's College of Commerce, on the subject "International Financial Reporting Standards".

Ms. Vandana M, Faculty member:

Attended a workshop on IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards) held at Bangalore University, Bangalore on 15th and 16th July 2016 and 18th and 19th August 2016.

Attended a one day workshop on Orientation of V Semester B.Com Syllabus of Bangalore University held at SRN Adarsh College, Bangalore, on 22nd July 2016.

MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

Innovative Practices:

Case study Based Learning: CSBL, was adopted in relevant topics

Concept co-relation Based Learning: CCBL live examples are taken from internet and correlated with the topic. Learning by correlating the theoretical concepts to the practical concepts.

Model making exercises: To bring out the innovative ways to solve particular problem in Business.

Student topic presentation: PPT

Debates and group discussions.

Assignments:

Topic based assignments are given regularly along with tests.

Industrial Visit:

A visit was organized on 26/9/2016 to Cochin, Kerala. Industries visited were Anna Aluminum Company.

A Visit was arranged to SEBI Regional Office in Bangalore.

Certificate course:

Certificate course on capital markets offered by Ascent Capital Market Academy with duration of 25 hours for II year BBA.

A course on Tally and MS Excel by Alpha Tech Academy for 40 hours for III year BBA.

Intercollegiate Fest:

Nishka 2016 -2017 with the theme “Miracle of a Start” was conducted on 13th August 2016. 12 colleges participated and six events were conducted. The Chief Guest was Dr. Rajeev Gowda, former professor, IIM Bangalore and Member of Parliament.

Regular mentoring during class hours. Special mentoring is done for students with shortage of attendance and weak academic performance .

Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head of the Department:

Organized and attended one day Seminar on “Demonetization – Opportunities and Challenges” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 14th February 2017.

He is also the paper Setter for the following subjects Advanced Financial Management – BBA – November-December 2016 (2014-2015 onwards) and Cost Accounting – BBA – April-May 2017 (2014 onwards)

Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond, Faculty member:

Attended a Faculty Development Programme on "Research Methodology and Hypothesis Formulation" organized by Dayananda Sagar College of Engineering on 04th August, 2016.

Organized and attended one day Seminar on “Demonetization – Opportunities and Challenges” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 14th February, 2017.

Attended a One day International Seminar on “Ingenious teaching techniques in higher education” organized by Goodwill Christian College for Women on 16th February 2017.

Attended a National Conference in Association with NABARD and SIDBI on “Small and Medium Scale Enterprises – Opportunities and Challenges in Digital India” organized by Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017.

Presented a paper at the National Conference on "Small and Medium Scale Enterprises – Opportunities and Challenges in India” at Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March, 2017. The Title of the Paper was “Internationalization of SME’s in Developing Countries”.

Published a Research paper entitled “ICT Barriers and Critical Success Factors in Developing Countries”. The paper was published in the International Journal of Scientific Engineering and Technology Research on 14th August 2016. Vol.05 – Issue no. 21 - ISSN 2319 – 8885.

Published a Research paper entitled “Internationalization of SME’s in Developing Countries”. The paper was published in the National Conference in Association with NABARD and SIDB organized by Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Faculty member:

Attended a Faculty Development Programme on “Research Methodology and Hypothesis Formulation” organized by Dayananda Sagar College of Engineering on 04th August 2016.

Attended an International Conference on "Woman Empowerment in Digital India” organized by Vishleshan Educational & Social Welfare Society on 24th September 2016.

Attended Jaipuria Management Symposium 2016 on “Harnessing Human Potential in Digital Age” organized by Jaipuria Institute of Management – Indore on 26th November 2016.

Attended a two day Faculty Development Programme on "Research Design and Statistical Analysis using SPSS" organized by Dayananda Sagar College of Engineering on 28th and 29th August 2016.

Attended a one day Seminar on “Learning Digital Technologies at Digital India Summit for local Business 2017” organized by Askalaila Digital India Summit for Local Business on 11th November 2017.

Organized and attended one day Seminar on “Demonetization – Opportunities and Challenges” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 14th February 2017.

Attended one day National Conference in Association with NABARD and SIDBI on “Small and Medium Scale Enterprises – Opportunities and Challenges in Digital India” organized by Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017.

Presented a paper at the International Conference on “Women Empowerment in Digital India” organized by Vishleshan Educational and Social Welfare Society on 24th September 2016. The title of the paper was “Factors Affecting Online Shopping Behaviour in India”.

Presented a paper at the National Conference on "Small and Medium Scale Enterprises – Opportunities and Challenges in India” at Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017. The Title of the Paper was Internationalization of SME’s in Developing Countries”.

Published a Research paper titled “Market Dynamics & Environmental Impact of E-commerce-A case study on Book retail”. The paper was published in the International Journal of Scientific Engineering and Technology Research on 13th July 2016. Vol.05 – Issue no. 17 - ISSN 2319 – 8885.

Published a Research paper titled “ICT Barriers and Critical Success Factors in Developing Countries”. The paper was published in the International Journal of Scientific Engineering and Technology Research on 14th August 2016. Vol.05 – Issue no. 21 - ISSN 2319 – 8885.

Published a Research paper titled “Internationalization of SME’s in Developing Countries”. The paper was published in the National Conference in Association with NABARD and SIDB organized by Silicon City College (Institution of MJ Education Trust) on 18th March 2017.

Mrs. Sheela Margaret, Faculty member:

Organized and attended one day Seminar on “Demonetization – Opportunities and Challenges” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 14th February 2017.

PHYSICS:

Innovative Practices:

Seminar assigned to each class. I, II and III B.Sc. Project given on model making.

Assignment:

I-B.Sc – Phase transition of first order

II-B.Sc- Optical fiber.

III B.Sc. Nano Materials

Study Trip: Visit to planetarium on 15th March 2017

Bulletin Board.: Satellite.

Mentoring: Guiding solving problems related to study -molding and counseling and develop a positive outlook towards life.

Ms. Anitha Clarin, Head of the Department:

Judged Regional Level Science Exhibition conducted in Sri Vidya Kendra “The smart school” on 8th and 9th December 2016. Students from all the states - middle class, higher class and PUC level participated and was a grand successful event in the field of science.

Attended workshop conducted by KLE College on 22nd October 2016 mainly on practicals presubscribed for the new syllabus.

Presenting an article in a “Journal of Law” based on “Women’s Empowerment”.

Is a Member of the Board of Studies for NMKRV College, Jyothi Nivas College and a Member of the Board of Examiners, Bangalore University.

Valuation attended.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY:

Innovative Practices included the use of OHP, CDs, Charts and Models.

Guest Lectures:

The Department organized a guest lecture on 15th February 2017. Dr. C. Nethravathi, Asst. Professor, Department of Chemistry, Mount Carmel College, Bangalore, spoke on “Nanomaterials”.

Dr. Anuj Kumar, Research Associate, National Centre for Biological Sciences, Bangalore conducted Career Counselling on 28th February 2017.

Field Trips / Industrial visits:

A visit to CSIR- Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysore, was organized on 10th March 2017. The students visited the Departments of Protein Chemistry & Technology, Microbiology & Fermentation Techniques, Spice & Flavor Science and Technology Transfer and Business Development.

Assignments given to students:

IB.Sc - Problem solving –Liquids & Solutions and Noble Gases.

II.B.Sc - Fertilizers and Environmental Chemistry.

III.B.Sc - Synthetic Dyes, Electro Chemistry II, Bioinorganic Chemistry and Nucleicacids.

Fest Organized:

An event Pot Pouri – Science Concoction was organized by the Departments of Chemistry, Botany and Biotechnology during the intercollegiate fest ‘Disha 2016’ on the 16th and 17th September 2016. Jain University won the 1st prize while the 2nd and 3rd prizes were bagged by Bishop Cotton

Women’s Christian College.

Bulletin Board:

Bulletin board on “Chemistry of New Materials” was displayed by the students of III B. Sc. (CBBT). Brief introduction and applications of nanomaterials, fullerenes, conducting polymers and super conductors were displayed.

Mentoring activities:

Special coaching classes were organized and revision tests were conducted for weak students.

Dr. Jacqueline TR, Head of the Department.

Attended a one day workshop on ‘Revision of B.Sc. Chemistry Syllabus (CBCS) of Bangalore University” organized on 11th July 2016 at KLES’S. Nijalingappa College, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru.

Attended a two day Science Academies‘ Lecture Workshop on “ Modern Approach to Materials” organized by the Department of Chemistry, Christ University, Bengaluru in association with JNCASR and Association of Central College Chemistry Alumni (ACCCA), Bengaluru held on 29th and 30th August 2016

Attended a two day workshop on “ Discussion on revised B.Sc Chemistry syllabus (CBCS) of Bangalore University and Lecture Series on New Topics” organized by the Departments of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Vijaya College, Basavangudi, Bengaluru in association with Department of Studies, Bangalore University and Chemistry Teachers Forum held on 6th and 7th January 2017. The faculty member is a member of the Chemistry Teachers’ Forum, Bangalore University, Bangalore, Life Member of Indian Association of Solid State Chemists and Allied Scientists and a Member of Board of Examiners, CMR University and Jyothi Nivas College, Bangalore.

Mrs. Anitha S, Faculty member:

Attended a two day workshop on “ Discussion on revised B.Sc Chemistry syllabus (CBCS) of Bangalore University and Lecture Series on New Topics” organized by the Departments of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Vijaya College, Basavangudi, Bengaluru in association with Department of Studies, Bangalore University and Chemistry Teachers Forum held on 6th and 7th January 2017.

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY:

Apart from the class room interaction, LCD OHP, short video clipping and project based practices were followed. Assignments were given to the students on the topics: Economic Importance of Fungi in Medicine, Industry and Agriculture, Economic Importance of Gymnosperms and Origin of life was given to the students of I, II & III Year respectively

Industrial visits/ field trips organized

An industrial visit to Heritage Grape Winery, Ramnagara, Bengaluru, to understand “Wine Processing and Wine Tasting” on the 12th March 2016.

The students of III B. Sc. visited the Lalbagh flower show on the 11th August 2016 as a part of their Taxonomy paper.

A field trip to FRLHT (Foundation for Revitalization of Local Health Traditions) was organized on the 4th October 2016. The topics dealt by the eminent taxonomists were “Importance of documentation of medicinal plants in the context of conservation, an internal visit to the Repository for Medicinal Plant Resources, Centre for Pharmacognosy, Pharmaceutics, Pharmacology departments and Ethanomedicinal Garden was organized.

A visit to Monsanto- a publicly traded American Multinational Agrochemical and Agricultural Biotechnology Corporation at Manyata Tech Park was organized on the 26th of October to study the Plant Breeding and Hybridization Techniques.

A visit to CSIR- CFTRI, Mysuru was organized on the 10th of March 2017. Of the various departments in the institute the students were privileged to visit TTBD (Technology Transfer and Business Development), SFS (Spice and Flavor Science), MFT (Microbiology and Fermentation Technology), PCT (Protein Chemistry Technology) departments, which was a great eye-opener for the students.

Fests conducted:

An intercollegiate competition Potpourri (Concoction) was conducted on the 16th September during Disha in which many colleges participated of which Jain College bagged the first place and the second and the third place was bagged by BCWCC.

The students of CBBT participated in the intercollegiate science fest “VIJNAN 2017” organised by Vijaya College on the 2nd and 3rd March and “ENIGMA 2K17” organized by Goodwill Christian College for Women. The students participated in various events of which a few in which they won prizes include, Quiz, Crossword, Triplet codon, Tetramers, Dust art, Funk from Junk, Modific.

Weaker students were identified and mentored by giving regular tests and assignments

Mrs. Esther Watson, Head of the Department.

Attended a one day workshop on “**Wine Processing and Wine Tasting**” at Heritage Grape Winery, on the 12th March 2016.

She holds the position as a member of Board of Examiners, CMR University and has set few question papers.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY:

Innovative Practises:

Presentations of the related topics

Transparency sheets for discussion, group discussion and quiz are conducted.

Live presentations using Youtube was done for students to make them understand better and so that fundamentals of subject would remain for longer period in their memory. Students present their syllabus related seminars, in order to develop confidence and expertise in the subject.

Role play was performed to rule out individual differences enhance teaching –learning method.

Assignments given to the students:

IBSc: Ultrastructure of Bacteria

IIBSc: Transcription and Transposons

IIIBSc: Production of Spirulina and Edible vaccine

Industrial Visits/ Field Trips Organised

October 26th 2016- Visit to Monsanto

Monsanto was founded in 1901, 116yrs old company, headquarters Missouri, U.S. The first company to conduct field trials of genetically modified crops. They focused on Biotechnology. In 2015 Monsanto was the world's biggest supplies of seeds. It is one of the sophisticated Research labs in Bangalore. The students were exposed to various sectors of the company, they are not only involved in research but they possess various departments dealing with validation, quality analysis and documentation.

March 10th 2017- Visit to Central Food Technology Research Institutes-

Students were exposed to different departments of CFTRI, Resource person explained the technologies involved in food preservation and manufacturing various products. Some of the departments deal with the production of dairy products, spirulina, bakery products, beverages, value added spice products, fruits and vegetable products.

Certificate courses-

One day workshop was conducted on February 28th by Monsanto Research centre. Scientists from different departments presented the techniques involved DNA isolation, plant breeding and genetic engineering techniques. Students had hands on experience in PCR techniques, DNA isolation slides were observed under stereomicroscope. They sponsored biotechnology books worth Rs. 50,000 to department library.

Career counseling was organized for CBBT students. Dr. Anuj was the resource person who highlighted about best opportunities in the fields of life science.

Mentoring activities

Special classes were held for students who were identified as average performers, weak students and with low learning abilities. Tests and assignments were given to improve their learning abilities. Students who undergo depression and frustrations in their personal life was identified , counseled and mentored , so that they have good relationships in the college and family .

Dr. Sharmila A, Head of the department:

Attended a one day workshop on “Wine processing and wine tasting” on 12th March 2016 at Heritage grape winery, Ramnagara.

Attended a Science academy sponsored lecture workshop on “Drug discovery and design” on 1st and 2nd February, 2017, organized by the Maharani Science college for women.

Member of the Board of Examiners for NMKRV and CMR University

Dr. Susanna P, Faculty member:

Attended a one day International seminar on the topic “ Ingenious teaching techniques in Higher education” that was held on the 16th of February 2017 at Good will Christian college for women.

Has undergone a one day workshop on “Wine processing and wine tasting” on 12th March 2016 at Heritage grape winery, Ramnagara.

Is on the Board of Examiners NMKRV College for Women and CMR University.

Was invited as Judge for the Ethnic day at United Mission Degree College on 17th October 2016.

HOME SCIENCE:

The teaching methods used in the classroom included use of models, charts, samples, pictures etc. The assignments given to the students included:

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| I Year B.A./B.Sc: | a) | Traditional Textiles of India. |
| | b) | Flip chart on Domains of Child Development |
| II Year B.A./B.Sc. | a) | Album on stages of Prenatal Development |
| | b) | Elements of Art and Principles of Design |
| III Year B.A/B.Sc. | a) | Rendering for different Textures |
| | b) | Eight-head figure – sketching |
| | c) | Nutrition during Adolescence |
| | d) | Methods and media of Communication |
| | e) | Creative Activities |

Field Trips:

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| I Year B.A./B.Sc. | a) | A visit to a weaving unit in January 2017 |
| | b) | A visit to an Early Childhood Education Centre in March 2017 |
| II Year B.A./B.Sc. | a) | A visit to a Home to study interiors in March 2017 |
| | b) | A visit to Lalbagh Botanical Garden in January 2017 |
| III Year B.A./B.Sc. | a) | A visit to an Early Childhood Education Centre – Maple Bear in February 2017 |
| | b) | A visit to Lalbagh Botanical Garden in January 2017 |

Fests Conducted:

The Department of Home Science conducted competitions in Flower Arrangement and Face Painting during Disha 2016-17, and Prizes were awarded.

Workshops Conducted:

The Department conducted a Workshop on Puppet Making for II Year B.A./B.Sc. students during the month of September 2016. The Resource person was Ms. Latha Sadagopan.

Mentoring Activities:

Mentoring for weak students especially in Practicals have been periodically conducted.

Dr. Grace Premila Victor, Head of the Department:

Attended an International Seminar on Ingenious Teaching Techniques in Higher Education at Goodwill Christian College for Women, on 16th February 2017.

She was a Member of the Board of Examiners, Paper Setter for Home Science and Examiner for Practical Exams for Autonomous Colleges during the year.

She was also the Convener of Christian Fest Exalted 2016 – Crossroads in the month of August 2016 and the Convener of IQAC during the year.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty member:

The faculty member is on the Board of Studies in Mount Carmel College – Composite Home Science, Smt. VHD Institute of Home Science – Bachelor of Care and Welfare & Interior Decoration and Design.

She is the Executive Committee Member of the Home Science Association of India, Karnataka Chapter.

Mrs. Felicia Sunil, Faculty member:

Attended a Seminar on Caregivers for Alzheimer's Patients in September 2016 at St. Mark's Cathedral, Bangalore.

She presented a paper on - Research Quality Circle: Presented a paper on Antimicrobial Activity on Silk Filaments using herbal agents in Gandhigram Rural University, Dindigul, Madurai, in January 2017.

MATHEMATICS:

The Department conducted a two-day Science Academies' Lecture Workshop on "Ordinary and Partial Differential Equations" on 23-24 September, 2016. Eminent mathematicians Prof. A. K. Nandakumaran from the Indian Institute of Science and Prof. Pradeep S Siddeshwar and Dr. Kanchana of Bangalore University delivered the lectures in the meeting. Nearly 75 participants including faculty and students from different colleges attended the Workshop. Our own students and faculty participated enthusiastically.

The meeting was wholly and generously supported by the Indian Academy of Science, Bangalore, Indian National Science Academy, Delhi and the National Academy of Sciences, Allahabad.

The Department has Question Banks for all semesters from which the students are required to submit regular assignments as part of their internal examinations and performance assessments.

Academically weak students are identified and provided with extra academic support in the form of one-on-one coaching, counselling etc.

Dr. G Muniraja, Head of the dept.

Attended the conference ‘Symposium on Complex Analysis and Geometry ‘ organized by Stefan Banach Mathematical Center at **Mathematical Research and Conference Center, Bedlewo, Poland** and presented a poster from 5th to 11th June 2016

Attended the conference ‘Recent Advances in Complex Geometry International Conference organised by CIMI LabEx and presented a paper titled ‘A note on certain Jacobi-type vector fields’ on Kaehler Manifolds’ at **Universite de Toulouse, Toulouse , France** from 13th to 22nd June 2016

COMPUTER SCIENCE:

The department was involved in various subject related projects. Presentations were given on a regular basis. Assignments were given to the Students on the following topics

Mathematics of Asymmetric Key Cryptography
Develop dynamic webpage
Simulation of Adder Circuits in Digital Electronics
Different testing methodologies in Software Engineering
Concurrency Control Techniques in Database Management Systems
Passes of a Compiler
Evolution of the components of a Programming System
Program for Banking System using Visual Programming

A Certificate Course was conducted for the I BCA students on Networking with Netsim, sponsored by the UGC .A Certificate Course was also conducted for the II BCA students on Embedded System, sponsored by the UGC. Remedial classes were conducted.

Mrs. Suja D Shanthi, Head of the Dept:

Attended the Faculty Development Programme held on 11th March 2017 at Presidency College on the topic “Theory of Computations and Cryptography & Network Security”.

She is a member of the Board of Studies in V.H.D. Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous) and a member of the Board of Examiners in Indian Academy Autonomous

College. She had set question paper for Bangalore University - V Semester B.Sc., for Government Science College- I Semester B.Sc. and for Indian Academy III Semester B.Sc. students.

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty member:

Setting of Question Paper for CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for VI Semester BCA (Autonomous) UG End Semester Examinations April 2016 System Software

Setting of Question Paper for CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for III Semester BCA (Autonomous) UG End Semester Examinations October 2016 OOP's using C++

Setting of Question Paper for CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for I Semester BCA (Autonomous) UG End Semester Examinations October 2016 Programming Concepts Using C

Mrs. Reeja Esther, Faculty member:

The faculty member is the paper setter for Kristu Jayanthi College, Bangalore (Autonomous) for V Semester BCA classes for the subject Computer Graphics.

She is the paper setter for VHD Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous) for IV Semester BCA classes for the subject Visual Programming

She is the paper setter for CMR Group of Institutions for the II BCA classes on the subject Data Structures.

DEPARTMENT OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES: M.COM.

A one day student seminar on the Relevance of Gandhian values- In the contemporary business world was held on 22nd December 2016 at Maharani Arts College.

(I Sem M.Com.,)

- Aparana S
- Hemalatha. Manohar
- Manjula. S
- Zaiba Kouser
- Sacchida Charantayya Swami
- Navya. K
- Khatijatul Kubra
- Hajira Tabassum
- Sadiya Tabassum

A National conference on “Innovations in Management and Strategies for Sustainable Business Development” was held at St. Joseph’s Evening College on 11th March 2017 -(II Sem M.Com.,)

- Hemalatha. Manohar
- Manjula.S
- Zaiba Kouser
- Sacchida Charantayya Swami
- Husna Samiulla

A one day UGC National Level Seminar on “International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)/ (IND-AS)-an impact” Seminar at St. Joseph’s College of Commerce on 31st August 2016 (III Sem M.Com.,)

- Sushmita. S
- Sri Vidya .K.V
- Ashvitha Vinod
- Preeti Khatana
- Rebecca Priya.R

An FDP on Goods and Services Tax was held at VVN Degree college on 10th February 2017 - (IV Sem M.Com.,)

- Shipa.A
- Vidhya.V
- Divyavan .K

All students of the IV Semester along with head of the department, Dr. Narasimhan K participated in a one day workshop on Research Methodology organized by Post Graduate Commerce Dept of Central College Bangalore university on 10th February 2017

Guest lectures held

On 8th November 2016 on “Effects Of Demonetization” by Prof. M.M Gupta, retired principal, Sheshadripuram College.

On 7th September 2016 by Dr. Kanishka K on “Marketing Dimension and Consumer Behavior” HOD of Business Management, at St. Joseph’s Evening College, Dean- MBA Training Program, St. Joseph’s Evening College.

On 20th October 2016 by Mr. Narappa Reddy, on “New Product Development and Pricing” Commercial Manager, Titan Watches Limited.

On 19th December 2016 by Mrs. Ratna Rajasingh, on “Corporate Social Responsibility” Mrs. Ratna Rajasingh works as Manager Sales and Operation in Koenig solutions.

On 21st October 2016 by Mc. Donald's on their ethical standards.

Student's achievements

Mrs. Rashmi and Ms. Sri vidhya participated in Commercial 2K17, Kristu Jayanti College on 1st March 2017 for the HR event and won the third prize.

Mrs. Rashmi also presented a paper on "Women Entrepreneurship and Sustainable Living" in Commercial 2K17, Kristu Jayanti College on 1st March 2017.

Industrial Visit:

An industrial visit was held on 22nd September 2016 to M.P.E.E Kitchenette Private Limited, Bangalore, manufacturers of kitchen utensils.

Freshers day

A fresher's day party was held by the II year students for the newcomers.

Dr. Narasimhan K, the co-ordinator, participated in a National Conference on "Innovations in Management and Strategies for Sustainable Business Development" at St. Joseph's Evening College on 11th March 2017

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

"I didn't believe in team motivation. I believe in getting a team prepared so it knows it will have the necessary confidence when it steps on the field and be prepared to play a good game." – Tom Landry

The college organised Bangalore University inter-collegiate Tournament for Women on 29th of August 2016 and the selections for the inter-university team was held on 30th August 2016.

Achievements:

Ms. Priyanka P of III BA and Ms. Gayathri P of III B.Com represented the Karnataka State Throw Ball team for the National level federation Cup Throw Ball Championship held at Kurnool, Andhra Pradesh, from 26th to 28th August 2016.

Ms. Soujanya K G of I M.com secured first place in 100 mts dash and 200 mts in the Bangalore University Athletic Meet held at Kanteerava Stadium held from 6th to 8th of October 2016. Soujanya clocked 12 seconds flat to finally obliterate a 45 year old record of 12.10 seconds set by Nirmala Uthaiiah of Mount Carmel College in the year 1971. The Management, Principal, Staff and the Students congratulate her on her achievement.

Ms. Jasmine Jennifer of I BA secured second place in the Heptathlon event in the Bangalore University Athletic Competition.

The college athletic team secured first place in the 4x100 mts relay in the Bangalore University in which Ms. Soujanya K G, Ms. Kavya, Ms. Jasmine Jennifer and Ms. Meghana participated.

Ms. Soujanya K G was selected to represent the Bangalore University Athletics for the All India Inter University which was held at Coimbatore from 11th to 15th of January 2017 organised by Anna University, Chennai.

Ms. Daniya Begum of II B. Sc secured Bronze medal in the Taekwondo conducted by Karnataka State Olympic games 2017 held at Hubli and Dharwad from 3rd to 10th February 2017 and she participated in the Bangalore University Taekwondo and secured first place. She was selected to represent Bangalore University at the All India University which was held at M.D. University Rohtak, Haryana from 15th to 20th of March 2017.

The College Throw Ball team participated at the Cambridge Institute of Technology, K R Puram, Bangalore and secured first place.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda, Physical Education Director was appointed as the Coach for the Bangalore University Athletic Team and she accompanied them to Coimbatore for the All India Inter-University from 9th to 16th January 2017.

The Annual Athletic Meet was held on 22nd February 2017 at the United Mission Degree College. The Chief Guest for the day was Athlete Smt. Pramila Aiyappa, Double Olympian and the Rajyotsava Awardee. The Guest of Honour was Smt. Bharathi B.L. International Athlete.

Ms. Daniya Begum, Sports Secretary of our College was the individual champion on Sports Day. The Best outgoing student of the year is Ms. Priyanka of III BA who represented the State in Throw Ball.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda,
Physical Education Director.

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE:

The library is well equipped with books for both the degree and M Com. Books have been purchased for the new courses, namely Zoology and M Sc. Psychology as well. Bar- coding has been completed for faster circulation of books. The library has a well balanced number of books, reputed journals and leading newspapers. The book bank & educational CD collection has been regularly updated.

Free internet services with wifi connection are provided for both staff and students. Photocopying & scanning facilities are available. The reference collection is enhanced regularly & the new arrivals and the special collection are displayed. Back volumes of magazines & subject journals are regularly sent to the respective departments for the staff to make use of.

Mrs. Rose Francis P,
Librarian.

COUNSELLING:

Counselling is a process that enables to sort out issues and reach decisions affecting their life. Often counselling is sought out a time of change or crisis, it need not be so however as counselling can also help us at any time of our life.

Counselling involves talking with a person in a way that helps a person solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause person to solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause a person to understand and /or improve his /her behaviour, character, values or life circumstances. In the end of the counselling process, the client himself /herself has a insight to the problem and he/she becomes empowered to take his or her own decision.

Counselling programmes involves individual sessions with students, where truth serves as a mean to reach the goals of counselling .Follow up sessions are carried out as on a regular basis and parents are involved in the process if the need demands.

The counsellor was also actively involved in meeting the students and parents who have shortage of attendance. They were counselled and advised to be regular to college and to maintain 75% attendance in all subjects. In future, the counsellor hopes to instill skills that will enable our students to be efficient and successful.

Counselling is defined as the service of helping people to adjust or deal with personal problems, by enabling them to discover for themselves the solution to the problems when receiving attention from a counsellor.

The Counsellor's View point

As the counsellor, I had to deal with not counselling but also address issues and manage the help desk to help our students and parents. Throughout the year, I met students, staff and parents addressing many issues like peer pressure, parental pressure, academic pressure, personal problems, relationship problems, depression, career guidance, shortage of attendance ,misconduct, enquiries, ventilation ,interpersonal problems, relationship problems and other issues. I have maintained confidentiality and dealt with each individual on a non judgemental basis .Certain sensitive matters had to be taken up with the Principal and handled delicately. I have maintained confidential reports after every sessions and also maintained a record of work on a daily basis. I have also got feedback from students, parents and staff on the sessions that were conducted. Certain case follow up sessions were taken up by me. Students who had

approached me seeking help have also brought their classmates and friends for various issues. This shows a definite positive impact of my counselling services.

Respondents were asked for general comments or remarks of the service provided.

My primary tasks to support the academic session of the college by providing a range of interventions which enhance a students' ability to be consistently engaged with achieving their academic potential

Other activities

The counsellor had given a talk on the topic "Adolescent Counseling" to the second year students of the Home Science department on the 7th September 2016.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ASSEMBLY:

Assemblies were conducted on alternative Thursdays of the month during the value education hour. The first assembly for the year was held on 09.01.2017. The staff led the assembly with a time of devotion by Mrs. Sheela, Faculty, Department of B.B.A. The Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar introduced the members of the Student Welfare Committee for the year 2016-2017 and announcements were made for the enrolment of the students into the various committees/clubs.

The final year students were given an opportunity to conduct the assembly class wise. A theme was chosen by the class keeping in mind -special events/days/festivals. The entire program –the bible reading, the prayer, skit, tableau or choreography was chosen in accordance with the theme. A special assembly was held on 06.03.2017 in the view of student council elections for the year 2016-2017. Dept. of Sociology and Student Welfare Committee conducted the assembly on 30.3.2017 to commemorate International Women's Day.

Announcements were made regarding the forthcoming events and programs by the concerned department or committee. Students were recognized during the assembly for their achievement in academics, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.

Mrs. G. Harshini Esther.
Convenor.

VALUE EDUCATION:

Value education classes were held on Thursdays during the value education hour by the class teacher in order to inculcate our students with moral and ethical good values and be achievers in

society and also contribute back to the society. The value education classes are interactive and students are taught using multimedia aids, videos, group discussion, debates and short stories. The schedule comprised of topics such as values, life enrichment skills, interpersonal relationships, personality development etc. A feedback on each session was given by the class teacher.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor

ANTI RAGGING:

The anti ragging committee in order to take care and prevent ragging visited the classes of all the first year students. The committee explained to each class the strict anti ragging policy of our college. The students were told that the college has a zero tolerance policy on ragging. The details on 24/7 anti ragging helpline was put on the notice boards.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

SEXUAL REDRESSAL:

As education and increasing awareness are the best ways to prevent sexual harassment. The members of sexual harassment committee visited all the classes and informed students about the different aspects of inappropriate gender - based sexual behaviour. A questionnaire was distributed among students to find out the level of understanding among students on various issues related to sexual harassment.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL – E – EVOLVE:

The Entrepreneurship cell of the College is an initiative by NEN supported by Wadhwani Foundation. It began its activities for the academic year 2016 – 2017 with an orientation program on 17th August 2016. The chief guest for the orientation program was Mrs. Sridevi Adlekha of OSSA architects. She emphasized on the journey of being an Entrepreneur and urged the young girls to believe in themselves and search for their hidden talent and work on it.

The faculty members of the E-cell are Ms. Suriya Naaz, Dept of Commerce, Mrs. Porkodi S Dept of Commerce, Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond, Dept of Management Studies, Mrs. Jai Laxmi R, Dept of Hindi, Ms. Anita Clarin, Dept of Physics and Ms. Vandana M, Dept of Commerce.

During the activity hour every Friday various activities are conducted by the E-cell leaders such as Fifty Rupees Venture, Warm-up Exercises, Inspirational Videos, Webinars, Movie Screening,

Idea Generation etc. The E-cell students are undergoing an E-cell certificate course WF NEN 100:- Orientation program in Entrepreneurship. As part of the awareness program our students have attended an awareness program on Digital Payment.

Our students have also taken part in the SmartE Challenge competition conducted by NEN, namely Lights, Camera Entrepreneurs!

The Alumni meet was organized on 1st April 2017 .it was a memorable day for all of them as they expressed their happiness in being a part of the E-cell club and this also helped us in boosting the energy level for the present E-cell members.

Our final year B.Com students Shah Sabiha Bano and Kiran attended a two day E-leader workshop on 6th and 7th October 2016 at M S. Ramaiah Institute of Management, Bangalore.

Mr. Asgar Ahmed – NEN (Director student Entrepreneurship Development) and our Nen Consultant Ms. Bhumika Jain interacts with our students and encourages them to take part actively in the E-cell activities

The following e-cell faculty members attended the Educator program conducted by E-cell

1. Ms. Suriya Naaz, Dept of Commerce and Mrs. Porkodi. S Dept of Commerce, attended a NEN Entrepreneurship Educator Program:- WF 100 from 23rd -25th June 2016 at St. Joseph College Of Commerce.
2. Ms. Suriya Naaz, Dept of Commerce and Mrs Jai Laxmi. S Dept of Hindi attended a NEN Entrepreneurship Educator Program:- WF 101 from 27th -29th December 2016 at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College For Women.

Following are the student ventures in campus:

- MELTING MOMENTS:- founded by Ashika Jain of II B.Com- The company deals with home-made Chocolates and home-made Donuts.
- THE CREATIVE GALLERY:- founded by Ms. Pooja A. Haran of II B.Com – the company deals with Home-made Chocolates, Designer Panel, Dream Catcher Key-chains.

Ms. Suriya Naaz

Convenor

STUDENT WELFARE:

The Student Welfare Committee for the academic year 2016-2017 was represented by the following faculty members.

Mrs. Prathiba David – Convenor

Ms. Rita Josephine, Mr. Hombaiah, Mrs. Jayakiruba, Mrs. Sonu David, Mrs. Porkodi S and Mrs. G Harshini Esther

The Student Council was represented by

President - Niveditha S

Vice President - Sukanya Halder

General Secretary - Ashmita Saha

Cultural Secretary - Shubha S

Sports Secretary - Daniya Begum

Treasurer - Pooja Bhandari

Literary Co-ordinator - Tanisha Sharma

Chapel Prefect - Karalin Jenitha

SCM Prefect - Ammu Aniyar

The Committee organised various programmes during the year 2016-2017.

An Orientation Programme for I Degree Students was organized on 30th June 2016. The Chief Guest – Mr. Anson Ben, Founder, Winner's Orbit.

The Student Council Election was held on 22nd July 2016 and the above mentioned students were elected.

Leadership Training Programme was conducted for the newly elected Student Council Officers and Prefects on 23rd July 2016. The following faculty members conducted the Leadership Training Programme .

Ms. Jyothi B G, Head, Department of Economics

Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Department of Psychology

Dr. Marie Kavitha, Faculty, Department of Home Science

Dr. Renuka Paul, Faculty, Department of Psychology

The Investiture Ceremony for the newly elected Student Council was held on 5th August 2016. The Chief Guest – Dr. Edwin Christopher, Principal, New Horizon College

Fresher's Day was organised on 9th August 2016.

Inter-class competition was conducted by Student Council on 18th - 23rd August 2016.

Teachers' Day Celebration was held on 10th September 2016.

The Annual Inter-Collegiate Literary and Cultural Fest DISHA -2016 with the theme "India - A Kaleidoscope" – the seen, the unseen and to foresee was organised on the 16th and 17th September 2016. The Chief Guest was Mr. Sankey Prasad, Chairman and Managing Director, Synergy – Property Development Services (P) Ltd., Judah Sandhy – Music Director

A Fashion Week was organised by the Student Council on 30th & 31st January and 1st February 2017.

The Student Council Election was held on 7th March 2017 and the following students were elected:

President – Pooja Sharma, Vice President – Sufiya Suhail, General Secretary – Zaina Mymoon
Cultural Secretary – Cecilia S, Sports Secretary – Daniya Begum, Treasurer- Sowmya Susan
Literary Co-ordinator – Cecilia Juanita, Chapel Prefect – Libnah Sherin Wilson
SCM Prefect – Jeba Jyothi Jansi Rani

A Special Women's Day Assembly was organised by the Department of Sociology, along with the members of the Student Council on 30th March 2017.

A Thanks Giving Service was conducted on 4th April 2017, for the graduating students. The Chief Guest was Ms. Mary G Paul, Practice Head Counselling and the message was on "Lean On Me"

The Valedictory for the year 2017 was conducted on 5th April 2017 with the theme "The Incredible Power of Hope". The Chief Guest was Dr. Abraham Ebenezer, Former Principal, Bishop Cotton Boys' High School, Rajyotsava Awardee for Excellence in Education and Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, Former President of India Award for Best Educationist.

Mrs. Prathiba David,
Convenor.

ECO-WATCH CLUB: (GO GREEN AND CLEAN)

This year the club mainly focused on recycling waste products and reusing it and reducing the use of non-biodegradable products. 3R's was the basis for all the thoughts and implementation of the creative ideas this year.

The club collaborated with the paper recycling unit of Christ University and implemented the idea of using handmade paper files made out of the recycled papers in the various activities held at the college. The files were used during fests and National conferences in inculcating the idea of being eco-friendly.

Awareness program was another step taken by the club to promote clean-green environment. The members took part in the awareness program on August 15th for the flower show held at Lalbagh Botanical gardens.

Innovative gardening was actively implemented in the college this year. Tyre gardening was done, where tyres were painted and different varieties of plants were planted into it. This proved to be an attractive view for all the visitors and students in the college. Waste pet bottles were

used for bottle gardening which showcased the recycle and reuse project. Pyramid gardening, using pots and hanging them on walls shaping into a pyramid proved the innovation and creative ideas of the students.

Outreach programs were also a part of this club where club members visited Bannarghatta national park through “Arocha” an international organization which deals with human-elephant conflict. Students got an idea about their seasonal movements, their intensity of conflicts with humans, wild life conservation and identifying possible solutions to the problem through the participation of local community.

The club organized various competitions on the occasion of Eco day conducted on 3rd April 2017. Some competitions like these were conducted. Making E-cards, Wealth out of waste, Working models based on Ecological concepts, Bio-rangoli and Pot-pourri

There was a talk on “Ecological concerns” by Rev. Prem Mitra, Presbyter, St. Mark’s Cathedral, Bengaluru.

The winners of various competitions were awarded along with the club members for their selfless service and dedication to the Eco watch club throughout the year.

Dr.Sharmila A,
Convenor.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL- IQAC:

The first IQAC meeting after the re-accreditation in March 2014 was conducted on 16/10/2014. Dr. Grace Premila, Head of the Department, Department of Home Science was unanimously selected to be co-ordinator of IQAC team. The members of the IQAC committee are Dr. Renuka Paul, Ms. Jyothi B.G., Dr. Jacqueline T.R., Dr. Manonmani S., Mr. Kaleel Ahmed, Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Dr. Narasimhan, Mrs. Prathiba David, Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Mrs. Leena Raymond, Mr. Praveen Kumar, Dr. Susanna, Mrs. Suvina Benjamin, and Mrs. Sujaya. The IQAC team were asked to get ready with the AQAR by November 2014. The AQAR was sent in December 2014.

Periodically, IQAC meetings have been conducted, and some of the topics discussed were:

- a) To plan a state-level UGC sponsored seminar/workshop (one department each semester).
- b) Plan for PG courses
- c) Remedial course
- d) Conduct state level and national level seminars by setting target dates.
- e) To tap UGC grants for research and lab equipments.

In November 2015, a national level and conference was planned to be held in the month of February 2016. Planning and organizing the conference was done by the IQAC team with the support and guidance of the Principal. Higher Education of Women - Opportunities and Challenges, was selected as the theme for the conference. It was held on 26th February 2016. The chief guest for the conference was Mr. P.W.C. Davidar, IAS, and the Guest-of Honor was Dr. Shanthi Davidar – Consultant Psychiatrist. The key note address speaker was Dr. Susheela Kaushik. For the valedictory, the speaker was Dr. Latha Christie, a Scientist.

Paper presentations were conducted in the field of Commerce and Management, Science and Technology, and Humanities. The panelists for the conference were Dr. Asftab Hussain, Dr. S. Ramesh and Dr. Shanthi Davidar. The moderator for the panel discussion was Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology of our college.

There were nine paper presenters in Humanities, six presented papers in Science, and Commerce and Management there were nine paper presenters. The best paper award in Science and Humanities were won by our Student-presenters. Apart from Bangalore, there were participants from Chennai, Madurai and Hyderabad. The conference was planned and conducted well. There was positive feedback from the participants of the conference.

IQAC meeting which was held on 25/3/2017 had the following agenda:

- *Alumni Meet to be held in April 2017
- *PG diploma in Kannada
- *Foundation courses
- *To form green audit committee
- *Drilling borwells
- *To form ICC-internal complaints committee

Dr. Grace Premila Victor,
Convenor

LEGAL LITERACY PROGRAMME:

The Legal Literacy Programme for the year 2016- 2017 was organised for the II B.Com students. The main focus of the programme was 'Women and Law'. The resource persons for the programme were the faculty from Bishop Cotton Women's Christian Law College.

This legal awareness programme comprises of five sessions. The first session was about the Cyber crimes and protection for women according to Information technology act, 2000 the session also had an discussion about the World Women's Day.

The second session dealt with Succession and Inheritance according to Hindu and Mohammadan law this was followed by the third session which dealt with Domestic violence and remedies available for women in India.

The fourth session was on the topic Labour Legislation and women's rights at the work place. It included the Directive Principles of State policy, provisions of various legislations relating to women workers, sexual harassment at the work place and the legal remedies.

The fifth session was on Criminal prosecution and Procedural law. It included hierarchy of criminal courts, their jurisdiction, the filing of an FIR and Charge sheet

All the sessions were interactive. The programme made the students aware of women's rights, their duties, various legal procedures and legal remedies. The sessions were not only interesting and informative but also helped in knowledge building for the students.

Mrs. Porkodi S,
Convenor

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME- NSS:

Orientation:

On 9th August 2016, NSS unit conducted orientation for all the NSS Volunteers. Mr. Viswaradhya, HOD, Department of Kannada and NSS Programme Officer of ASC Degree College inaugurated the programme. The Chief Guest addressed the students on various activities of NSS at the National Level. Further the students were given knowledge about the formation of NSS.

Independence Day:

The NSS unit celebrated Independence Day in our college campus. Mrs. VasudhaPansare, HOD, Department of English and Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, HOD, Department of Hindi, hoisted the National Flag and addressed the gathering. This was followed by a cultural programme performed by NSS Volunteers and NCC Cadets.

Panel Discussion:

NSS Volunteers participated in the Panel Discussion on Genderlogue e-Digitalisation in Social Change on 22nd August 2016 organised by Mount Carmel College in association with Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, India.

Shramadhana:

As a part of Shramadhana programme on 29th August and 20th March 2016, NSS Volunteers cleaned the college campus to maintain cleanliness and hygiene.

Digital Payment Campaign:

The NSS Volunteers were taken to S.P. Road, Bangalore to spread awareness and to educate the small vendors on different modes of Digital Payments.

NSS Special Camp:

The NSS unit organized a Special Camp from 31st January to 6th February 2017 at CSI Community Centre, Muthsandra, Tumkur. The Special Camp was inaugurated on 1st February 2017 by the Chief Guest Mr. A.S. Sudharshan, Superintendent, CSI Vocational Centre, Tumkur and Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal – Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

Guest Lectures were conducted for the volunteers on topics such as Role of Technology in Rural Banking by Mr. S. Jayasimha, Advocate & Corporate Consultant, Tumkur and Role of Youth in Development of Nation by Mr. Raghavendra, Assistant Professor, Acharya Bangalore B School. The Volunteers visited Government School, Muthsandra, Tumkur and conducted craft and dance classes for the primary students on 1st and 2nd February 2017.

The unit also conducted an outreach activity on Digital payments and created awareness among the residence of that locality.

Cultural activities were also conducted by the NSS Volunteers as part of the NSS Special Camp.

Outreach Programme:

The NSS Volunteers visited Angels Orphanage, Shivajinagar, Bangalore as part of the outreach programme. The volunteers conducted cultural programme for the kids, taught craft work and contribution in kind was given.

Ms. Jenifer Soniya. S
NSS Programme Officer

REMEDIAL CLASS:

Remedial Classes were conducted by various departments during remedial hour, class and lunch hours. Faculty members identified the weak students on their performance in the university exam and have given assignments and class tests to improve their academic performance. Extra classes have been taken by a few staff also.

Mrs. Chaya Anil Kumar
Convenor

GOSPEL FEST – EXALTED:

The Annual Gospel Fest EXALTED'16 was held on 12th August 2016. The theme for the Fest was "CROSSROAD-Jeremiah 6:16". The Fest witnessed Biblical talents of students from around twenty colleges who took part in various events.

The inauguration began with a brief of the theme by the chapel coordinator followed by opening prayer, bible reading and praise & worship lead by the college choir. The Principal's address was followed by an interactive session by the guest speaker Rev. C. A .Benjamin on the topic "Marriage As An Institution". The fest was declared open by Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal, BCWCC followed by prayer and benediction.

Various competitions were conducted which included Western & vernacular singing, Quiz, Potpourie, My Story My Witness and Choreography.

The students of Arpana School for special children gave a special performance which spell bound the audience. The Steve's gym crew performed amazing stunts through which biblical values were conveyed.

The fest concluded with the NGS band's musical evening. God's presence and grace was felt and carried throughout the fest.

Dr. Grace Premila Victor,
Convenor.

COLLEGE CHOIR:

The Choir forms an integral part of every program of the college. The year began with auditions in the month of July. Students from all the three years enrolled themselves for the auditions and 30 students were selected. The Choir met regularly for practice during the activity hour on Fridays.

Hymns and special songs were selected in relevance to the theme of a program. The PUC and the Degree Choir students came together for special programs - St. Peter's Day, Investiture, Gospel Fest and Christmas. The highlight of the year was the 40 member strong choir for the Christmas Program with the theme "When Love was Born". With soulful solos, duets and quartets, the choir enthralled the audience.

The Choir also took part in a number of Inter-Collegiate competitions and programs.

Ms. Rita Josephine Eve K, Convenor
Mrs. Reeja Esther
Mrs. Rachel Joshua

CHAPEL:

Chapel forms an integral part of the College. The Chapel services are held every alternate Thursdays during the Value Education hour during which each class takes turns to conduct the service which include a message by a lecturer of the host class. Students participate in lively singing, sharing experiences which are testimonies for a healthy spiritual life. The academic year as well as the new year began with a communion service and was graced with the presence of Rev. Satyanandam Paul. Vice Chairman, Board of Management and Presbyterian-in-charge, St. Peter's Telugu church.

This year we inaugurated a Prayer cell in the month of July 2016 where the prayer requests from the students were taken and prayed for. Students dropped in their prayer requests at the Prayer cell, apart from the regular Chapel services, "The Indian Youth For Christ" were invited to give special messages on various topics. The students actively participated in all the sermons and were blessed abundantly. We also went on a chapel outreach program to C.S.I Bethany Church, Chennapatna on the 18th of March 2017. The students visited the Old age home at Bethany Church and spent their time with the inmates of the old age home.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore – Convenor
Mrs. Suja D Shanthi
Mrs. Sheela Margaret

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT OF INDIA – SCMI:

The unit was able to register 80 students for the academic year. The students actively participated in the following programmes held throughout the year viz.,

SCMI Gender and Social Justice desk, in collaboration with Aneka Organization organized a national workshop on "Understanding Human Gender and Sexuality" at SCMI house from 4th - 6th February 2016, in which Ms. Ammu Aniyan Kunju, Ms. Diana Hoover, Ms. Agnes peter and Ms. Mansa v actively participated in the same.

The Young Men Christian Association (YMCA) organized a two day camp on the theme "Youth for Social Action" from 18th -20th March at Elagiri Hills, Velore. Ms. Jeba Jyothi Jansi Rani, Ms. Incilla Jaba Kani, Ms. Agnes Peter and Ms. Diana Hoover participated in the camp.

Unit Inaugural function- our college inaugurated the SCMI activities in the month of August 2016 for the academic year 2016-2017 in the college campus. The unit president Ms. Ammu

Aniyan Kunju and a SCMer Ms. Agnes Peter shared their experiences in SCMI and invited new friends to SCMerS.

SCMI Gender and Social justice desk, in collaboration with Globethics.net organized a national workshop on “Be No Longer Silent Bearers” with regard to the UN’s call to Be Bold for a Change. It was scheduled at the SCMI house from 7th- 9th March 2017, in which Ms. Ammu Aniyan, Ms. Diana Hoover, Ms. Agnes Peter and Ms. Jeba Jyothi Jansi Rani actively took part in.

We thank God Almighty for enabling us to participate in the various activities of the SCM during this academic year. We also thank our Principal and staff who encouraged us in all our endeavors. All glory be to God alone.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David ,Convenor
Ms. Vidya Shree R

STAFF WELFARE:

A one day staff retreat from 9.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. on 17th February 2017 was conducted by Dr. Rebecca Vedamanikam, Regional Representative-India and South Asia, Haggai Institute. The topics covered were Teaching – A Divine Commission, Effective Communication Skills, Importance of Value based Education and Setting Priorities. The sessions were interactive and interesting and the staff benefitted immensely.

A ten day trip to Israel, Jordan, Egypt and Dubai and a 3 day trip to Kodaikanal has been organized for the staff

Dr. Renuka Paul
Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed
Convenors.

YWCA – Y UNIT:

Y-unit Inauguration programme was done on 26th August 2016. Students were made aware of Y-unit functioning and activities were planned for the year 2016-2017.

Y-unit Poster Making Competition: “women empowerment and Harassment :

The competition was held on 20th January in Dept of Physics. Many students participated and won prizes .

World Prayer Day: 3rd March

The World Prayer Day was held on 10th March in Mission Compound YWCA office. Students from Y-unit attended the prayer day. Rev. Sanjay Samuel was invited as a special speaker for the day.

The prayer theme was mainly for Philippines country.

Ms. Anitha Clarin

Convenor.

PLACEMENT CELL AND CAMPUS RECRUITMENT:

Standard Chartered Bank:

Assess People, a leading workforce assessment services company has been retained to manage the assessment process for Scope International.

An Online Test was conducted on 6 & 7th February 2017 - at 9.30 am

Students recruited:

70 students did the online test on 5th February 2017. 5 students were shortlisted

They were:

1. Anjali Singh
2. Divya S III B.Sc.
3. Perna Singh BBM
4. Sushmita III B.Com B
5. Harshitha Bhandary III B.Com
6. Smruthi Angel III B.Com
7. Shaistha Rafeeq III B.Com

Ipomo Communications India Pvt Ltd

IPOMO set up Cocorooms an APP which can be downloaded by students & serves as a collaborative platform disseminating information on -

- Daily news and posts with regard to job openings, career, internships,
- Inter-collegiate quiz competition
- Discussion, debates and poll on the latest topics from business, politics, sports, movies
- Mentor square – weekly Q & A session with experts from industry & academia, live streaming of seminars, events and conferences
- My campus project – share campus projects and fests, seminar details

I Nurture Education Solution

Conducted a Seminar on 20th January 2017 on “**ALTERNATIVE CAREERS IN NEW AGE INDUSTRIES" Business Analytics**

Aptech Aviation & Hospitality Academy, Castle Street

Conducted a Seminar on 22nd January 2017 on “Career Prospects in the Aviation Industry”

Dr. Vijayshri R,
Placement C-ordinator.

ROTARACT CLUB:

The installation of the office bearers for the year 2016-17 was held on 27th August 2016. The Chief Guest was RTN Dr. Srinivas .Padmashri Awardee President Rotary Club of Banashankari.

On 19th August there was a workshop on SUSTAINABLE MENSTRUATION BY eco experts Mrs. Malini and ms.sharmada. There WAS A TREK TO MADHUGIRI BETTA on 23rd September 2016.30 rotaractors took part .

A talk on’ WHAT IT TAKES TO BE A ROTARACTOR ‘ was given by RTN .SHASIDHAR on 6th Jan 2017 for the club members.

The Rotaract club office bearers RTR Sriveda and RTR Akshita presented VISAKHA – DIGITAL INDIA a HRD ministry initiative to the III BA,BSC and BCA streams on 13th January 2017. This initiative was taken forward and a community based teaching was conducted for the YWCA diploma students at the Koramangala unit on 30th January 2017.

A poster making competition was organized on 25th Jan 2017 on the topic –Save Electricity

A talk on BODY IMAGE AND PERSONALITY was organized 10th February 2017. The resource person was Ms. Sharmadha.

Two fund raisers by Prachi and group and Farnaz and group. Those projects raised adequate funds for the club.

A chocolate chip cookie making demonstration was organized by RTR.Vindiya on 10th March 2017.

A visit to Jerome home for the aged was organized by the club members .it was a fruitful interaction .With the funds raised small gifts and snacks were distributed to the inmates.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran
Convenor.

YOUTH RED CROSS SOCIETY:

“Development of personality through community service”, this is the unique system that the Red Cross Society is adapted to impress upon the youth. The importance of serving our society when one as self-less thoughts, self-less deeds automatically follows and this in turn builds a rapport with others and boosts the development of one’s personality.

The college Youth Red Cross Society celebrated Independence Day and Republic Day with a great patriotism in the college campus. The salute was taken by the Principal, staff and the students.

The blood donation camp in collaboration with Sanman Voluntary Organisation was conducted on 14th March 2017 in the college Seminar Hall in the aid of Cancer patients of Kidwai hospital. Every donor was presented with the certificate and the institution was awarded with a special certificate and memento.

The response was immense and 53 units of blood were collected from the Staff and Students and donated to Kidwai Hospital.

Ms. Nirmala Gowda C
PED/Nodal Officer

NATIONAL CADET CORPS – NCC:

The regular activities of the NCC unit began with **NCC Enrollment** of students for the year 2016-2017, on the 25th July 2016. There was a good response from both PUC and Degree students in their physical fitness through a number of races and shuttle. The GCI along with a PI staff from 1 Karnataka Girls Battalion were present for the Enrollment and the GCI highlighted the benefits of NCC. 40 girls were selected and became a part of the NCC Unit for the year 2016-2017, and attended a number of camps.

Independence Day- on 15th August 2015 was celebrated with the NCC Cadets, the NSS Students, Union Members and the students of BCWCC.

Local Independence Day- was held on 15th August 2016 at Manekshaw Parade Ground. JUO. Swathi K had participated in this parade.

Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) was compulsory for all the cadets. 7 Cadets attended this Camp. The Camp was held from 10th October 2016 to 19th October 2016 at Doddaballapura Besant Park.

National Integration Camp (NIC) – Held on 14th October 2016 to 25th October 2015 at Madikeri. Cadets Preethi.R and Adalin Jancy attended this camp.

NCC Day- The NCC Day is celebrated on the 4th Sunday of the month of November.

VISAKA – The NCC cadets were educated on new digital mode of payments and were asked to submit their Aadhar card no. and Bank details as asked by the Unit on 16th January 2017.

Republic Day- on 26th January 2017 along with the NCC Cadets, the NSS students Union Members and the students of BCWCC celebrated Republic Day.

PINKATHON – (Marathon) on 29th January 2017 , 29 NCC Cadets along with the ANO and other staff participated in support of Breast cancer awareness.

Local Republic Day Parade- was held on 26th January 2016 at Manekshaw Parade Ground. Swathi K participated in this parade.

Lt. Mrs. Bhavya N.P
Associate NCC Officer.

BANGALORE UNIVERSITY STUDENT ACHIEVER:

MS. ARSHIYA TAZEIN – III B.SC. – CHP

It is with great pride that we would like to put on record the achievement of the above mentioned student in the Bangalore University Examination. She has won the following :

- **DR. SUSHEELA LINGAIAH GOLD MEDAL** - for securing the highest marks in aggregate in Home Science.
- **SMT. B SUSHEELA LINGAIAH PRIZE** – for obtaining the highest marks in Nutrition taken as an Optional Subject.
- **D KALAMMA M C GOUDA CASH PRIZE** – for securing the highest marks in Home Science

ENDOWMENT PRIZES LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS 2016-2017

- **J Balamani Krishnappa Memorial Prize: Instituted by (Late) Mrs. Supriya Steele (well-wisher of the College) for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination:**
 - I B.A. – Noor-E-Saba (EPH)**
 - II B.A. – Amritha. C Jadwani (HEP)**
 - III B.A. – Samanvitha. L (SPE)**
- **Mrs. Grace Moses Prize: Instituted by Mr. Davis Moses for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination:**
 - I B.Sc. – Pooja Parihar (CBBT)**
 - II B.Sc. – S. Divya (CBBT)**
 - III B.Sc. – Puja Rauniyar (CBBT)**
- **Rt. Rev. & Mrs. Wharton, Bishop of New Castle, UK Prize: For the student securing highest marks in the University Examination:**
 - I B.Com. – Pooja .K. Bhandari**
 - II B.Com. –Shefali. H. Sheth**
 - III B.Com.- K. A. Helashika R. Abayakoon**

- **Mrs. Elizabeth Joseph Prize: Former Principal of the College and School for the Degree student in Optional English University Examination: Samanvitha . L (SPE)**

- **Supreme Universe International Travel Agent & Tour Organisers Special Prize: for the student who has scored the highest marks in Journalism & Political Science – University Examination:**

Journalism - Amulya M. G

Political Science – Nikitha V Patel

- **Department of Kannada Prize: Sri Kuvempu Sahitya Puraskaara: Nahida Kauser – III B. Sc.**

Department of Hindi Prize: Premchand Saahitya Ratna Puraskaar - For the student securing the highest marks in Hindi – University Examination: Maimuna – III BBA

- **M/s Crazy Holidays Prize for the best Degree student in Home Science – University Examination: Arshiya Tazein**

- **Picasso Animation College Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in B.Sc. Computer Science – University Examination: Binetha Sharma**

- **Mr. S D Mark Memorial Prize: for the student who has scored highest marks in Botany – University Examination: Puja Rauniyar (CBBT)**

- **Ms. Sanghita Sen Memorial Prize – Humanities -for the student who has secured the highest marks in University Examination:**

History -Monica Jain

Economics – Nikitha V Patel

Sociology – Arul Kani

Psychology – Varsha Dhevi L

- **Mr. Mathew Philip Memorial Prize: For the student securing highest marks in III BBA: Vuthranjanie Pusparaj**

- **GEMS – B School and MMIHE, Bengaluru Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Accountancy (BBA) – University Examination: Mohammed Rizwan Fathima Safra**

- **Mr. Mehboob Shariff Memorial Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in III BCA: Anisa Sanobar**

- **Dr. & Dr. (Mrs) Gemson Prize: For the best Degree student in Mathematics – University Examination: Binetha Sharma**
- **Dr. & Dr. (Mrs) Gemson Prize: For the best Degree student in Physics – University Examination: Binetha Sharma**
- **CITO Infotech Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Chemistry – University Examination: Puja Rauniyar**
- **Sri Raksha Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in Auditing (B.Com.) – University Examination: Bhuvana . N**

SPECIAL AWARDS – 2017

BEST OUTGOING STUDENT:

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|--------|---------------------|
| B.A. | - AMRITHA C JADWANI |
| B.SC. | - S DIVYA |
| B.COM. | - LAVANYA R |
| BBA | - DIVYA GUSAIN |
| BCA | - SUREKHA S |
| M.COM. | - PREETI KHATANA |

BEST ALL-ROUNDER:

| | |
|---------|-------------------------|
| B.SC. | - AKANKSHA MARY |
| B. COM. | - KISHMA XAVIER FRANCIS |
| BBA | - PRERNA SINGH |
| BCA | - KARALIN JENITHA |
| M.COM. | - REBACCA PRIYA R |

BEST IN CO-CURRICULAR:

DEGREE – BBA - SHUBHA
M.COM. – VANI K

COMMENDABLE AND EXEMPLARY CLASS: III B.SC.

BEST PREFECT: DIVYA GUSAIN – III BBA

BEST SPORTSPERSON: PRIYANKA K V – III B.A.

BEST NSS VOLUNTEER: VARSHA M V – III BCA

BEST E-CELL LEADER: SHAH SABIHA BANO – III B.COM B

BEST ROTARACTOR: VINDHYA M N – III B.A.

BEST ECO-CLUB LEADER: HEENA JAIN – III B.SC.

BEST SCM STUDENT: AMMU ANIYAN KUNJU – III B.COM A

BEST CHAPEL PREFECT: J KARALIN JENITHA – III BCA

BEST NEWSBOARD: III B.COM. A

CLASS TEACHERS, MRS. PRATHIBA DAVID & MS. VANDANA M

BEST BULLETIN BOARD: DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE – ‘DEMONETIZATION’

BEST TUCK SHOP: II BBA

LEADERSHIP AWARD: NIVEDITHA – III BBA

BISHOP COTTON WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN COLLEGE BENGALURU

ANNUAL REPORT 2015 - 2016

Good evening Honoured Guests, Ladies & Gentlemen and the Graduating Class of 2016. It is with great pleasure we welcome you to share in this celebration of achievement and accomplishment where we have come to honour the graduating students who have spent three to five years in this green campus.

A warm welcome to our honourable Bishop of Karnataka Central Diocese Rt. Rev. Dr. P.K. Samuel, Chairman Board of Management the Presiding Dignitary of this evening. We are graced this evening by our distinguished Chief Guest Mrs. Vinisha Nero, MLA, Government of Karnataka, Heads of Institution, Donors of the endowment prizes, Members of the Board of Management, Members of the Academic and non-teaching fraternity.

Thirty years of deep root, thirty years of upward growth, thirty years of spreading branches and yielding fruit is the best way of recounting the flipping of thirty pages in the history of the Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College. I am overwhelmed with joy as we flag off yet another batch of graduates from the proud portals of Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

"The journey of a thousand miles begin with a step." Looking back, this college stands as a strong edifice rising out of a humble beginning of 127 students in 1985 to 2000 students in 2016. We have braved rough weather and let our sails towards favourable winds. We have made remarkable progress in our educational pattern; our courses, our facilities and our structures have risen high. We place our trust and our thanks to God Almighty who enabled us to travel thus far and have been sustained in the education industry carving out young ladies of character. A valedictory is a poignant occasion which causes a little trepidation about the future but more so rings a bell of excitement pointing you to a whole range of new ventures which you will embark on to follow your dreams and to fulfil your ambitions.

Opportunities lie in your way which enables you to make your choices, which are three dimensional - The way we remember the past, the way we look at the future and the way we experience the present. As you step out into the world to shape out into greater leaders and innovators be resolute, passionate, ingenious, and creative. Present yourself for the cause of social justice and always remember to treat others honourably and respectfully.

Professors in this institution of repute have meticulously guided our students through academics and self-realisation. The college has put in tremendous efforts to inspire the students towards a steady progress in self-improvement and achievement of excellence. At Bishop Cotton we are

keen on moulding the complete human being who is made ready to meet the challenges of this changing world. I acknowledge and commend the efforts put in by the various disciplines in vying for the winning goal and the faculty who have tirelessly worked on sound principles to build a good character in them.

“Be more concerned with your character than your reputation, because your character is, what you really are, while your reputation is merely what others think you are.”- Warren Buffet.

Every honest and remarkable achievement has a price tag. The cost is to be paid by way of hard work, tireless effort, perseverance, patience to climb the summit to excellence. My dear students, remain true to your commitment. Even when times may be windy and rocky, remain steadfast and constant. Excellence is not when you are adorned with a medal or congratulated for the best performance, excellence is when you have calmly reached the top, finding stability in turmoil and held aloft the ideals you have worked for. “If you cannot do great things, do small things in a great way” – Napoleon Hill.

What a proud moment for you parents who recall the nervous and tender little girls you unwillingly left behind those nursery doors now to witness such pretty young ladies blooming forth out of this campus of the Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College. You have journeyed with us and now you alight to take your wards back home with you. May your blessings be doubled with our prayers bestowed on these young graduates signalling the commencement of wonderful things to come.

This college offers a wide range of certificate courses, club activities, entrepreneurship activities, NCC, personality grooming programs, value education classes, women’s empowerment activities, eco watch club, NSS, Youth Red Cross Society, Student Christian Movement of India, the Rotaract Club and a bigger list follows.

Our faculty have engaged in various workshops, paper presentations, publications, seminars and other academic exercises.

| STUDENT STRENGTH (ALL 3 YEARS) | | RESULT (FINAL YEAR ONLY) | |
|--------------------------------|-----|--------------------------|-----|
| Arts | 177 | Arts | 89% |
| Science | 99 | Science | 89% |
| Commerce | 678 | Commerce | 86% |
| BBA | 143 | BBA | 88% |
| BCA | 95 | BCA | 83% |

HIGHLIGHTS OF FACULTY HONOURS:

Completion of Ph.D.

Dr. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology completed her Ph.D. from Manipal University, Manipal. On 5 /6/2015 on the topic :“Biochemical and Physiological studies of Castor weed under Nutritional Stress Conditions”

Completion/Pursuing MBA:

Dr. Kamal Harnal, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi completed her MBA-HR in first division from the College of Materials Management (NAAC – ‘A’); Jabalpur-RDVV University and was awarded a Provisional Degree.

Mrs. Porkodi S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce completed her Post Graduate Diploma in Business Administration from Karnataka State Open University in the year 2015 and is presently pursuing her MBA (Specialisation- Human Resource) from Annamalai University.

Ms. Jenifer Soniya S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce completed her Post Graduate Diploma in Business Administration from Karnataka State Open University and is pursuing her II year MBA (specialization HR) from Annamalai University.

Registered for Ph.D.

- Mrs. Saadia Hameed, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce successfully completed the Ph.D. Course work examination (as per requirement of the Ph.D. course of Bangalore University) held in July 2015 with a First class.
- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English has been Provisionally enrolled for the Ph.D. (English) programme in Jain University, Bangalore and has been granted. The tentative topic is “Gender Inequality as depicted in the Malayalee women’s writings: A comparative study of its diasporic and indigenous writers.”
- Ms. Rita Josephine Eve, Faculty, Dept of English has been enrolled for Ph.D. at Karunya University, Coimbatore in the month of December 2015 Topic: ‘Establishment of Identity in the novels of Chinua Achebe and Gabriel Okara’
- Ms. Harshini Esther G, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce & Management Studies is pursuing Ph.D. (Management) at Tumkur University.
- Mrs. Felicia Sunil, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science has enrolled for Ph.D. in Textiles and Clothing from Gandhigram Rural University, in June 2013, on the topic “Antimicrobial activity on Textiles using herbal agents.” She has completed the Course Work in December 2015.

- Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies has enrolled for Ph.D. in Periyar University, Salem on 24.11.2015 on the topic “Impact of ITC (Information Communication Tools) for Business Profitability with reference to Retail Enterprises in Bangalore City.

Completion of KSET/ NET:

Mrs. Saadia Hameed, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce has cleared the National Eligibility Test.

Mrs. Rachel Joshua, Faculty, has cleared the KSET Examination for Lecturership in the stream of Commerce

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, has cleared the KSET Examination for Lecturership in the stream of Computer Science and Applications.

STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS:

Seminars/Workshops/Guest Lectures ATTENDED:

The Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar,

- Attended a Workshop at Christ University on the topic ‘Consultation of Chaplaincy in Indian Colleges’ on January 23, 2016
- Attended the installation of Bishop Rachel Treweek – Gloucester, United Kingdom in September 2015

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH:

Mrs. Leena Karanth, Mrs. Suvina Benjamin and Ms. Rita Josephine Eve K:

- Attended a UGC sponsored National Conference on “Modern Trends In English Language Teaching: Placing the learners in the Spotlight” on 17th August 2015 at St Joseph’s Evening College, Bangalore.
- Attended the National IQAC Conference on 26th February 2016 held at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David:

- Attended the National level Symposium on “Discourses on New Feminism and New Responses – Literary Reading and Interaction” on 6th July, 2015 conducted by Sahitya Akademi in association with School of Commerce and Management, Jain University, Bangalore at School of Commerce and Management, Jain University, Jayanagar 9th Block, Bangalore.
- Attended the Two Day National Seminar on “Genres in the Indian English Novel” on 7th and 8th August, 2015 conducted by the Dept. of English, Karnataka State Women’s University Extension Centre for PG Studies & Research, Mandya.

- Attended the 1st International Congress on Human Rights and Duties at Yadav Institute of Research, Behrampur, Odisha on 7th and 8th December 2015.
- Attended the International Journal of Arts and Science International Conference at Al Ain University of Science and Technology, Al Ain, Abu Dhabi from 31 January to 4th February, 2016. The conference was multidisciplinary.
- Attended the IQAC National Conference on Higher Education – Opportunities and Challenges on 26th February 2016 at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College, Bangalore.

Ms. Rita Josephine Eve K, attended a 3 day National Workshop on Green Parables organized by the Department of Ecological Concerns, Church of South India at Pondicherry from the 3rd to 5th November 2015.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI:

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:

- Attended a State Level Seminar at Seshadripuram College on 11th February 2016
- Attended a National Level Seminar at Baldwin Methodist College on 2nd March 2016

Dr. Jai Laxmi R:

- Attended a Seminar at Seshadripuram College of Commerce and Management, Seshadripuram on 11th February 2016. The topic was based on the second semester syllabus of BA, B.Com, B.Sc., BCA and BBA

Dr. Kamal Harnal:

- Attended a one day National Conference held at Jain University- Bangalore on 3rd March 2016 on Hindi Literature.

DEPARTMENT OF KANNADA:

Dr. Manonmani S, Head, Dept of Kannada:

- Participated in the symposium on "Discourses on New Feminism and New Responses - Literary Reading and Interaction" held on 6th July 2015, at School of Commerce and Management Studies, Jain University in association with SahityaAkademi.
- Attended the National IQAC Conference on " Higher Education of Women in India - Opportunities and Challenges on 26th February 2016 at the College.

DEPARTMENT OF FRENCH:

Mrs. Thayabunnisa, has joined the level DALF- C1 in French at Alliance Francaise de Bengaluru, which is an 8-month intensive course, culminating in an exam in December 2015, which she passed. She has the DALF C1 certificate (This is a common cadre for competence with reference to all European languages.)

Participated in a competition hosted by the French Academy of Paris to commemorate June 4 celebrated as the Day of Francophonie and gained the 3rd position.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS:

Ms. B G Jyothi, Head, Dept. of Economics:

- Organised and attended a National Conference on the topic “Higher Education of Women in India – Opportunities and Challenges” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 26th February 2016 and actively participated in the same along with other members of the Organising Committee.

Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam

- Participated in a UGC sponsored two-day National Seminar on “Dynamics of Social Infrastructure in India – Emerging Issues, Prospects and Challenges” on 23rd and 24th February 2016 organized by Mount Carmel College, Autonomous, Bangalore.
- Attended a UGC sponsored National Conference on “Higher Education of Women in India – Opportunities and Challenges” on 26th February 2016 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY:

Dr. Vijayshri R attended a 5 day Trainer’s Workshop on Strength based approach titled-‘Feeling Good And Doing Well’ for Youth from at NIMHANS from 11th to 15th January 2016

Dr. Vijayshri also:

- Participated as the Chief Guest at Sampoorana Montfort for their Inter Collegiate Psychology Fest on 12th February 2016.
- Was the moderator for Panel discussion at the National Conference held on 26th February 2016.
- Was invited as speaker at ZeOmega on International Women’s Day 8th March 2016
- Was the panelist at the Panel discussion ‘Creating Safe Spaces at Work – Implementation of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013.’ This event was organized by Enfold and Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY:

Ms. Rathna HK:

- Attended a seminar on the topic: 'Gender and Sexuality in Mythology' at Jain University in April 2015.

Ms. Rathna HK and Mrs. Rajkumari J:

- Attended a workshop on 'Sociology of Mass Communication' at MLA College, Malleshwaram on 19th July 2015.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE:

Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani:

- Participated in a one day State level Seminar "Alternative Investments – Road Ahead", held on 17th March 2015 at United Mission Degree College, Bengaluru.

Mrs Saadia Hameed:

- Attended an International conference on "Global Convergence of Management Education and Practices" organized by Canara Bank School of Management Studies, Bangalore University on 25th and 26th November 2015.
- Attended the ICBE Conference and National Seminar on "Harmonization of Indian Business Education in the context of Global Education" held at Central College Campus, Bangalore on 20th November 2015.
- Attended a National Seminar on "Changing Dimensions of Corporate Reporting in India under IFRS regime" jointly organized by the Department of Commerce, Bangalore University and Board of Studies, Institute of Chartered Accountants of India, New Delhi on 23rd April 2015.

Mrs. Rachel Joshua:

- Attended a two day International Conference on 'Emerging Trends in Global Accounting and Finance' on 7th and 8th January 2016 at Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous)

Mrs. Porkodi S:

- Attended a one day workshop on "Orientation of III Semester BCOM and BBA syllabus", organised by Bangalore University on 14th July 2015 at Sri Sai College for Women.

- Attended a two day International level conference with the topic “Paradigm of Triple Bottom Line – Risk, Ethics, Governance and Sustainability” at St. Joseph’s College of Commerce on 31st August and 1st September 2015.

Ms. Jenifer Soniya S:

- Attended a “One day workshop on orientation of III semester B.Com & BBM syllabus”, of Bangalore University on 14th July 2015 at Sri Sai College for Women.
- Attended a Workshop for NSS Programme Officers conducted at Central College, Bengaluru.
- Participated in One day National Seminar entitled “Towards Sustainable Development in the 21st Century”, held on 12th September 2015 at Seshadripuram College, Bengaluru in association with Azim Premji University.

Ms. Vidya Shree R:

- Participated in a one day National Seminar entitled “Towards Sustainable Development in the 21st Century”, held on 12th September 2015 at Seshadripuram College, Bengaluru in association with Azim Premji University.
- Participated in a two day National Level Seminar on “Companies Act 2013- Issues and Challenges” held on 4th and 5th February 2016 at BMS College for Women, Bengaluru.

DEPARTMENT OF HOME SCIENCE:

Dr. Grace Premila Victor attended a National workshop on ‘Green Parables’ held in Pondicherry in December 2015.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond and Mrs. Rebecca Theodore:

- Attended a National Conference on ‘Pragmatic Approaches and Quality Initiatives for Enhancing Teachers’ Caliber in Business Education’ at RV Institute of Management on 06.06.2015.

Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head, Dept. of Management Studies:

- Attended an International Conference on ‘Global Convergence of Management Education and Practices’ at Bangalore University on 25th and 26th November 2015.
- Attended a National Conference on ‘Synergising Function Effectiveness and Organisational Performance for Economic Growth’ at RV Institute of Management on 12th December 2015.

Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond and Mrs. Rebecca Theodore:

- Attended the 8th International Conference on ‘Globalisation and changing Landscape of Business’ at Kristu Jayanthi College on 01.07.2015. They also attended a one day workshop on ‘Revised Syllabus for BBM’ at Sri Sai College for Women on 14.07.2015.

Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond:

- Attended a UGC Sponsored two day National Seminar on ‘Companies Act 2013 – Issues and Challenges’ at BMS College for Women on 4th and 5th February 2016.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore:

- Attended a one day National level Conference on ‘Ideation – evolving trends in Commerce, Management, Arts and Science’ at Sri Gokula College of Arts, Science and Management Studies on 24th February 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS:

Mrs. LathaRani Shashikumar:

- Attended a two day workshop on ‘Scilab and Maxima (FOSS)’ at Jnanajyothi Auditorium, Central College on 18th and 19th December 2015.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS:

Ms. Anitha Clarin attended the National Conference in Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College on 26th February 2016

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY:

Dr. Jacqueline TR, Head, Dept. of Chemistry:

- Attended a one day workshop on ‘100 years of chemical bond’ organized by the New Chemistry Unit at Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR) on 29.01.2016. This special workshop was organized under the guidance of Prof. C. N. R. Rao on the occasion of celebrating 100 years of development on the concept of Chemical Bond.

Mrs. Anitha S:

- Attended a one day ‘Workshop on Instrumentation’ at St. Joseph’s College PG Centre, Bangalore on 23rd September 2015.
- Participated in a one day ‘National Conference on Higher Education of Women in India – Opportunities and Challenges’ held at the College on 26th February 2016
- Was part of the Joint Organising Committee for ‘Science Academic Lecture Workshop Advances in Plant and Biomedical Science’ and participated in the same at the College on 10th and 11th March 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY:

Mrs. Esther Watson, Head, Dept. of Botany:

- Attended a Science Academy lecture Workshop on “Frontier Lecture in Biology” on 7th and 8th January 2016 at Goodwill Christian College For Women, Bangalore

Ms. Bindu NV -

- Attended a workshop on “UG soft skills paper Science and Society” on 26th August 2015 at International Institute of Business Studies R T Nagar Bangalore.
- Organized a workshop on “Advances in Plant and Biomedical Sciences” on 10th and 11th of March 2016 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.
- Attended a National conference on “Role of Women in Higher Education Opportunities and Challenges” on 26th February 2016 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY:

Dr. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology:

- Attended a Science Academy lecture workshop on “Frontier Lecture in Biology” on 7th and 8th January 2016 at Goodwill Christian College For Women, Bangalore
- Attended a National Conference on "Women and Ecology" on 14th and 15th May 2015 at CSI Synod Centre, Chennai

Dr. Susanna P:

- Attended a National Conference on "Women and Ecology" on 14th and 15th May 2015 at CSI Synod Centre, Chennai.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE:

Mrs. Reema Esther,

Attended an International Conference on ‘Current Trends in Advanced Computing(ICCTAC)’ held in Kristu Jayanthi College on 20th February 2015

Mrs. Manjula M:

Attended the one day National Seminar on “Cyber Security” on 3rd February 2016 organized by the Department of Computer Science (BU), Dayananda Sagar College of Arts, Science and Commerce (DSCASC)

COUNSELLING:

Mrs. Yallina Thomas, Counsellor:

- Attended a one day seminar on 'Chaplaincy Consultancy' on the 23rd of January 2016 at Christ University.

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND LIBRARY SCIENCE:

Mrs. Rose Francis P, Librarian:

- Attended a one day seminar on 'Digital Libraries' at St. Joseph's College of Commerce on 3rd March 2016.

SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS/GUEST LECTURES ORGANISED:

Dr. Jacqueline TR, Head, Dept. of Chemistry:

Conducted a one day workshop on 'Instrumentation' for the students on 23rd September 2015, at St. Joseph's College, Post Graduate and Research Centre, Bangalore. Experiments on a number of state-of-the-art instruments like Powder X-ray Diffractometer, Atomic Absorption Spectrometer, UV Spectrometer, Infra-red Spectrometer, Gas Chromatography and Ion Chromatography were demonstrated.

As a member of the IQAC committee a one day National Level Conference was organized on 'Higher Education of Women in India – Challenges and Opportunities' on 26th February 2016.

An inter-disciplinary inter-collegiate two day lecture workshop on 'Advances in Plant and Biomedical Sciences' was organized on the 10th and 11th March 2016 by the Departments of Chemistry, Botany and Biotechnology in association with Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore, Indian National Academy, New Delhi and The National Academy of Sciences, India, Allahabad.

GUEST LECTURES DELIVERED BY FACULTY:

- Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:
 - Delivered a Guest Lecture at St Clare College Jalahalli on 16th January 2016
 - Delivered a Guest Lecture at Seshadripuram First Grade College Yelahanka New town Bangalore Topic- Hindi Bhasha Aur Yuva Verg Ek Charcha on 3rd February 2016
- Mrs. Indira KM, Faculty, Dept. of Political Science, participated as a resource person and delivered a lecture on Indian Constitution and Human Rights on 27th August 2015 at St. Francis de Sales College, Electronic City. Bangalore.

- Mrs. Prathiba David, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce was invited as a Judge for the Commerce fest event – PPT at United Mission Degree College, Bengaluru.
- Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:
 - Invited as a Judge for the Commerce fest events – Collage, Poster making, Painting and Brand Publicity at United Mission Degree College, Bengaluru.
 - Invited as External Examiner at Christ University, Bengaluru for the paper ‘ Indirect Taxes’.
- Mrs. Porkodi S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce delivered a Guest lecture on the topic “Contract Laws” at St. Anne’s Degree Evening College on 6th February 2016.
- Ms. Jenifer Soniya S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce delivered Guest lecture on the topic “Tally.ERP9” at Anupama Degree College on 13th February 2016.
- Ms. Anitha Clarin, Head, Dept. of Physics was a Guest Lecturer for CET Coaching Classes on the topics Dynamics, Optics, Solid State Physics.

Invited as a judge for Christ PU College to judge working model

PAPER PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY:

- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English:

“Homeland in Meena Alexander’s Fault Lines: A Memoir” at Karnataka State Women’s University Extension centre for PG Studies & Research, Mandya on 7th August, 2015

“Gendered Inheritance and its Challenges in Arundhati Roy’s “The God of Small Things” 10 December, 2015 at Yadam Institute of Research, Behrampur, Odisha.

“Effect of Gender on the Socio-Economic Strata of the Syrian Christians of Kerala” held at School of Commerce and Management, Jain University, Jayanagar 9th Block, Bangalore on 29th January, 2015 (in absentia).

“Absence and Presence of Dowry in the Syrian Christian Culture of Kerala” at Al Ain University of Science and Technology, Al Ain, Abu Dhabi on 01 February 2015.

“Is Gender An Issue In Higher Education?” at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College, Bangalore on 26th February, 2016 at the IQAC National Conference.
- Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:

Presented a paper on Bharatiya Sant Sahitya (Purander Dass Ki Dein) on 3rd May 2015 organized by Akhil Bhartiya Hindi Sanstha Sangh, New Delhi a related organization of Karnataka Hindi Sangh at Karnataka Mahila Hindi Seva Samidi, Bangalore .

Presented a paper in NAAC SPONSORED NATIONAL CONFERENCE on Quality Initiative benchmarking in higher Education Institutions topic – Pathyakram ke niman mein Samajik varaga ka Prabhav on 3rd and 4th September 2015 at Surana College, Bangalore .

Chaired a National seminar on “Hindi Sahitya mein Aadhuniktavaad” at Garden City College Bangalore on 15th September 2015.

Invited as a key note speaker in a 2 day National seminar on topic- “Samkalin Hindi Sahitya :Vividh Vimarsh” at University College ,Thiruvananthapuram Kerala on 7th and 8th January 2016.

- Dr. Jai Laxmi R, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi presented a paper at Garden City College of Science and Management, KR Puram on 15th February 2016 - Topic “Aadhunik Hindi Sahitya Mein Naari Kee Manovaigyaniktha”
- Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology Guided the Research Paper titled ‘Breaking Barriers Building Society’ presented by Ms Sherin Coilpillai , III B.A, at the National Conference on Higher Education for Women-Challenges and Opportunities, February 26th 2016 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College
- Mrs. Rajkumari J, Faculty, Dept. of Sociology presented a paper on the topic ‘Problems and Prospects of Quality Management in Higher Education in India’ at Government I Grade College, Hosakote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District on 11th March 2016.
- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism presented a research paper on ‘Role of Public Relations in the promotion of Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan: An Analysis’ in the International Conference on ‘Swachh Bharat- Issues and Challenges in Planning and execution’ organized by Garden City College on 25th November 2015.

Presented a paper on the ‘Introduction to Advertising and Public Relations’ in the UGC sponsored Two-Day State Level Conference on ‘Curriculum for Journalism in Under-Graduate Courses’ held at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women on 28th and 29th October 2015.

- Mrs. Prathiba David, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce Presented research paper titled “Performance Appraisal of Teachers in Business Management Education” at the National Conference organized by R.V Institute of Management on 6th June 2015.

- Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head, Dept. of Management Studies:

Presented a paper at the National Conference on 'Pragmatic Approaches and Quality Initiatives for Enhancing Teachers' Calibre in Business Education' at RV Institute of Management on 6th June 2015. The title of the paper was "Performance Appraisal of Teachers in Business Management Education."

Presented a paper at the International Conference 'Global Convergence of Management Education and Practices' at Bangalore University on 25th and 26th November 2015. The title of the paper 'Incubating Creativity and Innovation for Business Excellence: Business Correspondents and Business Facilitators to extend Banking Services'

Presented a paper at the National Conference on 'Synergising Function Effectiveness and Organisational Performance for Economic Growth' at RV Institute of Management on 12th December 2015. The title of the paper was "A Survey on the Parameters of Corporate Governance Practices in Indian Banks from Customer Perspectives."

- Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies:

Presented a paper at the National Conference on 'Pragmatic Approaches and Quality Initiatives for Enhancing Teachers' Calibre in Business Education' at RV Institute of Management on 6th June 2015. The title of the paper was "Impact of Teaching Tools/Techniques on Learning."

Presented a paper at the 8th International Conference on 'Globalisation and changing Landscape of Business' at Kristu Jayanthi College on 1st July 2015. The title of the paper was "E-Commerce in Global Business."

Presented a paper at the UGC sponsored two day National Seminar on 'Companies Act 2013 – Issues and Challenges' at BMS College for Women on 4th and 5th February 2016. The title of the paper was "A study on the college students awareness in corporate social responsibility in Bangalore."

- Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies:

Presented a paper at the National Conference on 'Pragmatic Approaches and Quality Initiatives for Enhancing Teachers' Calibre in Business Education' at RV Institute of Management on 6th June 2015. The title of the paper was "Impact of Teaching Tools/Techniques on Learning."

Presented a paper at the 8th International Conference on 'Globalisation and changing Landscape of Business' at Kristu Jayanthi College on 1st July 2015. The title of the paper was "E-Commerce in Global Business."

Presented a paper at the one day National level Conference on 'Ideation – evolving trends in Commerce, Management, Arts and Science' at Sri Gokula College of Arts, Science and Management Studies on 24th February 2016. The title of the paper was "Impact of E-Business and ICT in FMCG Retail Sector."

- Dr. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology presented a paper at the National Conference on "Women and Ecology" on the topic Best practices-Ecological concern in our college on 14th and 15th May 2015 at CSI Synod Centre, Chennai.
- Dr. Susanna P, Faculty, Dept. of Biotechnology presented a paper at the National Conference on "Women and Ecology" on the topic "Best practices-Ecological concern in our college" on 14th and 15th May 2015 at CSI Synod Centre, Chennai.
- Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, Dept. of Computer Science presented a paper for the two day National Conference at CMR Institute of Management Studies held on 3rd and 4th of March titled "Text Mining Classification Algorithm"

POSITIONS HELD AT COLLEGE/ UNIVERSITY AND STATE LEVEL BY FACULTY:

- Mrs. Vasudha Pansare, Head, Dept. of English was on the Editorial Board of Journal of Women's Studies for the year 2015-2016. She is also the Convenor of the Annual College Magazine for the year 2015-2016
- Mrs. Suvina Benjamin, Faculty, Dept. of English was a Member of the Organising Committee for the IQAC Conference held at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College on 26th February 2016.
- Dr. Manonmani S, Head, Dept. of Kannada.
- Member of Board of Studies in VHD Central Home Science College(Autonomous) 2015-2016
- BOE(Paper Setter)-VHD Central Home Science College (Autonomous) 2015-2016
- BOE (Paper Setter) -Bangalore University. 2015-2016
- Convenor- Student Welfare Committee, BCWCC
- Member - IQAC, BCWCC
- Member - Editorial Committee of the College Magazine.
- Mr. Hombaiah, Faculty, Dept. of Kannada was involved with the Squad Duty of the Bangalore University from 6.11.2015 to 3.12.2015 and also set the 2nd Semester BCA Exam paper at VHD Home Science College, Bangalore on 10.3.2016

- Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Head, Dept. of Tamil:
 - Has been appointed as a Ph.D. Panel member for Bharathiyar University.
 - Appointed as member of Board of Examination of Bangalore University
 - Appointed as member of Board of studies of Bangalore University
 - Appointed as member of Board of studies of Christ University
 - Coaching the students to get more than 90% in Tamil language

- Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:
 - Member Board Of Examination - for the academic year 2015-16 at Bangalore University.
 - Member Board of studies - Jain University Bangalore and NMKRV Autonomous College Jayanagar Bangalore
 - Secretary Bangalore University Hindi Department Alumni
 - Joint Secretary ,Gyan Kiran Hindi Teachers Association Bangalore University

 - Invited by Mount Carmel College Autonomous for Curriculum Enhancement and Evaluation Workshop as external member on 21st November 2015

- Ms. B G Jyothi, Head, Dept. of Economics:
 - Staff representative on the Governing Council 2015 – 2016.
 - IQAC – Organising Committee member for the National Conference
 - Student Welfare Committee – Convenor
 - Time – Table Committee – Convenor

- Mrs. Hemalatha MS, Faculty, Dept. of Political Science is a BOE Member for NMKRV Autonomous College - Bangalore (Paper Setter)

- Mrs. Sowmini Sebastian, Head, Dept. of Psychology held and is still holding the position of Chairperson for the Department of Psychology with the Board of Education.

- Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology set QP for Mount Carmel College March/April 2016 VI semester B.A. Industrial –Organizational Psychology

- Dr Renuka Paul, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology:
 - Was invited on 4th February 2016 to conduct an Academic Audit to verify the authenticity, quality & genuineness of the Academic program for Departments of Humanities, English & Languages at Indian Academy Degree College, Bangalore-43.
 - Invited as Examiner for Under Graduate Examination in Psychology at Jyothi Nivas College, Mount Carmel College & St Josephs Arts & Science College

- Mrs. Prathiba David, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:
 - Member of Bangalore University Teacher's Council for Commerce and Management.
 - Evaluator for IV Semester B.Com at Bangalore University for the subject Banking Law and Operations in the year 2015.
- Ms. Suriya Naaz, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce has been a part of the valuation of answer scripts at Bangalore University.
- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism:
 - Chairperson, BOE- UG Journalism, Bangalore University for the academic year 2015 - 2016.
 - Paper setter for Bangalore University November 2015 and April/May 2016 examination.
 - External Member for the October 2015 and April 2016 UG Journalism examination of NMKRV College and set first and second semester question papers respectively.
- Mrs. Porkodi S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:
 - Member of Bangalore University Teacher's Council for Commerce and Management.
 - Evaluator for V Semester BBA at Bangalore University for the subject Law & Practices of Banking in the year 2015.
- Ms. Jenifer Soniya S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:
 - Member of Bangalore University Teacher's Council for Commerce and Management.
 - Evaluator for IV semester B.Com course at Bangalore University for the subject Stock and Commodity Market in the year 2015.
 - Evaluator for III semester B.Com course at Bangalore University for the subject Business Ethics in the year 2015.
- Ms. Harshini Esther G, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce and Management Studies is a Member on the Board of Examination as a Question paper setter for CMRIT University, Department of Management 2015-2016
- Dr. Grace Premila Victor, Head, Dept. of Home Science:
 - Convener of National Level Conference by IQAC on 'Higher Education of Women- Opportunities and Challenges' held on February 26, 2016.

- Convener of Christian Fest – Exalted 2015-16, held in September, 2015, Theme – ‘Royal Ambassadors.’
- Convener of Outreach programme for the year 2015-2016.
- Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science:
 - Member of the BOS – Faculty of Home Science 2014-2016, Bangalore University.
 - Member of BOS – Bachelor of Care and Welfare, Smt. VHD Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous).
 - Member of BOS – Department of Human Development, Mount Carmel College.
 - Member of BOS – Composite Home Science, Mount Carmel College.
 - Member of the BOE – Department of Home Science, Bangalore University.
 - Committee member of Smt. VHD. Alumni Association.
 - Committee member of the Home Science Association of India – Karnataka Chapter.
 - Paper setter and Reviewer for Bangalore University Examination 2015-2016, Mount Carmel College (Autonomous) and Smt. VHD. Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous).
- Ms. Anitha Clarin, Head, Dept. of Physics:
 - Member of BOS for Jyothi Nivas Autonomous College.
 - Member of BOS for NMKRV College.
 - Member of BOS for Physics Forum.
 - Question paper setter for II SEM – NMKRV College.
 - Question paper setter for II and IV SEM –Jyothi Nivas College.
- Dr. Jacqueline TR, Head, Dept. of Chemistry:
 - Member of Chemistry Teachers’ Forum, Bangalore University, Bangalore.
 - Life member of Indian Association of Solid State Chemists and Allied scientists.
 - Member of BOE, CMR University, Bangalore.
- Mrs. Esther Watson, Head, Dept. of Botany is a Member of the BOE-CMR University
- Dr. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology is a Member of the BOE-Christ University, NMKRV College for Women and CMR University
- Dr. Susanna P, Faculty, Dept. of Biotechnology is a Member of the BOE-NMKRV College for Women and CMR University
- Mrs. Suja D Shanthi, Head, Dept. of Computer Science:
 - Member of the Board of Studies, Smt. V.H.D. Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous).
 - Question paper setter for I Semester BCA, for Government Science College (Autonomous) - October 2015.
 - Question paper setter for the II Semester BCA for Smt. V.H.D. Central Institute of Home Science (Autonomous) – March 2016
- Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, Dept. of Computer Science:

- Setting of Question Paper for CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for 4th Semester BCA (Autonomous) Semester Examinations APRIL 2015 on Java Programming
- Setting of Question Paper for CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for 6th Semester BCA (Autonomous) Semester Examinations APRIL 2015 on System Software
- Setting of Question Paper for CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for 1st BCA(Autonomous)UG End Semester Examinations OCTOBER 2015 on Programming Concepts Using C

PUBLICATIONS BY FACULTY:

- Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal:

‘Modern Trends in Education – Role of Teachers in Education and Society’ CSI Life – Volume XIII – Issue 9 - September 2015

‘Women as pace setters in Higher Education’ Journal of Women’s Studies Volume 7, ISSN No.2278-9367 March 2015

- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English:

Paper titled “Homeland in Meena Alexander’s Fault Lines: A Memoir” published in the book Genres in Indian English Novel: Vol.2 ISBN 978-93-83192-96-0

Research Essay “Gendered Inheritance and its challenges in Arundhati Roy’s The God of Small Things” published in The Rights Volume1: Issue II, 10 Dec 2015 ISSN: 2454-9096 (online). The same will be published with ISBN No. in the world’s first Britannica of Human Rights and Duties.

Article published in PARIPRASHNA – Journal of Research Centre, Jain University on the topic, “Homeland and the Indian Diaspora: Roots to Route to Return.” ISSN No. 0976-7150

- Dr. Kamal Harnal, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi – paper under publication by Jain University-Bangalore on the topic- ‘Bhasha Shikshan- Ek Punar Vichar’.
- Dr. S Manonmani, Head, Dept. of Kannada – an article titled "Ibbaniya Swagatha" published in "SahrudayaSpandana" on the Poetry of Pampa Award winner B.A. Sanadi.
- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism - Research paper on ‘Role of Public Relations in the promotion of Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan: An Analysis’ was published in the Journal ‘The Paradigm’ ISSN NO 2249-2534, Pg-37-40
Travelogue written by Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar was published in Deccan Herald dated 27.10.2015.

- Mrs. Prathiba David, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce published a research paper titled “Role of Public Sector Banks in Promoting MSME’s in India” in Volume II, Issue No. 1, 2015 of JSSGIW Journal of Management with ISSN: 2349- 3550.
- Mrs Saadia Hameed, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:
 - Presented a paper titled” Islamic Finance- A Stepping stone to Financial Inclusion” at the International conference on ‘ Emerging trends in Global Accounting and Finance’ held at Kristu Jayanthi college, Bangalore on 7th and 8th January 2016. The paper was published in the Indian Journal of Research in Commerce, Management, Engineering and Applied Sciences, January 2016, Volume 1and ISBN: 2454-6593.
 - Presented a paper titled “ Corporate Social Responsibility in the Healthcare sector in India” at UGC sponsored two day National Seminar on ‘ Companies Act of 2013- Issues and Challenges’ held at BMS college, Bangalore on 4th and 5th February 2016. The paper was published in the journal with ISBN: 978-81-930613-9-8.
 - A paper titled “Changing consumer behavior and impact of marketing in Healthcare”, was also presented at the International conference on ‘Demographics- Dividend or Disaster?’ held at Jain University, Bangalore on 29th and 30th January 2016.
- Ms. Suriya Naaz, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce presented a paper titled “A study on College students’ awareness of Corporate Social Responsibility in Bangalore” at UGC sponsored two day national seminar on ‘ Companies Act of 2013- Issues and Challenges’ held at BMS college, Bangalore on 4th and 5th February 2016. The paper was published in the journal with ISBN: 978-81-930613-9-8.
- Mrs. Porkodi S, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:
 - Published research paper titled “Study on Role of Financial Institutions in Small Scale Industrial Development- with special reference to Bangalore East” in Volume II, Issue No. 1, 2015 of JSSGIW Journal of Management with ISSN: 2349- 3550.
 - Submitted and Presented research paper titled “A study on Demographics & Workforce Diversity in Educational Sector” at the International Conference organised by Jain University on 29th and 30th January 2016.
- Ms. Vidya Shree R, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce published a paper titled “Impact of Women Directors in India– with Special Reference to European and Asia-Pacific Companies” in the seminar proceedings with the ISBN no.978-81-930613-9-8.
- Ms. Harshini Esther G, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce and Management Studies, published a research paper titled ‘Work Life Balance among Faculties in B-School and Non B-

School in Bangalore' in the International Multidisciplinary Research Journal ISSN 2278-9529 January 2016 Vol.5.2016

- Mr. Praveen Kumar R, Head, Dept. of Management Studies:
 - National Conference on “Pragmatic Approaches and Quality Initiatives for Enhancing Teachers’ Caliber in Business Education” – Publication in RVIM Journal of Management Research (ISSN 0974-6722, Vol 7 Issue 1) – 06.06.2015 – “Performance Appraisal of Teacher’s in Business Management Education”
 - National Conference on “Synergising Function Effectiveness and Organisational Performance for Economic Growth” – Publication in RVIM Journal of Management Research (ISSN 0974 – 6722 Vol 7 Issue 2) on 12.12.2015 – “A Survey on the Parameters of Corporate Governance Practices in Indian Banks from Customer Perspectives”
- Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies: - UGC Sponsored two day National Seminar on “Companies Act 2013 – Issues and Challenges” on 4th and 5th February 2016 on “A study on the college students’ awareness in corporate social responsibility in Bangalore” – ISBN:978-81-930613-9-8
- Dr. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology - International Journal of Biological Research Vol.4 – Issue – 5th June – October 2015 on the topic “Ammonium Sulphate: Is It a Nutrient or a Stress Factor for Castor” ISSN 2321 - 0524
- Dr. Susanna P, Faculty, Dept. of Biotechnology - Growth responses of E. coli in different nitrogen sources, Susanna. P, NayeemUllah Khan - accepted for publication. International Journal of Biological Research. Volume 2, Issue 3.
- Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies: - AE International Journal of Multi Disciplinary Research – Vol 3 – Issue – 5th September – October 2015 – “A Study of the Growth of Private-Public Partnership in India” – ISSN 2348 – 6724.
- Ms. Bindu N V , Faculty, Dept. of Botany – Abstract Publication titled “Studies on Bio-hydrogen Production” in the Journal Biovistas: International Journal of Biological Research. IJBR-ISSN-2321-0524:Vol 5 Issue 7

AWARDS AND HONOURS RECEIVED:

- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English received a **Medal of Appreciation** for presenting a Research Essay at the **First International Congress of Human Rights and Duties** at Behrampur, Odisha on 10th December 2015.
- Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:
 - Honored by Garden City College on 15th January 2015

- Honored by Department of Hindi CMR University on 21/9/2015
 - Honored by VHD Govt. Home Science College Bangalore on 5/10/2015
 - **Raaj Bhasha Gaurav Samaan** on 1/11/2015 by **Akhil Bhartiya Sahitya Sadhak Manch, Bangalore**
 - **Phulka Ratna Samaan** by villagers of Bihar on 25th Dec 2015 for doing social work.
 - **Vishisht Nagrik Samaan** by Parivartan Prabha Kannada News paper on 9/1/2016
- Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science has won the **Rotaract District Club Award** for support and mentoring to the Rotaract cause.
- She was also the Chief Guest at the Little Millenium Nursery School, Hennur Road for the Annual Day.
- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism was invited as a **Judge** for the 'Saviskara'- **State level Inter-Collegiate Science and Humanities Exhibition** for Undergraduate students at Jain University School for Graduate Studies held on 04-02-2016.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

ENGLISH:

Guest Lectures/Seminars/Workshops/Assignments/Group Discussions are some of the innovative practices adopted by the Department. The Department organized:

- a) Guest Lecture for the Optional English students in the Seminar Hall on 22nd July, 2015. Dr. Mythili P Rao, Dean of Languages, Jain University spoke on the Bhakti Movement in India.
- b) Workshop on European and Non-European Literature was conducted on 12th March, 2016 with reference to Jean Rhys' novel - The Wide Sargasso Sea and Chinua Achebe's - No Longer at Ease. Dr. K G Bhuvana Maheshwari, Adjunct Faculty and Head of the Research Committee, Jain University was the resource person.
- c) Elocution Competition in association with Hindustan Aeronautics Limited was organized on the theme "Evils of corruption and the role of the youth in fighting corruption" as part of Vigilance Awareness Week (26th Oct – 31st Oct, 2015). Eighteen students participated enthusiastically from different departments and the following students were declared winners:

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| Ms. Mukta Tavane | III B.A |
| Ms. Purna Singh | II BBM |
| Ms. Ammu Aniyam Kunju | II B.Com |
| Ms. Sheren Koilpillai | III B A |

In the final round held at the HAL Corporate Office, Bangalore on 26th October, 2015 Ms. Ammu Aniyen Kunju of II B.Com A won the III prize (Cash Prize of Rs. 3000/-, a certificate and a memento) and Ms. Perna Singh of II BBM won Consolation Prize (Cash Prize of Rs. 1000/-, a certificate and a memento)

Assignments given to students

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| I B A & I B.Com A (General English) | - Apartheid and its relevance in today's world |
| I B.Com B (General English) | - Nature Speaks/Endangered Species |
| I B.Com C (General English) | - Paper presentations on various topics of students' choice. |
| I BBA (General English) | - Marine Life or Tiger Conservation |
| I BCA (General English) | - The Culture and Traditions of any country |
| I B.Sc (General English) | - Global Indians |
| I B.A/B.Sc/BCA (Additional English) | - Marriage in any country/religion |
| I B.Com/BBM (Additional English) | - Paper presentations on various topics of students' choice. |
| II B.A. (General English) | - Role of Loyalties in the play "Loyalties" by John Galsworthy |
| II B.Com A | - The plight of senior citizens in our country. |
| II B.Com B & C | - India Today |
| II BCA | - Art and Literature of a country. |
| II B. Sc. | - Any One Indian Author or Folk Tales – Around the World |
| II B.A/B.Sc/BCA/B.Com/BBM(Addnl. Eng) | -HIV/AIDS related NGOs and their contributions (with real life stories, interviews etc.) to society. |
| I B.A (Optional English) | - Macbeth – Synopsis. Life & Works of Shakespeare |
| II B A (Optional English) | -The Age of Chaucer or Metaphysical Poetry -American Authors -Life & Achievements of Henry David Thoreau |
| III B A (Optional English) | -Antigone – A Greek Tragedy -The Cherry Orchard – Anton Chekov, His Life and Works. Characters and Themes in the play. -Post Colonial elements in Chinua Achebe's No Longer at Ease. |

Fests conducted :

Literary and Cultural Fest Disha on the theme 'Celebration Of Life' was conducted and competitions like Creative Writing, Pick and Speak, Poetry Writing, Elocution etc. was conducted with enthusiastic participation from around 30 colleges and prizes were given away to the best three participants.

Mentoring activities

- Value Education as per the timetable
- Informal Career guidance and counseling

KANNADA – SRUJANA KANNADA SANGHA:

Apart from the regular classroom interaction sessions, the department used innovative practices for the students to understand the subject in a better way. They included Chapterwise Presentation, Reading and Interpretation, Projects and Paper Presentations.

As a part of the Internal Assessment, assignments were given to students according to the syllabus on different topics.

The Department organized a field visit to Pyramid Valley in the last week of March 2016.

The Department celebrated the Kannada Nadu-NudiHabba , an Interclass Literary and Cultural Fest on 19th March 2016. Srujana Kannada Sangha organized a Numismatics Exhibition (Coins of Different Dynasties of Karnataka) by Sri. H.K. Ramarao. The Guest of Honour was Mrs. Krithi Shetty, Cine Actress and our Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar presided over the programme.

Faculty of the Department conducted Value Education classes as per the Time Table and informal career guidance and counseling was done for the weaker students.

Dr. Manonmani, Head of the Department provides consultations for Research Students by translating the tools, questionnaires, manuals etc.,

HINDI:

The Hindi Fest was organized by the Department of Hindi on 14th September 2015. The theme for this year fest was Dr A.P.J Abdul Kalam. The Chief Guest for the occasion was *Sri Nand Kishor Tiwari* ,Chief Editor *Parivartan Hindi weekly* and the Guest of honor was *Shrimati Sheetal* a free lance writer and social activist. Various inter class competitions like creative writing ,essay writing ,solo song ,quiz ,debate , elocution, group dance and Sundar kand recitation competition were conducted. More than hundred students participated in the competition, 2nd B.com 'A' section won the overall trophy.

Dr Vinay Kumar Yadav organized a seminar under the banner of *Gyan Kiran* Hind Teachers Association Bangalore University on the 4th semester syllabus which was useful for all the teachers. A reference book on the same was published in March 2016

A Group discussion on ' *Importance of Hindi in South India* ' was organized by Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav for *Doordarshan Bangalore* on 9th September 2015. This was telecast by *Doordarshan Chadana* Bangalore on 14th September 2015 at 9 pm

Dr Vinay Kumar Yadav conducted an interview of A Poet *Sri Gyan Chand Marmagya* for All India Radio Bangalore on 9th February 2016.

A Department trip was organized to Karnataka *Mahila Hindi Seva Samithi*

TAMIL:

This year Tamil Department conducted an essay competition on the topic "THANTHIRAM THANDIYA SUDANTHIRAM"

Priya Rani II BCA and Jeba Jyothi I BCOM – FIRST PRIZE

Assignments were given on the topics:

I B A – from KATURAI MANIGAL

I B C A - from KATURAI MANIGAL

I B COM – IDIUDAN KOODIYA MAZHAI NALLIL

II B C A – VALLALAR KATIYA VAZHIL

The department is proud to announce that Nirmala from I BCA secured 97% and the University second rank in Tamil

Priya Esther Rani - II BCA secured 86%

JebaJyothi - I B. COM. - 91% University Topper

2014-2015 IV SEM

Lakshi – II B SC

Niranjala – II B SC

Vaishnavi – II B B M

All have secured above 90% and are university toppers in Tamil

The Tamil Department has NapinnaiMandram for 2015-16 Priya Rani I B C A is secretary for this Mandram

The Tamil Department put up a bulletin board on the topic "WHERE IS FEMINISM"

The department follows the motto C.M.E i.e. COACHING, MOTIVATING, ENCOURAGING and is keeping its head high.

FRENCH:

The academic year 2015-2016 started with a Chasse au Trésor (Treasure Hunt) organized to commemorate Bastille Day (July 14, the French Republic Day). During the course of the year, the students took part in several activities linked to Disha Fest including Dumb Charades and Pictionary in French which helped to improve their vocabulary and communication skills.

In the classroom as well, dialogues and songs were taught to improve verbal and listening skills. For the assignments, creative writing, comprehension and translation passages were given on various subjects linked to the syllabus. But the focus at the end of the term was on grammar with several worksheets, quizzes, tests and practice drills to master the intricacies of the language and its rigid grammatical structures

HISTORY:

The department undertook a field trip to Pyramid Valley for the holistic awareness of the students.

ECONOMICS:

B.Com. students were divided into groups wherein they made their presentations on the topic “Financial Institutions in India” through Power Point Presentations, Charts and Role Play.

Project Work was group based and was given to III B.A. students on The Corporate Sector in India – TATA, RELIANCE, INFOSYS, WIPRO & BIOCON.

Project work on Rural Development covering Social Forestry, Rural Industrialization Project work on Karnataka Economy featuring , Agriculture, Industry and Tertiary Sector was also given.

Bulletin Board - topic displayed was “ BANKING INNOVATIONS”

Screening of a documentary on Rural Development in India

Assignments given to students

B.A. students were given assignments after the completion of each chapter. Objective questions worked out at the end of each chapter. Tests given at regular intervals based on the curriculum.

I B Com students were given assignments pertaining to their syllabus.

Industrial Visits/Field Trips organized

I B.Com. And II B.A. students were taken to the RESERVE BANK OF INDIA on 23rd September 2015. Mr. V.R.Venkatesh –DGM gave a talk on “Functions of RBI” highlighting CURRENCY MANAGEMENT. Mrs. Vasanthi Sagar, AGM., took the students to the Financial Inclusion Resource Centre (FIRC)

The Dept. of Economics & Dept of History organized a field visit to “Pyramid Valley” near Ramnagar for II B.A. & III B.A. HEP & EPH students on 23rd March 2016.

Fests conducted

During the Inter-Collegiate Fest “Disha” the Dept. of Economics along with the Dept. of History and Political Science conducted an EXTEMPORE COMPETITION in which various colleges participated.

Students from II B.A. : (i) Farnaaz Fathima (ii) Incilla Jabakani (iii) Karishma Joshi attended a two day UGC sponsored National Seminar on “Dynamics of Social Infrastructure in India – Emerging Issues, Prospects & Challenges”, on 23rd and 24th February 2016, organized by Mount Carmel College, Bangalore.

Mentoring activities

Value Education as per the timetable
Informal Career guidance and counseling

PSYCHOLOGY:

1. Guest Lectures:

Organized Guest Lectures by eminent professionals to facilitate knowledge sharing and exposure to different career options.

- August 6th 2015: The Dept. of Psychology organized a Guest Lecture on ‘Dealing with Addiction- Substance & Non-Substance Abuse’. The speaker Dr Manoj Kumar Sharma, Associate Professor in the Department of Clinical Psychology at Nimhans, is a renowned speaker ,researcher & heads the Technology De- Addiction centre called SHUT Clinic promoting the Healthy Use of Technology.
- Dr Shaibya from Enfold Proactive health Trust addressed the students on ‘Personal Safety in Relationships.’

2. Panel Discussions:

- A Panel Discussion on 8th September 2015, ‘*Suicide is not about Giving Up but about Holding on was held*’ moderated by Ms Bhooma Krishnan. The panelists were Dr

Manika Ghosh ,Author ,Mrs. Yallina Thomas, Student Counsellor and Dr Vijayashri ,Academician

- **March 5th 2016- Panel discussion on ‘Creating Safe Spaces -Impact of Sexual harassment at workplace’ was held.**

Moderator -Dr. Saldanha, Co-Founder, Enfold Proactive Health Trust ,

Panelists: Mr. G V Ashok Partner,CorLit Law,Dr. Vijayashri Ravi,Professor, Psychology Dept, Bishop Cotton Women's College, Ms.Lalitha Indrakanti Director & Center Leader, Cargill, Mr. Ashok Pamidi, Head of Diversity and Inclusion, NASSCOMM,Ms. Deepika Ponappa, CEO ,Nation Wide Primary Healthcare Services Pvt Ltd, Ms. Shreya Krishnan Head - Marketing & Communications, First Advantage

3. Taking up Social Relevant Causes:

- Jan –June 2016: For the semester The Psychology department adopted the Theme ‘Clean Mind - Clean Environment’ .To associate ourselves with a social cause aligning with the Prime Minister’s Swachh Bharath campaign, we decided to create awareness & work at changing the Mind Set of the youth on cleanliness on the inside and outside .
- Towards this end we had a Poster Making Contest & Selfie Bag Workshop & exhibition. The Selfie Bag contest was a way of ‘Upcycling’ used Tee shirts into funky bags that could be carried everywhere thereby refusing the use of plastic bags. We also had each class come up with their Idea to make this ‘Clean Mind - Clean Environment’ initiative work.
- We put up a Hall of Fame & Hall of Shame – to reward good & bad initiatives respectively during the month.

4. Professional Networking:

- 8th Sept, 2016-A provisional Directory of Counselors in Bangalore compiled by students was released.

5. Awareness Creation:

September 2016: The Department collaborated with the Positive Psychology Unit of NIMHANS on Suicide Prevention with a Programme called –‘Silver Lining’ Lining Campaign to create awareness on the theme using Social media.

Skits were also held at an Assembly in college to create awareness where the final B.A students enacted a skit called ‘Silver Lining’ Campaign

The 2nd B.A. Students enacted a skit on Body Image of Adolescents

6. Power Point Presentations were made by students on ‘Adolescent Development’

Assignments Given:

I Year:

Approaches to the study of Personality
Theories of Motivation

II Year:

- Early Reflexes in Infancy
- Who am I? A quest to explore & understand the Self

III Year:

- Developing HR Training Modules on topics such as Goal setting, Emotional Intelligence, Stress Management, Time Management & Leadership
- Resume writing & Facing Interviews

Certificate Courses:

June to Dec 2015: The Department of Psychology conducted 2 Certificate Courses in the semester

Enfold Proactive Health Trust conducted a Certificate Program on Reproductive and Sexual Health made compulsory for the 3rd Semester students (II B.A.).

Students Enrolled: 35

Eudaimonic Centre for Positive Change & Well-Being conducted a Certificate Program in Psychological Counselling made compulsory for the 5th Semester students (III B.A.) June – Dec 2015 - Students Enrolled: 31

Fests Conducted

March 9th 2016- Inter-collegiate Fest on the Theme- 'Power of Positivity'
12 colleges participated

Events:

Debate Topic-Positivity is the key to Well Being-15 Teams participated

Winners: 1st Prize: Perna Singh(BCWCC)

2nd Prize:Samiha Shaji(Kristu Jayanthi)

3rd Prize: Sheren Coilpillai(BCWCC)

Quiz: On General & Developmental Psychology-4 teams in the Finals

Winning Teams-1st Prize: Kristu Jayanthi-Parvathy Ramesh and Ananya Dev

2nd Prize:Jyoti Nivas College- Varsha Iyer& Nidhitha Prabhu

3rd Prize: : Kristu Jayanthi- Maria Monica & Maya Sreenivasan

Movie Making : Theme- Power of Positivity -6 Teams participated

1st Prize: Kristu Jayanthi-Team- Anit Joseph, Praise Nimmy, Asha Mathew,Pratap and Deepak

Mentoring Activities:

- 6 students who were irregular in the 1st year were counseled individually, parents were intimated & parent-student sessions were held for reformatory purposes. After this students resumed their classes & are currently doing well.
- Career Guidance & Training to face Interviews & course options for Higher Education is an ongoing activity for the Final Year students.

Consultancy : Dr Renuka Paul served as a member of the Academic Audit Team to Indian Academy Degree College, for the Humanities & Language Departments.

POLITICAL SCIENCE:

I BA - Discussion on:

Poverty, illiteracy, population explosion, communalism and unemployment problems faced by India.

Modi's Government.

Talk on:

Remedies to root out corruption.

Assignments:

1stSEM: Modi's speech on Independence Day

2ndSEM: India and Pakistan relationship

II B.A - Discussion on:

Digital and skill India.

Karnataka State Legislative Council and State Zilla and Taluk Panchayath elections.

On intolerance in India.

Issues in Hyderabad and Jawaharlal Nehru University.

Students of 2nd year presented papers on "International Women's Day"

Assignments:

3rdSEM:

Organization: Theories and principles of organization.

4thSEM:

Karnataka state legislative council elections 2015

Ancient Greek political thought

International Women's day

III B.A:Debate on:

Jayalalitha and Salman Khan cases (Amma and Salu)

Child labour around city

Problems of educated unemployment in India

Discussion on:

Yakub Abdul Razak Memon Cases (Yakub Memon)

Jammu and Kashmir Encounter

Chennai floods

Violence on women

Traffic rules

Online marketing

Union budget

JNU crisis

Haryana Emergency

Need for Peace and Harmony in India

Vijay Mallya – Defaulter

Assignments:

5thSEM:

Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam- life sketch

Digital India

Financial administration: stages of budget preparation, enactment, execution and reforms in financial administration.

6thSEM:

Karnataka State Legislative Council Election December 2015

Karnataka State Zila and Taluk Panchayath on 13th and 20th Feb 2016

Dr. B R Ambedkar –life sketch

Bulletin Board - On August 13th 2015 was displayed on 69th Independence Day

Field trip-visit to Pyramid Valley on 23rd March 2016

Mentoring Activities:

Identifying the weak students and taking remedial classes ,guiding them and preparing them for the examination.

Consultancy :

Mrs. Hemalatha's guidance focused on career opportunities to develop a positive attitude towards life ,building students to be strong and brave in society, helping solve problems related to studies, solving problems related to their personal life and making them socially and politically aware in the society.

JOURNALISM:

To hone the writing skill of budding journalists and to learn the nuances of print media, various practical skill oriented assignments and projects were given to the students.

First year students were taught to do a movie review in the class. Students reviewed movies released in the month of June and July 2015

Second year students brought out a one page individual Newsletter in September 2015 and are also bringing out the department Lab journal Prism-vol: 7 which will be published in April 2016.

Final year students presented a research paper on the topics related to the syllabus and mass media through Analytical, Descriptive and Case study method.

Final year students prepared print advertisement on 'Make in India' in February 2016. The best three advertisements won the prize.

Assignments given to students:

Final year students interviewed noted personalities in the month of August 2015 as part of their assignment. Few among them were:

Ms. Syeda Fathima interviewed Mr. Irshad Ahmed Khan, Deputy Superintendent of Police, BESCO Vigilance

Ms. Saumonia Nancy interviewed Kannada cine actor Mr. Mandeep Roy

Ms. Muktha Tavane interviewed Dr. Suman Chowdhary, Accupressure Therapist

Ms. Jaslyn Trinita E S interviewed Mr. D Ramesh, Chairman, District Congress Committee for the Labour Department.

Ms. Preksha interviewed Mr. Manish Kothari, Managing Director, International School of Business and Research.

Ms. Monica Singh interviewed Mr. Manish Gaur, Director& Trainer, Institute of Baking and Cake Art.

Second year students compiled various case studies related to Media Laws.

First year students reviewed two English or Kannada newspapers of their choice.

Soft Skill Training Workshop

Soft Skill Training Workshop on 'Presentation Skill' was conducted in association with Deccan Herald. Corporate Trainer K.S Sridhar conducted the workshop on 27-08-2015

Soft Skill Training Workshop on 'Group Dynamics' was conducted in association with Deccan Herald. Corporate Trainer Swaroop S conducted the workshop on 10-03-2016.

Principal Prof .Esther Prasanakumar was the Chief Guest for the Valedictory of Deccan Herald-in-Education program on 10-03-2016.

Certificates provided by the Deccan Herald will be given to all the students who enrolled for the Deccan Herald-in-Education program.

Inter-Class Seminar

Inter-class competitions were conducted on various topics related to the syllabus and media from 04-08-2015 to 14-08-2015. Best PPT from each class won the prize.

PPT Presentation on various topics related to syllabus and media were presented by the students from 08-02-2016 to 19-02-2016

Final Year students prepared one page print advertisement on 'Make in India'. The best three advertisements won the prize.

Talent Hunt

The Department organized a 'Talent Hunt' for the college students of both PU and Degree in association with Radio Mirchi. The program was judged by VJ Om and Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar on 19-09-2015

Inter-Collegiate Competition

An Inter-Collegiate 'Big Fight' competition was conducted during 'DISHA 2015' on 28-09-2015. Around eight colleges participated in the event. Journalist Terrina Jairaj and Media Professional Aishwarya Mani were the judges.

Industrial visit

Staff and students visited Deccan Herald Printing Press at Kumbalagodu on 09-09-2015 to study the printing process of newspaper.

Student's grievances regarding attendance, peer pressure and personal problems are discussed and referred to the college counselor for further action. Weaker students were identified and special coaching was given to them.

Students' Achievements

Final year student Muktha Tavane Kantharaj won the first prize in the Essay writing competition held at National School of Journalism. Essay on corporatization of Indian sports along with Muktha's photograph was published in the NSoJ Newsletter February 2016 issue.

Final year student Amulya is an anchor on the Udaya music channel and anchors the live music program every Saturday and Sunday.

Second year students Krithika, Kasturi, Shalini and Priyanka K V have produced a short film titled-'REWIND' for the inter-collegiate media fest held at Jyothi Nivas College on 4/03/2016

Second year students Kasturi and Priyanka Mehta participated in the inter-collegiate photography competition held at BMS College for women in September 2015

Second year students put up a bulletin board on the topic-'Television Broadcast Media'.

Publicity

The Department of Journalism actively co-ordinated the publicity work of the College by sending press releases and inviting the press to various college programmes. 'Disha Fest' report written by Mrs. Chaya Anil Kumar was published in the Deccan Herald dated 06-10-2015. Various reports of college programs were published in the leading Kannada and English newspapers.

SOCIOLOGY:

Audio-Visual techniques; screening of documentaries on different topics.

Assignments given to the students:

Covering various social issues of the Indian Society like family, violence against women, racial classification, research study – research on urbanization- dynamic youth of Bangalore, research on working and elderly women, research on tribes in Manipur and research on discrimination of women in the workshop

Guest lecture on "Changing Family Structure of Indian Society by Dr Omprakash on 5.7.2015.

Guest Lecture by Dr. Tarakeshavari (KIMS) on ‘Social Anthropology – physical anthropology – evolution of Man – the 4 stages.’

Seminars conducted for the students:

Collection of data: - questionnaire, interview and observation.

Industrial visits:

Visit to Bangalore Dairy on 14.03.2016 - To get practical knowledge on the working of the industry including the Production and Trade Union. Students met the HR department and were also exposed to the making of milk/curd covers and the manufacture of butter, ghee and other milkproducts.

Field Trips:

Visit to village near Varthur (Rampura) for following purposes: Understanding the working of the Gram Panchayat, Gender Sensitization and the Sericulture Industry.

Mentoring activities:

Students who needed special guidance were given assignments and tests on the syllabus. Regular remedial classes were held with attendance.

COMMERCE:

Industrial Visit

- Ms. Porkodi and Ms. Rachel Joshua organized an industrial visit to the small scale unit “MPee Kitchenette Pvt Ltd” for two batches of 70 students from III year BCOM on 30th July 2015.
- The Department organized an industrial tour to GOA from 18th to 22nd March and visited
 - The Goa State Co-operative Milk Producers Union Ltd
 - The Naval Aviation Museum

Certificate Course

- Ms. Jenifer Soniya S coordinated a 20 Hr course in Communication and Personality Development by “AIESEC”. The course was conducted from 18th July 2015 to 17th August 2015 for 60 students of II BCOM. The topics covered were ‘Motivation for Future Goal and Ambitions’, ‘Personal Grooming’, ‘Women Empowerment and Self Empowerment.’
- Mr. Khaleel Ahmed coordinated a 40Hr Tally.ERP9 Course for II and III B.COM. students from 20th July, 2015 to 18th September, 2015 by Alpha Tech Academy, Bangalore with a strength of 50 students.
- Mrs. Rachel Joshua coordinated a 16 Hr Advantage U Programme by Talent Ease Business Solutions Pvt ltd, for 43 students of III BCOM from 12th August 2015 to 1st October 2015. The course included sessions on Communication, Presentation and Interview skills. The Graduation ceremony was held on 23rd February 2016.
- Mr. Khaleel Ahmed coordinated a 40Hr Tally.ERP9 course for I year BCOM students from 11th January, 2016 to 12th March, 2016 by Alpha Tech Academy, Bangalore with the strength of 40 students.

Guest Lectures

- A guest lecture on the topic “Retail Marketing” was organized for final year BCOM students, the speaker was Mr. Janardhan from M.E.S Degree College, Malleshwaram. The students were exposed to the mechanism of statistical tools used for the analysis of the retailing system in India.
- A guest lecture on the topic “Social Media Analytics” was organized for final year BCOM students, the speaker was Mr. Ravi Kumar, an Economist and Sr. Consultant at Stratum Analytics. He addressed the students on topics related to Business Analytics and Social Media Analytics.

Workshop

A workshop on the topic “Corporate Grooming for Women” was conducted by Image Consulting Business Institute for final year BCOM students. The workshop included topics on sensible dressing according to the corporate culture.

Seminar/Conference attended by students:

- Students from final year B.Com. participated in a one day National Seminar on the topic “Towards Sustainable Development in the 21st Century”, held on 12th September 2015 at Sheshadripuram College, Bengaluru in association with Azim Premji University.
- Students from final year B.Com participated in a one day National Conference on “Higher Education of Women in India – Opportunities and Challenges, held on 26th February 2016 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

Departmental Fest

An annual intercollegiate Disha fest was conducted on 28th & 29th September, 2015. Commerce Department conducted four events - Chameleon, Business Connections, Collage and Product Launch.

Innovative Practices

1. Visual Stimulation Learning:

- A Stimulation trading/ virtual trading session was conducted for final year B.Com students in order to give them insight into floor trading / physical outcry system.
- Short movies were shown on topics like procedure for applying patents on various ethical issues.
- Interactive videos on operation of Stock and Commodities Market were screened.

2. Experiential and Service Learning:

- Organized Industrial trip to small scale unit (MPee Kitchenette Pvt. Ltd) for III B.Com 'A' to give an insight into the production process & workings of a small scale unit. (Entrepreneurial Development)
- Organized Industrial trip to Goa State Co-operative Milk Producers Union Ltd to give an insight on manufacturing process and segregation of By-Products and Joint Products.
- Students visited Manipal Health Systems and collected information for marketing mix elements of their service product.

3. Critical Thinking:

- The students solved practical Case Studies for Business Ethics.
- Analytical games like Business Puzzle, Cross Word etc were conducted for Advanced Financial Management.
- A Discussion on proceedings/verdicts of real life cases in India for the subject Business Regulations.
- Analysis of Legal agreements like Sale Deed, Offer Letter, Lease Agreement, Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association of Company.

4. Student-Centered Constructionism:

- Students of final year B.Com were asked to prepare a fact file of two mutual fund schemes to prepare a sales pitch for their clients.
- Role play on promotional activities were performed by students.
- A project on marketing strategies with reference to new products.

MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

Innovative Practices

The Department uses various Innovative methods like Role Play, Power Point Presentations on the relevant topics, debates on Current Management Issues, and Business quiz.

Based on the interests of students on various areas of management, student groups were formed. Regular meetings of these groups was conducted to discuss the activities regarding marketing, finance, HR and other specializations. These kinds of group activities build up their competencies to participate in intercollegiate events.

Business Management Association of Students was formed, office bearers for the association was elected and installed.

Assignments given to students

Regular Assignments were given related to the subjects as per university guidelines.
Regular Assessment Tests are conducted to check the academic performance of the students.

Industrial Visits/ Field Trips Organised

- M P Kitchens Pvt. Ltd. Bangalore – Study of Manufacturing Process and Operation Management on 20.08.2015
- Security and Exchange Board of India, Local Office, Bangalore – Investment Education on 22.01.2016.
- Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Ltd., Government of Karnataka, Bangalore – Study of Manufacturing Process and Operation Management on 14.03.2016.
- CSI Hospital – Outreach Activities on 22.03.2016
- Karpagam Mills Ltd., Coimbatore, Nilgiris Tea Factory, Ooty – Study of Manufacturing Process and Operation Management on 31.03.2016.

Certificate course conducted

The Department in association with Ascent Capital Marketing Academy conducted a Short term Certificate Course on “Capital Market”, 21 students of II BBM and III BBM enrolled and successfully completed the course.

On 21st September 2015 a seminar on Stock Market Trading was conducted Resource person was Mr. Kishore B.S. from Stock Market Institute, a Basket Option Venture, Bangalore.

Fests Conducted

The Department Organized an Intercollegiate Management Fest “NISKA: L’AUBE- THE IRON WHEELS” on 8th August 2015. Students from various Colleges participated in the fest. There were 5 events in the area of Finance, Marketing, Human Resource Management, Business Quiz and Best Manager. Christ University emerged winner with the Best All Rounder Trophy.

Mentoring Activities

General Regular Counseling was done in the classes regularly.

Personal counseling on a one to one basis is done for academically weak students and for students who have any kind of issues.

PHYSICS:

- Seminar for all classes.
 - III B. Sc – op – amp
 - II B. Sc – Fraounhoffer diffraction and lasers.
 - I B. Sc – Black body radiations.
- Project: Working Model Making by I B.Sc- Won III place at JNC in the Inter-collegiate competition
- Bulletin board – On network 4G mobiles.
- Outreach program : Vishweshwaraiah Museum.(all PMC students)

DEPARTMENTS OF CHEMISTRY, BOTANY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY:

Innovative Practices:

Use of OHP, CDs, Charts and Models. The department of Biotechnology in collaboration with Christ University’s Recycling Unit was involved in Paper Recycling. Old newspapers and used answer scripts were sent to the unit which was recycled into hand -made eco friendly files which were used for conferences and workshops.

Assignments given to students: Chemistry - I B. Sc

- Dilute solutions and Colligative properties. Determination of relative molar mass by Landsberger’s method and Beckmann’s method and problems.

- Noble gases – Isolation of Helium from natural gas and application of noble gases. Preparation, properties and structures of fluorides and oxides of XeF₂, XeF₄, XeF₆, XeO₃ and XeO₄.

II B. Sc

- Fertilizers – Nitrogenous, Phosphatic and mixed fertilizers. Manufacture of urea and superphosphate of lime and their uses.
- Solid state – Laws of crystallography, Symmetry elements in crystals, Crystal systems. X- ray diffraction of crystals and derivation of Bragg's equation.

III B. Sc

- Alkaloids-structural elucidation and synthesis of nicotine. Uses of Morphine, Cocaine, Atopine, Reserpine, Strychnine and nicotine.
- Problem solving in Electrochemistry.
- Biochemistry- Nucleic Acids

Project Work:

II B. Sc

Environmental Chemistry

1. Acid rain
2. Water pollution
3. Treatment of sewage and industrial waste

Seminars:

III B. Sc

Industrial materials- Refractories, Abrasives, Glass, Ceramics and Cement

Botany – Contribution of Prof. B.G.L.Swamy, Economic importance of Gymnosperms, Economic importance of Fungi, Stress Physiology, Photorespiration, Plants defence Mechanism.

Biotechnology – Biodegradable Plastic, Poly hydroxyl Alkonates, Bacterial cell wall, Edible vaccines, Insertional elements and Transposable Elements.

Bulletin Board: Chemistry – Forensic Chemistry

Botany – Types of Mushroom

Biotechnology – Recent developments in Science

Field Trips:

On the 3rd of October 2015 the students of III year B.Sc. were taken on a field visit to LalBagh Botanical Garden as a requirement for the study of Taxonomy and Economic Botany.

On the 28th of January 2016 the students of II year B.Sc visited the Flower show at LalBagh Botanical Gardens.

On the 27th of February a field visit was organized to University of Agricultural Sciences (UAS). A few of the departments like Plant Breeding and Genetics, Plant Tissue Culture, Plant Pathology and Seed Production were visited. The students were benefitted by the various research projects being carried out in their laboratories.

On the 12th of March 2016 an industrial visit to Heritage Wines, Channapatna, was organized. The students were benefitted by the fermentation techniques explained to them and also had the privilege to taste different types of wine.

Certificate Course:

An interdepartmental certificate course on ‘Biochemical Techniques’ was organized by the departments of Chemistry, Botany and Biotechnology in association with the Durga Femto Technologies and Research (DFTR). It was an honors programme and the course was designed for 50 hrs out of which 20 hrs was allotted for theory, 30 hrs for practical classes. Both theory and practical classes were handled by Dr. Guruprasad Ph. D., Scientific director of DFTR. This certificate course aims at providing aggressive hands on training and alternate educative programs in various areas of life science with special focus to Compound Extraction by Soxhelt Method, Column Chromatography, Developmental observation of Zebra fish embryo, Enzyme extraction from plants, Purification steps and Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR). The students were introduced to the latest sophisticated techniques and instruments and they had a good exposure in the field. Certificates were issued by both Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College and DFTR which would be of added value in the student’s career.

Fests Conducted:

An inter collegiate Treasure Hunt event was organized on the 28th of September 2015.

Workshop conducted:

An inter disciplinary Science Academies Lecture Workshop titled “Advances in Plant and Biomedical Sciences” in association with Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore, Indian National Science Academy, Delhi and The National Academy of Sciences, India, Allahabad, was organized on the 10th and 11th Of March 2016. The topics included were – Microbial

Inoculants and Plant Productivity, Structure-Activity Relationships in Metal Based Anti -Cancer Drugs, Understanding Cancer Biology: Basic Enigmas and Prospects, Challenges in Developing Magic Bullets for Cancer, Medicinal Plants in India: Prospects and Problem, Oral Sub- Mucous Fibrosis; Etiology and Mechanism, Trends in Aromatic Plant Research and their Processing, and Arbuscular Mycorrhizal Fungi in Sustainable Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry.

Mentoring Activities:

Weaker students were identified and additional coaching and regular tests were conducted.

Consultancy to student by experts:

Cehrin Elyas, an alumni of the department explained about the Higher Education and Research in Universities abroad. She also gave an overview about the job opportunities. The students were richly benefitted by her information and her experience.

Dr. Anuj Kumar from Grey Scholars, briefed the students about the integrated M.Sc – Ph.D. programs in Indian Institute of Science (IISc).

Resource Person was arranged from Sahas Enterprises to give a detailed talk on e-waste management.

HOME SCIENCE:

Other than regular class-room interaction, the students were taught through the following workshops.

A workshop on Puppet Making was organized for the III yr B.A./B.Sc. students in the month of August 2015. The resource person was Mrs. Latha Sadagopan, a freelance communication expert. Different materials were used to make the puppets which could be used in story telling as well as to teach differently-abled children.

Parent-education programme was conducted by the II yr B.A./B.Sc. students in the Seminar Hall for mothers of pre-schoolers in the month of September 2015. The topics covered were Nutritional topics such as Balanced diet, Vitamin A deficiency, Iron deficiency, Food pyramid, and packed lunch, Psychological problems among pre-schoolers such as bed-wetting, nail-biting, temper tantrums, and thumb-sucking.

Creative Activity – an interactive session with mothers in Pre-school children was conducted by III yr B.A./B.Sc. students. The aim was to make parents aware of the values promoted by printing and painting activities.

Assignments

Indian and Mediterranean Food Pyramid - I Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Traditional Textiles of India – II Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Problems of Adolescents – III Sem B.A./B.Sc.,
Accessories – IV Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Creative Activity file – V Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Enhancement of quality of life of elderly – VI Sem B.A./B.Sc.

Visits/Field trips

Visit to Lalbagh Flower show in January 2016, by the VI Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Visit to a Weaving unit in March 2016, by the II Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Visit to a Pre-school Education Centre in March 2016, by II Sem B.A./B.Sc.
Visit to Stephen's Old Age Home in March 2016, by VI Sem B.A./B.Sc.
House-visit to study Interiors in March 2016, by IV Sem B.A./B.Sc.

Fests conducted:

During Disha 2015, Department of Home Science conducted an Inter-collegiate competition on Flower arrangement.

Mentoring activities

Special attention is given to the slow-learners.
Students who are irregular to class have been mentored individually.

COMPUTER SCIENCE:

The Department of Computer Science conducted a UGC Sponsored Career Oriented Certificate Course on “**Networking with Netsim**” for the I BCA students.

The Department of Computer Science conducted a UGC Sponsored Career Oriented Certificate Course on “**Embedded System**” for the II BCA students.

Inter class Competitions were conducted from 21/08/16 to 26/08/16 for the BCA students to help them bring out their talents.

Achievements of Students

- Mythri, Baishakhi and Chaitra of III BCA won the Second place in “Movie Making”, during the National Intercollegiate Fest, held at Christ University.
- Anisa and Sonia of III BCA received the “Best Paper” Award during the National Level Seminar held at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian college on February 26th, 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES: M.COM.

Dr. Narasimhan K, Co-ordinator attended a workshop on Research Methodology organised by Department of Commerce Central College, Bangalore University on 03-02-2016.

Fresher`s Day for 1st semester M.com students was conducted and organized by the II M.Com. students on 09-11-2015. The events included; Fresher Queen, Ice breaker, Fun quiz, Entertainment games etc.

An Industrial visit to Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Ltd Bangalore was organized on 10-11-2015 for 2nd M.com and on 05-10-2015 for 1st year M.com students.

A Guest lecture was conducted on 23-11-2015 for 1st Sem M.Com students on topic “Co-ordination of Monetary and Fiscal policies of Government” by Prof. M. M. Gupta.

A Guest lecture was conducted for 3rd Sem M.Com students on 25-11-2015 “Direct Taxes” by Prof. Ramaswamy.

A Guest lecture was conducted for 1st Sem M.Com students on 03-12-2015 “ Options and Futures” by Prof. Himachal Pathy.

Workshops/Seminars/Conferences attended by M.Com students

National Conference on Corporate Financial Reporting conducted in Al-Ameen College on 06-10-2015.

- Noor Ayesha (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Al Sabha (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Hajira Anjum (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Afia Sultan (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Shabeena Banu (3rd Sem M.Com)

A Seminar on Cross Functional Diffusion conducted in Oxford College on 24-04-2015.

- Shabeena Banu (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Yogita Yadav (3rd Sem M.Com)

A Seminar on National Conference on Goods and Services conducted in St. Joseph`s College for Commerce on 03-08-2015.

- Rebecca Priya.R (1st Sem M.Com)
- Albina Mary Thomas (1st Sem M.Com)
- Sindhu Bhushan (1st Sem M.Com)
- Vani. K (1st Sem M.Com)
- Nancy Gloria.D (1st Sem M.Com)
- Lizzy Maria. D (1st Sem M.Com)
- Shabeena Banu (3rd Sem M.Com)

National Conference on Higher Education of Women in India conducted in Bishop Cotton Women`s Christian College on 25-02-2016.

- Lakshmi. S (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Amrutha. A (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Nidhiya. S (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Yogita Yadav (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Noor Ayesha (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Al Sabha (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Hajira Anjum (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Afia Sultan (3rd Sem M.Com)
- Shabeena Banu (3rd Sem M.Com)

National Conference on Emerging Trends in Global Business conducted in St. Joseph`s Evening College on 27-02-2016.

- Vani. K (2nd Sem M.Com)

State level seminar on “ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT –ROAD AHEAD” at United Mission Degree College on 17th march 2016

Students participated:

Vani.k 1st year M.Com AND Shobhita Raj.G - 2nd year M.Com

International conference on “HIGHER EDUCATION CONCLAVE” 2016 at Seshadripuram First Grade College on 19th March 2016.

Students participated

Yogita Yadav - 2nd year M.Com and Wahida Begum - 2nd year M.Com

An inter college event “LA- EXCELENCIA” was conducted by the students of PG Department in seminar hall on 22nd march 2016, headed by Principal and co-ordinator of the department). Chief Guest for the event was Mrs. Meera Venkat, President Rise Global Bangalore. Students from eight colleges participated in various events like- product launch, best manager, business quiz, collage and ad-selfie. The winners were given trophies and certificates were distributed to the participants.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

The term “physical education” denotes a combination of sports & games which include a healthy & positive attitude for the overall development of human personality in order to inculcate the quality of leadership, team spirit, organization & discipline.

Achievements:

The Athletic Queen of our College Saujanya K G of III B Com ‘C’ secured 1st place in the 100 mts at the Bengaluru University Athletic Meet with a meet record of 12.1 seconds & equaled the record, set by Nirmala Uthaiiah in the year 1971, after 44 years. She also secured 2nd place in the

200 mts at the same meet. Her achievement was covered by all leading newspapers like Deccan Herald, Prajavani, Times of India & the Deccan Chronicle.

She secured 1st place in the 100 mts dash in the Karnataka State Championship 2015 held at Kanteerava Stadium. She represented Karnataka State in the All India Championship held at Chennai. She also represented Bengaluru University at the All India Inter- University Athletic Meet held at Patiala, Punjab from 29th of December 2015 to 3rd January 2016.

Deepthi Chavan of III BA secured 3rd place in the Bengaluru University Athletic Meet. Our College shuttle badminton team secured runners- up in the Bengaluru University Tournament held at Sindhi College. Akila Jayamana represented the University team held at SRM University, Chennai in the month of December 2015.

The College Throw Ball Team secured runners- up in the “Smash Tournament” organized by Sacred Heart College, Bengaluru on Saturday, 12th of March 2016.

The College Annual Athletic Meet 2016 was held on 10th February in the United Mission Degree College grounds. The Chief Guest for the day was Shri Arjun Devaiah Theethamada, Yesteryear’s sprint king of India & Acclaimed International Athlete. The sports secretary, Akila Jayamana, a badminton player contributed much towards the smooth functioning of all the events.

Saujanya K G of III B Com C is the Best Outgoing Sports woman for the academic year 2015-16.

To conclude, the difference between the impossible & possible lies in a person’s determination.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda,
Physical Education Director.

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE:

The main objective of the library is to have maximum utilization of library resources and create awareness among the staff and students. In order to achieve this, the library holds regular book exhibitions wherein many leading publishers and distributors take part. The library has a well-balanced number of books, journals & leading newspapers. The reference collection is enhanced regularly and a book bank exclusively for students belonging to the SC/ST category is provided, as a measure to help them pursue their educational interests.

A database created by Virgosys Software updates all the records of the library. Free internet service with wifi connection is provided to the staff & students. Photocopying and scanning facilities are also provided. New arrivals and a special collection of books are displayed. An up-to-date question bank is also available.

Mrs. Rose Francis P,
Librarian.

COUNSELLING:

Counselling is a process that enables to sort out issues and reach decisions affecting their life. Often counselling is sought out at a time of change or crisis, it need not be so however as counselling can also help us at any time of our life.

Counselling involves talking with a person in a way that helps a person solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause a person to solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause a person to understand and /or improve his /her behaviour, character, values or life circumstances. In the end of the counselling process ,the client himself /herself has an insight to the problem and he/she becomes empowered to take his or her own decision.

Conflicts, academic problems, career, personal and socially related problems seem more today than in the past. Counselling programmes involves individual sessions with students, where truth serves as a mean to reach the goals of counselling. Follow up sessions are carried out as on a regular basis and parents are involved in the process if the need demands.

The counsellor was also actively involved in meeting the students and parents who have shortage of attendance. They were counselled and advised to be regular to college and to maintain 75% attendance in all subjects. In future, the counsellor hopes to instill skills that will enable our students to be efficient and successful.

Counselling is defined as the service of helping people to adjust or deal with personal problems, by enabling them to discover for themselves the solution to the problems when receiving attention from a counsellor.

THE COUNSELLOR'S VIEW POINT:

As the counsellor,I had to deal with not just counselling but also address issues and also to manage the help desk to help our students and parents. Throughout the year, I met students staff and parents addressing many issues like peer pressure, parental pressure, academic pressure, personal problems, relationship problems, depression, career guidance, shortage of attendance ,misconduct, enquiries, ventilation ,interpersonal problems, relationship problems and other issues.I have maintained confidentiality and dealt with each individual on a non judgemental basis .Certain sensitive matters had to be taken up with the Principal and handled delicately. I have maintained confidential reports after every session and also maintained a record of work on a daily basis. I have also got feedback from students, parents and staff on the sessions that were conducted.Certain case follow up sessions were taken up by me.Students who had approached me seeking help have also brought their classmates and friends for various issues .This shows a definite positive impact of my counselling services.

The respondents were asked for general comments or remarks of the service provided.

My primary task is to support the academic session of the college by providing a range of interventions which enhance a student's ability to be consistently engaged with achieving their academic potential

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

The counsellor had given a talk on the topic “Adolescent counselling “ to the second year students of the Home science department on the 24th of July 2015.

The psychology department had organised a panel discussion on the 8th of September on the topic “Suicide is not about giving up but about holding on” as a part of the “silver lining campaign” and the college counsellor was one of the panellist.

The counsellor had given a talk on the topic “Adolescent counselling” to the third year students of the Home science department on the 14th of January 2016.

The counsellor attended a one day workshop on Faculty developmental programme on “need for counselling awareness among academicians“ on the 16th of January 2016 at Jain University-centre for management studies.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:

The Committee organized an Alumni Meet on 2nd April 2016. Around 100 former students attended the Meeting. The Alumni were addressed by the Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar. Some of the former students shared their experiences of College life. An election was conducted to select the members of the Committee and the day ended with a fun game.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav,
Convenor.

ASSEMBLY:

Assemblies were held on alternate Thursdays of the month during the Value Education Hour. The first assembly for the year was held for the II and III year students on the 23rd of June 2015. The Staff led the assembly with a time of devotion by Ms. Harshini Esther, Faculty, Department of Commerce. The Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar introduced the members of the Student Welfare Committee for the year 2015-16 and announcements were made for the enrolment of the students into the various committees/clubs.

A special assembly was held for the PUC and the Degree students in commemoration of St. Peter's Day on the 27th of June 2015. The Chief Guest for the programme was Rev. Salome Joshua, Asst Presbyter, St. John's Church. The next combined assembly was held on the 10th of July in view of the Student Council Elections for the year 2015-16.

The final year students were given an opportunity to conduct the assembly classwise. A theme was chosen by the class keeping in mind -special events/days/festivals. The entire program -the bible reading, the prayer, skit, tableau or choreography was chosen in accordance with the theme.

Students were given a demonstration and a talk on Self Defence and Martial Arts during the Assembly on the 11th of February 2016. Special programmes were conducted by the Student Union to commemorate Teacher's Day and Women's Day. A Special Assembly was organized by the Department of Sociology in commemoration of Women's Day on the 17th of March 2016.

The Red Cross Unit of our College organized a talk for our students on the importance of organ donation in the month of March 2016. Announcements were made regarding the forthcoming events and programs by the concerned department or committee. Students were recognized during the Assembly for their achievement in academics, co –curricular and extra-curricular activities.

Ms. Rita Josephine
Convenor

VALUE EDUCATION:

Value education classes were held on Thursdays during the value education hour by the class teacher in order to inculcate our students moral and ethical values and not just be achievers in society and also contribute back to the society. The value education classes are interactive and students are taught using multimedia aids, videos, group discussion, debates and short stories. The schedule comprised of topics such as values, life enrichment skills, interpersonal relationships, personality development etc. A feedback on each session was given by the class teacher.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor

ANTI RAGGING:

The anti ragging committee in order to take care and prevent ragging visited the classes of all the first year students. The committee explained to each class the strict anti ragging policy of our college. The students were told that the college has a zero tolerance policy on ragging.

The details on 24/7 anti ragging helpline was put on the notice boards.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

SEXUAL REDRESSAL:

As education and increasing awareness are the best ways to prevent sexual harassment, the members of sexual harassment committee visited all the classes and informed students about the different aspects of inappropriate gender - based sexual behaviour. A questionnaire was

distributed among students to find out the level of understanding among students on various issues related to sexual harassment.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL – E – EVOLVE:

The Entrepreneurship cell of Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College, is an initiative by NEN supported by Wadhvani Foundation. It began its activities for the academic year 2015-2016 with an orientation programme on 21st July 2015. The chief guests for the orientation program were Mrs. Namitha Charles and Mrs. Rita Paul OF "THAT'S MY CAKE". They emphasized on the journey of being an entrepreneur with the passion to innovate new things every day.

The faculty members of E-cell are Ms. Suriya Naaz, Dept of commerce, Mrs. Sogara-Bi, Dept of Management Studies, Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla Dept of Computer Science, Ms. Joyce Metilda, Dept of Economics, Dr. Mrs. Sharmila. A Dept of Bio-technology, Mrs. Porkodi S, Dept of Commerce.

During the activity hour, on Fridays, various activities are conducted by the E-leaders such as 50 Rupees Venture, Idea Generation, Inside the Box, Managing E-store, Inspirational Videos, E-Week Videos, Warm Up Exercises, Cost Sheet, Workshops, Webinar, Documentation etc. These activities have helped the girls to carry out their ventures and E-store successfully.

Our students attended the one day Leadership workshop conducted by NEN on 5th February 2016 at BNM institute of Technology, Bangalore.

As a part of the learning activities our students have taken part in the webinars conducted by NEN. These webinars help the students in understanding the things relating to being an entrepreneur.

Our students have also taken part in the SMART-E Challenge competitions conducted by NEN. They have taken part in two competitions namely 1) SmartE- apprentice challenge powered by First Advantage, 2) SmartE Challenge – Build A brand.

Following are the student ventures in campus:

- BOTTLE ART COMPANY:- founded by Ms. Manjari of III BBM – the company deals with decoration of bottles of all kinds.
- CAMOUFLAGE:- founded by Ms. Deepa of III B.Com – The company deals with hand-made quilling, terra cotta and crystal jewellery.
- MELTING MOMENTS:- founded by Ashika Jain of I B.Com- The company deals with home-made Chocolates and home-made Donuts.

SCHOOL WORKSHOPS

Our E-cell members successfully conducted workshops at Mitranya School, Gokul Vidya Kendra and United mission. The workshops were conducted with an intention to create awareness about an entrepreneur, The students were taught to make few hand craft items, Calligraphy, Quilling, how to use electronic gadgets in a limited usage, drawing, painting and so on.

After completing the workshop, few students gave us the feedback that they would like to have these workshops at least once a week or a month.

E-WEEK

E-week of the college was held from 15th February 2016 to 22nd February 2016 and students from various departments took part in the activities. This year's E-week was celebrated with the theme "Innovating for a better world".

The Chief Guest Ms. Ranjitha. S believes in “Enlightening of Oneself through Art”. Our chief guest is an entrepreneur who has started her career in the field of dance. She is truly an inspiration to our students for all those who believe in themselves and in their dreams.

The events during the E-week were conducted based on the theme which included Guest Lecture, Best Entrepreneur, Fashion Show, Dance, Best Tuck Shop, 50 Rupees Venture, Concentration Level and so on.

The E-week finally ended with the finale being conducted at Mount Carmel College by NEN.

We express our sincere thanks to our Principal Prof.EstherPrassana Kumar and our Consultant Ms.Bhumika Jain.

Ms. Suriya Naaz

Convenor

STUDENT WELFARE:

The Student Welfare Committee consisting of Ms. B.G. Jyothi, Dr. Manonmani, Mr. Khaleel Ahmed, Mrs. Suja Shanthi, Mrs. Sogara Bi, Mrs. Suvina Benjamin and Ms. Jenifer Soniya along with the Student Council Ms. Ritika C. Raheja, Ms. Dolly Choudhary, Ms. Nivedita S Ms. Priyanka Mehta, Ms. Perna Singh, Ms. Akila Jayamanna ,Ms. Misbah Fathima, Ms. Jemi Clarinta and Ms. Keran Jerusha Pauline organized various memorable programmes during the year 2015-2016.

The Highlights of the different programmes as follows.

- An Orientation Programme for I Degree students organized on 22nd June 2015. Chief Guest: Mr. E. Immanuel Nehemiah, Chaplain, Bishop Cotton Boy's School.
- Fresher's Day organized on 11th July 2015
- Student Council Election for the year 2015-16 conducted on 15th July 2015 and the above mentioned Students got elected .
- Investiture : The Swearing - in-Ceremony of the Student Council held on 23rd July 2015. Chief Guest: Dr. Shirley Hereford, Proprietrix, Second Mile Inc., A Learning and Development Consultancy.
- Leadership Training Programme for all members of the Student Council, Prefects, Representatives of various Classes of 2015-16 , organized on 30th July 2015. at KCD HRD Centre, Conducted by Mr. Leo Fernandez and Mr. Peter Ghooi of'Talentease'.
- Interclass Competitions conducted by Student Council on 11th to 13th of August 2015.
- Annual Inter-collegiate Literary and Cultural Fest "Disha - 2015 - CELEBRATION OF LIFE : La - Fiesta" organized on 28th and 29th September 2015. Chief Guest: Mr. Ranganatha Bharadwaj, Editor- in - Chief, ETV News Kannada, Guest of Honour: Mr. Bharath B.J - Music Director.
- Ten of our Students Participated in Deccan Herald Metrolife Fashion Show (Fifth Edition) on 18th September 2015.
- In memory of Late Dr. Abdul Kalam's Vision for India 2020, WE SCHOOL (Wellingkar Education) organized " Think India, Transform India" Idea Contest 2015, at our Campus conducted on 13th January 2016. Ms. ZebaAsif of III B. Sc and Ms. Deepti Chavan of III B.A got selected in the Preliminary Round and won cash prizes.

- Annual Athletic Meet held on 10 Feb 2016. Chief Guest : Mr. Arjun Devaiah, International Athlete.
- Outreach Programmes were conducted during the last week of March 2016 and covered orphanages, Boarding Homes and Slum Schools.
- A special Women's Day Assembly was organized by the Dept. of Sociology along with the Members of the Student Council on 17th March 2016.
- "Pursuit of Excellence" Graduation -2016 was held on 6th April 2016. The Chief Guest: was Ms. Vinisha Nero , MLA, Karnataka.

Dr. Manonmani S,

Convenor, Student Welfare Committee.

ECO-WATCH CLUB: (GO GREEN AND CLEAN)

This year our Eco watch club had seminar topic "WASTE PRODUCT MANAGEMENT" by Mr. John from Christ College. The Eco Club members created a Bottle Garden which is adding charm to the college.

Eco watch club celebrated Green day and Clean day and also the club celebrated less plastic day and Khadi day to give an awareness about handloom and to reduce the usage of plastics.

Eco club members attended one day outreach program at Nandi Hills. They planted saplings at Nandi Hills. The certificates were issued by the special officer Mr. Ramesh of Nandi Hills. The club is going to conduct many competitions on 18th of March and Eco Day was celebrated on 1st April 2016.

Dr. Vijayalakshmi (Convenor)

Dr. Sharmila A, Dr. Susanna P (Committee Members)

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL- IQAC:

The first IQAC meeting after the re-accreditation in March 2014 was conducted on 16/10/2014. Dr. Grace Premila, Head, Department of Home Science was unanimously selected to be co-ordinator of IQAC team. The members of the IQAC committee are Dr. Renuka Paul, Ms. Jyothi B.G., Dr. Jacqueline T.R., Dr. Manonmani S., Mr. Kaleel Ahmed, Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Dr. Narasimhan, Mrs. Prathiba David, Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Mrs. Leena Raymond, Mr. Praveen Kumar, Dr. Susanna, Mrs. Suvina Benjamin and Mrs. Sujaya. The IQAC team was asked to get ready with the AQAR by November 2014. The AQAR was sent in December 2014.

Periodically, IQAC meetings have been conducted, and some of the topics discussed were:

- f) To plan a state-level UGC sponsored seminar/workshop (one department each semester).
- g) Plan for PG courses
- h) Remedial course

- i) Conduct state level and national level seminars by setting target dates.
- j) To tap UGC grants for research and lab equipments.

In November 2015, a National Level Conference was planned to be held in the month of February 2016. Planning and organizing the conference was done by the IQAC team with the support and guidance of the Principal. 'Higher Education of Women - Opportunities and Challenges' was selected as the theme for the conference. It was held on February 26th 2016. The chief guest for the conference was Mr. P.W.C. Davidar, IAS, and the Guest-of Honor was Dr. Shanthi Davidar – Consultant Psychiatrist. The key note address speaker was Dr. Susheela Kaushik. For the valedictory, the speaker was Dr. Latha Christie, a Scientist.

Paper presentations were conducted in the field of Commerce and Management, Science and Technology, and Humanities. The panelists for the conference were Dr. Asftab Hussain, Dr. S. Ramesh and Dr. Shanthi Davidar. The moderator for the panel discussion was Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology, Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

There were nine paper presenters in Humanities, six presented papers in Science, and in the Commerce and Management streams there were nine paper presenters. The best paper award in both the Science and the Humanities Stream was won by our student-presenters. Apart from Bangalore, there were participants from Chennai, Madurai and Hyderabad. The conference was planned and conducted well. There was positive feedback from the participants of the conference.

Dr. Grace Premila Victor,
Convenor

YOUTH RED CROSS SOCIETY:

The Orientation & installation of the office bearers was held on 6th August 2015 in the Seminar Hall. The Chief Guests were Dr. H. Suresh, Hon'ble Advisor & Dr. C.N. N. Raju, Hon'ble Secretary, Youth Red Cross India, Red Cross Society, Bangalore

The College YRCS celebrated Independence Day [15TH August 2015] & Republic Day [26TH January 2016] with great patriotism in the College campus. The salute was taken by the Principal, staff & students.

A blood donation camp in collaboration with YRCS, Race Course Road, Bangalore was held on 11th September 2015 in the College campus. Every donor was presented with a certificate & the institution was awarded a special certificate.

The Youth Red Cross Wing, Bangalore Urban District in association with International Association for Religious Freedom conducted a Human Rights Education Training Programme for two days held on 15th & 16th November in Seshadripuram College, Bangalore. Five students of the TRCS took part in the training programme.

A talk on importance of organ donation was given by Dr Umesh, Dept of Anatomy, Kempegowda Institute of Medical Sciences on 31st March during the general assembly

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda & Mr. Hombaiah.
Nodal Officers

CERTIFICATE COURSES CONDUCTED BY THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE COLLEGE:

Department of Commerce

AIESEC on 'Communication and Personality Development'

20 Sessions - Rs 500 per student

60 students from II B Com 17th July to 18th Aug 2015

Ms Jennifer Soniya.

Alpha Tech Academy on 'TALLY ERP 9'

40 hours - Rs 3,000 per student

50 students from II & III B Com

July 2015 to Sept 2015

Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed

Talent Ease Business Solutions Pvt Ltd.

'Advantage U Programme'

16 hours - Rs 2,500 per student

43 students from III B Com

Ms. Rachel Joshua

Alpha Tech Academy on 'TALLY ERP 9'

40 hours - Rs 3,000 per student

51 students from I B Com

Jan 2016 to March 2016

Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed

Department of Management Studies

Ascent Capital Marketing Academy on 'Capital Marketing'

20 hours

Rs 2,800 per student - 21 students from II and III BBA

July to November 2016

Mr. R Praveen Kumar

Department of Computer Science

UGC sponsored Career Oriented Courses

Networking with NETSIM - 40 hours

Rs 1,500 per student

36 students from I BCA

June 2015 to March 2016.

Embedded System

40 hours

Rs 1,500 per student

24 students from II BCA

June 2015 to March 2016.

Department of Psychology

ENFOLD on 'Sexual and Reproductive Health'

50 hours - Rs 2,500 per student

35 students from II BA and BSc students

June to November 2015.

Dr. Vijayshri R

Eudaimonic on 'Psychological Counseling'

40 hours - Rs 2,500 per student

30 students from III BA and III B Sc students

July to November 2015.

Dr. Vijayshri R and Dr. Renuka Paul,

Department of Biotechnology

Durga Femto Technologies and Research on 'Biochemical Techniques'

50 hours (Theory-20 hours, Practicals-30 hours)

Rs 1,700 per student. - 39 students from I,II and III BSc students.

June to November 2015

Dr. Sharmila A and Dr. Susanna P

LEGAL LITERACY PROGRAMME:

The Legal Literacy Programme for the year 2015- 2016 was organised for II BCOM students. The main focus of the programme was 'Women and Law'. The resource persons for the programme were the faculty from different law colleges and professional lawyers.

This legal awareness programme comprises of five sessions. The first session was about the Cyber crimes and protection for women according to Information technology act.

The second session dealt with Succession and Inheritance according to Hindu and Mohammadan Law. This was followed by the third session which dealt with Domestic violence and remedies available for women in India.

The fourth session was on the topic Labour Legislation and women's rights at the work place. It included the Directive Principles of State policy, provisions of various legislations relating to women workers, sexual harassment at the work place and the legal remedies.

The fifth session was on Criminal prosecution and Procedural law. It included hierarchy of criminal courts, their jurisdiction, the filing of an FIR and Charge sheet

All the sessions were interactive. The programme made the students aware of women's rights, their duties, various legal procedures and legal remedies. The sessions were not only interesting and informative but also helped in knowledge building for the students.

Mrs. Porkodi S,
Convenor

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME- NSS:

Orientation:

On 3rd August 2015, NSS unit conducted Orientation for all the NSS volunteers. Prof. Prema Siddaraju, HOD, Department of Kannada and NSS Programme Officer of SJR College for Women inaugurated the programme. The Chief Guest addressed the students on various activities of NSS at the National Level. Further the students were given knowledge about the formation of NSS and the Role of Youth in NSS.

Independence Day:

The NSS unit celebrated Independence Day in our College campus. Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, HOD, Department of Hindi and Dr. Esther Malini, Principal in-charge of Bishop Cotton Women's Christian PU College, hoisted the National Flag and addressed the gathering. This was followed by a Cultural programme performed by NSS volunteers, NCC Cadets and Youth Red Cross Society. A video on 'Better India' was shown by an NSS volunteer which was a thoughtful reflection of India.

Yoga Programme:

On 27th August 2015, Yoga Programme was conducted by HIVE. Mr. Sai Ramana, Founder of HIVE – Trainer in natural solutions and holistic living techniques addressed the NSS volunteers. The volunteers were enlightened about the Natural Farming Process through a story telling activity. The necessity of yoga and meditation in our regular life was explained to the volunteers. Surya Namaskar yoga poses were demonstrated by the instructors and volunteers also engaged themselves in meditation technique ‘Anapanasati’. The programme concluded with an outdoor activity and an interactive game to build confidence and team building among the volunteers.

Youth week Celebration:

On 12th January 2016, four NSS volunteers attended National Youth week Celebration at Central College. The volunteers uplifted the tradition of various districts in Karnataka, in their traditional outfits.

NSS Special Camp:

The NSS unit organized a Special Camp on the theme, “Youth for Science and Scientific Attitude” from 19th to 25th January 2016 at CSI Bethany Church, Channapatna. The Special Camp was inaugurated on 20th January 2016 by the Chief Guest Hon’ble Felix Alphonso Anthony, Addl. Civil Judge & J.M.F.C and Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal – Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College.

Everyday, Guest Lectures were arranged for the volunteers on various topics such as Legal Awareness – POSCO Act, Role of Youth in NSS, Health and Hygiene, Effects of tattoo and importance of Food Nutrition.

The NSS volunteers visited Elakeri village, Channapatna Taluk. The volunteers conducted an awareness programme on topics related to Gender Equality, Women Empowerment, Importance of Education, Health and Hygiene at Moraji Desai Residential School. NSS volunteers also conducted craft classes for the primary students. The volunteers were taken to Channapatna Toy Workshop to have an exposure on toy making techniques.

The volunteers visited Hawarthpura Colony and conducted Social Awareness Skit and various other cultural programmes under the guidance of Rev. Praveen, Presbyter of CSI Bethany Church.

A visit to ‘Janapada loka’ enriched the volunteers about the heritage of Channapatna.

Shramadhana:

As a part of Shramadhana Programme on 3rd March 2016 ,NSS volunteers cleaned the college campus to maintain cleanliness and hygiene.

Outreach Programme:

NSS Volunteers visited Angels Orphanage, Shivajinagar on 8th March 2016. NSS volunteers organized a cultural programme for the kids and also taught them craft work. A contribution in kind was given by the NSS Volunteers.

Ms. Jenifer Soniya. S
NSS Programme Officer

LAB JOURNAL: - PRISM

Journalism Lab Journal – PRISM – Volume 7 is ready and will be brought out by the second year students at the end of the semester

Mrs. Chaya Anil Kumar
Head, Dept. of Journalism

ROTARACT CLUB:

The Rotaract year started with the club based project – Dream Catcher in the July 2015 and Interview skills in the month August 2015.

The office bearers of the club attended the district leader ship training workshop conducted by the Rotaract District on the second Sunday of August 2015.

The installation of the office bearers of our club was conducted in the college seminar hall. The guest of honour was the president RTR S.N.Gowda of Rotary Parent Club Banashankari. Our Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar presided over the function. The club conducted a newspaper drive and set up food stalls to generate funds for the club.

With the funds generated an outreach program was organized for the Arpana School for specially abled. A team from Bombay visited our college for international district youth exchange programme. On Teachers day few of the office bearers with RC Koramangala and Banashankari spent few hours at Samarthanam School for disabled.

RYLA training workshop was conducted for 70 Students from our college and PES engineering college by the parent Rotary club.

In the month of December our college conducted a joint project with the RC Club of Colombo for autistic children .Our students were part of the polio campaign in Jan-Feb 2016.Six of our Members represented the college at Rotasia held in Colombo. It was a prestigious moment for our club.

The students of our club who had attended RYLA training conducted a Personality Development Workshop at Apollo School and Govt.School yediyur Bangalore. The students also attended the ROTA Conference –Utthan on 12th and 13th March.

Dr.Marie Kavitha Jayakaran - Convener
Mrs. M. Manjula

REMEDIAL CLASS:

Remedial Classes were conducted by various departments during remedial hour, class and lunch hours. Faculty members have identified the weak students based on their performance in the university exam and have given assignments and class tests to improve their academic performance. Extra classes have been taken by few staff also.

Mrs. Chaya Anil Kumar
Convenor

GOSPEL FEST – EXALTED:

With much prayers and guidance the planning for Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College 10th inter collegiate Christian fest EXALTED started. The theme 'ROYAL AMBASSADORS' – Ambassadors for Christ was carefully chosen with the purpose to touch the lives of the youth and explain the importance of our very existence. Corinthians 5:20 was chosen from the Bible to validate and compliment the theme.

The gospel fest for the academic year 2015 -2016 was held on the 25th August 2015. With over 50 invites going out to colleges throughout the city, the response was tremendous. We welcomed over 20 colleges actively participating on the day of the event. We had over 150 active volunteers in the custom made blue shirts that read Ambassadors of Christ.

The stage was set with the theme and the inauguration was held on the lawns of the college. It started with the much excited crowd of participants from colleges. We invoked God's blessings with the opening prayer by Dr. A.P Porkodi, Principal, Bishop Cotton Women's Christian Law College. The reading from the Holy Bible was done by an M.Com. student. This was followed by the choir rendering a special number. The occasion was graced by our Chief Guest Rev. Rajasingh Gnanaraj, our principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar and Principals of our sister institutions.

The lamp was lit by the Chief Guest, the Principal, the convener of the fest and the coordinators. Our principal introduced the Chief Guest speaker for the day Rev. Rajasingh Gnanaraj after which he gave a message.

The fest was declared open by our principal and the inauguration was closed with a prayer by our Chief Guest. Later, the honoured members on the dais were led to be seated among the audience.

The audience was in for a surprise when a group of 50 students led the flash mob and made them dance along with them.

The main 8 events were bible quiz, potpourri, pick n sing, choreography, wealth from waste, 'my story, my witness', and singing in both western and vernacular. Each event had a minimum of 15 participants. Our panel of judges for the events included Mr. Johnson, Mr. Ebenezer Premkumar, Mr. Paul Gilbert, Ms. Shiny, and Mr. Peter. All the events were very well organized.

Just when everyone thought it was time for valedictory, we had the band 'Imputed Then', an upcoming Gospel Band giving us 30 minutes of gospel rock music.

The much anticipated time of the day had arrived, the valedictory. It began at 4pm. We had our individual prizes for the events given away by our senior lecturers. The second place Runners-Up Trophy was bagged by Kristu Jayathi with a huge contingent and the winners of EXALTED 2015 – 2016 was St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science who was also the winners the 2014-2015 edition of Exalted.

Like all good things that come to an end, with much satisfaction this event ended. With the grace of God, support of our Principal, guidance of our Lecturers and participation of our students, we portrayed our talents for the greater purpose as Ambassadors for Christ.

Dr. Grace Premila Victor,
Convenor.

COLLEGE CHOIR:

The Choir forms an integral part of every program of the college. The year began with auditions for the Choir. Students from all the three years enrolled themselves for the auditions and 25 students were selected. This year the choir was trained by Mr. Richard Nathaniel, Director, Bangalore Men's Ensemble and CSI Kothanur Church Choir. The Choir met regularly for practice during the activity hour on Fridays.

Hymns and special songs were selected in relevance to the theme of the program. The PUC and the Degree students came together forming a strong 30 voice choir for St. Peter's Day, Investiture and Christmas Program. They also took part in a number of inter-collegiate competitions and programs.

Ms. Rita Josephine
Convenor

CHAPEL:

The academic year started with the communion service at the beginning of the academic year as well as the New Year for the staff and students.

In this academic year all our chapel events were indeed productive and influencing. The timings allotted for the chapel services is 12:30 – 1:45 on every Friday.

In the first week we had our regular chapel service in which few of our staff and students shared encouraging and thoughtful messages, these services included activities like prayer, Bible reading, movie time, games, testimonies, sharing God's word. And every service brought in a sense of strong fellowship amongst our students.

In the 2nd week of February we organised bible quiz competition from the book of Esther, we had good response from students and 6 teams participated, the winners were recognised in the assembly and certificate was given to them by our principal.

In the last few months, few of our students came up with the good and innovative ideas in improvising the chapel service and called out the service as 'SAW' – set apart worship. This was held on every third Friday of the month where different guests were invited to lead the worship in the event. Churches and organizations like Rhoumai mission (Samuel Olson), NGS (Sammy Thangaiah) and NGO Christ love foundation (Jemson). In these entire SAW we stressed on how important worship is. And our students enjoyed the new experience and fellowship. The event SAW showed good results of student's participation such that in the month of March we organised on all the four weeks of the month. We look forward to this event to continue and to be as influencing as it is now

By the grace of God, support of our principal, guidance of the lectures and participation of the students we believe that we have invested in cultivating our spiritual life in this academic year and we look forward to God's help to lead us and do even much more In the year to come.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Convenor.
Keran Job and Jemi Clarinta

EXTENSION AND CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAMMES:

Our Institution aims at overall development of students. It offers numerous opportunities for students and encourages them to participate in extension and co-curricular activities.

The extension and co-curricular activity committee organized a Panel Discussion on 7th August 2015 at 11.00 A.M in the KCD HRD Centre. The Committee members were Dr. Jacqueline T.R, Mrs. Shilpi Choudhury, Ms. Joyce Metilda, Mr. Hombaiah, Mrs. Leena Raymond, Mrs. M. Manjula, and Mrs. Sadia Hameed.

The Panel Discussion was based on the topic: "ARE WE FREE?". The following aspects were focused upon: Colonial Mindset, Language Stereotypes, Male Abuse and Cybercrime.

The occasion was graced by Panel Experts:

1. Mr. M. Chandrashekar, IPS, Jt. Commissioner of Police (Crime) - Bangalore
2. Dr. Dominic Dixon, Chairman, More Trust, Provost – Ethos Institute, Editor-in-charge,

HIS ML Radio, VERITAS TELEVISION NETWORK

3. Mr.Bansi Kalapa, Senior correspondent, News9 and
4. Celebrity movie star Ms. Shuba Punja, who is an alumni of our College.

There was an interactive session after each Panelist's address. Students participated actively and the discussions were lively and enlightening. They were exposed to various current problems in the society like Colonial Mindset, Male Abuse and Cybercrime.

Dr.Jacqueline T.R
Convener

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT OF INDIA – SCM:

The unit was able to register 80 students for the academic year. The students actively participated in the following programmes held throughout the year viz.

- The XXVII General committee meeting of Student Christian Movement of India was held in Benaulim, Goa from 28th to 30th May, 2015 on the theme “Blossom and Bloom”. Ms. Diana Hoover, Ms. Agnes Peter, Ms. Manasa V and Ms. Ammu of II Bcom A took active part in the same.
- Unit Inaugural function- Our College inaugurated the SCMI activities on 4th of August 2015 for the academic year 2015-2016 in the college campus. Both the unit president and student secretaries- Ms. Jemi Clarinta and Ms. Diana Hoover shared their experiences in SCMI and invited new friends to become SCMIers.
- SCMI Karnataka regional programme was held from 15th to 17th December 2015 to discuss on the topic “Indian democracy: Secularism versus Communalism challenges for student community” for which Ms. Ammu Aniyani Kunju of II Bcom A presented a paper on the topic “Secularism: Vision and Praxis”
- SCMI Gender and Social Justice desk, in collaboration with Aneka Organization organized a national workshop on “Understanding Human Gender and Sexuality” at SCMI house from 4th-6th Feb 2016, in which Ms. Diana Hoover, Ms. Ammu Aniyani Kunju, Ms. Agnes Peter, Ms. Manasa V and Ms. Aishwarya actively participated in the same.
- The Young Men Christian Association (YMCA) organised a two day camp on the theme “Youth for Social Action” from 18th to 20th March at Elagiri Hills, Vellore. Ms. Jeba Jyothi Jansi Rani of I B Com B, Ms. Incilla Jaba Kani of II BA, Ms. Agnes Peter and Ms. Diana Hoover of II B.Com A participated in the camp.

We thank God Almighty for enabling us to participate in the various activities of the SCM during the academic year. We also thank our Principal and Staff who encouraged us in all our endeavours and are eagerly looking forward for the upcoming activities.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Convenor,
Ms. Vidya Shree R

STAFF WELFARE:

The staff welfare committee organized a 3 day trip to Goa. It was a time of fellowship and relaxation at JOIA DOMAR Resort. The places visited were – Calangute Beach, Mandovi River Cruise, Aguada Fort and Bom Jesu Cathedral. The staff enjoyed the trip.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav
Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran
Convenors.

PLACEMENT CELL AND CAMPUS RECRUITMENT:

I.Pool campus Interview for Northern Trust Operating Services Pvt.Ltd., held at Jain College JP Nagar on Jan 19th & Jan 20th 2016

Position: Analyst

Salary Package : INR 228389

Students attended : 24

Students Selected: 3

1. Sayeeda Saba B.Com sabamehraj03@gmail.com Contact #9036436727
2. Ayushi Gautam B.Com auushigautam17@gmail.com Contact #9901501899
3. Vuthranjanie Pusparaj BBM yuthra27@gmail.com Contact # 9945641911

Provisional Offer Letters issued

Copies of Offer Letters Enclosed

II. SLK Software

Recruit of BSc Computer Science students.

Position Offered:- Testing Profile

Package Offered:- 1,90,000 per annum

Eligibility Criteria:- BSc Computer Science with no back logs.

Venue:- Atria Institute of Technology, Anand Nagar, Hebbal. Bangalore – 560 024 India

Date: 22nd January

2 students attended

1. Anitha- anithas1224@gmail.com,
2. Binetha- binethasharma123@gmail.com

Selection: Both did not get selected

III. JOB FAIR on Feb 3rd & Feb 4th 2016 at Kanteerava Stadium covering careers in Retail, ITES, Information Technology & BFSI

Companies Participating-Café Coffee day, HGS, Tech Mahindra ,ICICI Prudential, Concentrix, Stradigm, Adecco, Infosys BPO, Mphasis, Aegis, ALLSEC Technologies, Omega Healthcare,

Fimbrian, grassroots, Infotech, IBS Interactive BPO Services, muthoot Finance, Just Dial, Shopper's Stop, IDEA, Vantage Services, ASEURO, UNISYS, SERCO, iPRIMED, ETHNUS, DECATHLON, OSIM, Mannapuram Finance limited, CROSSDOMAIN, FIDELITY investments

Pool Campus at Bangalore Technological Institute -6th feb 2016

1. Anitha- anithas1224@gmail.com, got selected for Tech Mahindra

Career Fair: March 2nd 2016.

10 companies Participated. They were-

1. STRATADIGM
2. ADECCO
3. Inspiration
4. Manpower
5. Consulting
6. InspirationManpower Consulting
7. Thompson Reuter
8. CryoViva Biotech Pvt. Ltd
9. Xchanging Solutions
10. Hinduja Global Solutions
11. Nispana Innovative Platform Pvt.Ltd
12. Career Launcher
13. Times Pro

The process of shortlisting & selection is ongoing & will be announced shortly.

Dr. Vijayshri R,
Placement Officer.

PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME:

The Department of Psychology started the program on 3rd July 2015, engaging the session every Friday during the designated Activity hour.

The sessions conducted were Self Awareness, Strength Mapping, Confidence Boosters, Communication skills, Etiquette & Grooming .

The sessions were conducted using the methods of group participation, experiential Learning, testimony, & Group discussions.

The sessions were interactive & student centric .It was a Value Add for the students who attended the same , from the different streams of B.Com, B. Sc , BBA & BCA & B.A.

NATIONAL CADET CORPS – NCC:

- The regular activities of the NCC unit began with NCC Enrollment of students for the year 2015-2016, on the 16th July 2015.
 - There was a good response from both PUC and Degree students in their physical fitness through a number of races and shuttle.
 - The GCI along with a PI staff from 1 Karnataka Girls Battalion was present for the Enrollment and the GCI highlighted the benefits of NCC.
 - 40 girls were selected and became a part of the NCC Unit for the year 2015-2016, and attended a number of camps.
- Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) was compulsory for all the cadets. 20 Cadets attended this Camp. The Camp was held from 29th July 2015 to 07th August 2015 at Doddaballapura Besant Park.
- Independence Day- on 15th August 2015 was celebrated with the NCC Cadets, the NSS Students, Union Members and the students of BCWCC.
- Local Independence Day- was held on 15th August 2015-2016 at Manekshaw Parade Ground. JUO. Lakshmi B.J., Cadet. Madhuri M and Swathi K participated in this parade.
- PARA-BASIC-COURSE was held from 2nd September 2015 to 24th September 2015 at Agra. Cadet **Lakshmi B.J. (JUO)** attended this course.
- National Integration Camp (NIC) – Held from 26th October 2015 to 10th November 2015 at Odisha. Cadet Jasmine Jennifer J. (CPL) attended this camp.
- NCC Day- The NCC Day is celebrated on the 4th Sunday of the month of November.
- Samaranjali- On December 16th, Glass House, Raj Bhavan Road, a programme Samaranjali was held in memory of martyrs, who laid down their lives for the country. 10 cadets attended this programme.
- Republic Day- on 26th January 2016 along with the NCC Cadets, the NSS students Union Members and the students of BCWCC celebrated Republic Day. The Principal-in-charge- Dr. Esther Malini addressed the gathering. And also the students performed dance, singing, PPT presentation and talk on freedom fighters.
- Local Republic Day Parade- was held on 26th January 2016 at Manekshaw Parade Ground. JUO. Lakshmi B.J., Cdt. Madhuri M, and Swathi K participated in this parade.
- Cadet **Lakshmi B.J. (JUO)** and Cadet **Rebecca A. (SGT)** secured the **Best Cadet Award** for the year 2015-2016.

Lt. Mrs. Bhavya N.P
Associate NCC Officer.

UGC CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES, EMPOWERMENT AND SOCIAL RESEARCH:

The UGC Centre for Women's Studies, Empowerment and Social Research in collaboration with the Department of Sociology organized a Special Assembly in commemoration of Women's Day. The Chief Guest was Smt. Brinda Adige. A special song, choreography and skit was put up by the students of Sociology.

The Centre for Women's Studies, Empowerment and Social Research is also working on the release of the Journal Vol. 7. It will be released shortly.

Ms. Rathna HK,
Faculty, Dept. of Sociology.

ENDOWMENT PRIZES LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS 2015-2016

- **J Balamani Krishnappa Memorial Prize: Instituted by (Late) Mrs. Supriya Steele (well-wisher of the College) for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination:**

I B.A. – MS. AMRUTHA C JADWANI

II B.A. – MS. SAMANVITHA L

III B.A. – MS. AKSHAYA A P

- **Mrs. Grace Moses Prize: Instituted by Mr. Davis Moses for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination:**

I B.Sc. – MS. RAHEELA KHANUM

II B.Sc. – MS. PUJA RAUNIYAR

III B.Sc. – MS. HAFSA NOORAIN

- **Rt. Rev. & Mrs. Wharton, Bishop of New Castle, UK Prize: For the student securing highest marks in the University Examination:**

I B.Com. – MS. DIKSHA BHANDARI

II B.Com. – MS. ARUNYA JAYARAJAH

III B.Com.- MS. SWATHI K I

- **Department of Sociology Prize for the best Degree student in Sociology – University Examination:**

MS. GULE ZAINAB

- **Mrs. Elizabeth Joseph Prize: Former Principal of the College and School for the Degree student in Optional English University Examination:**
- **Mrs. Meenakshi Ramamurthy Memorial Prize: For the best Psychology Degree student of III Degree – University Examination:**
- **Supreme Universe International Travel Agent & Tour Organisers Special Prize: for the student who has scored the highest marks in Journalism – University Examination:**

MS. MARIYA MATHAI

- **Department of Kannada Prize:**

Mrs. Maya Devi Gabrani Memorial Prize: For the best performance in Degree – University Examination:

MS. MARY STELLA

- **Department of Hindi Prize: For the students securing the highest marks in Hindi – University Examination:**

Mr. Suresh Jain Prize- I Degree – MS. MAIMUNA TANZEEM – I BBA

Mr. Shyam Gabrani Prize – II Degree – MS. MANJARI SARAOGI – II BBA

- **Dr. Elizabeth S Thomas Prize: Former Principal of the College for the best Degree student in Home Science – University Examination:**
- **Picasso Animation College, Bengaluru Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in B.Sc. Computer Science – University Examination:**

MS. HAFSA NOORAIN

- **Mr. S D Mark Memorial Prize: for the student who has scored highest marks in Botany – University Examination:**

MS. BHANUSHREE B

- **Mrs. Geetha Dua Prize: Former Commerce Student (I Batch) for the best III Degree B.Com. student – University Examination:**

MS. SWATHI K I

- **Former Students' Association Prize:** For the student who has studied both PUC and Degree in the College and has been consistent in studies:

MS. VIDYA B

- **Department of History Prize: (Late) Ms. Sanghita Sen Memorial Prize** for the student who has secured the highest marks in History – University Examination:
- **Department of Economics Prize:** Instituted by Ms. BG Jyothi, Head, Dept. of Economics of the College for the best Degree student in III BA Economics:
- **Universal Coaching Centre, Bengaluru for IAS/KAS aspirants Special Prize:** For the student who has scored the highest marks in Political Science – University Examination:

MS. AKSHAYA A P

- **Department of Commerce Prize:** Instituted by Mrs. Sujatha Purohit, former faculty member of the College for the top scorer in Income Tax:

MS. UMME SANA SUHAIL

- **Mr. Mathew Philip Memorial Prize:** For the student securing highest marks in III BBA:
- **GEMS – B School and MMIHE, Bengaluru Special Prize:** For the student who has scored the highest marks in Accountancy (BBA) – University Examination:

MS. MEGHA CHAUDHARY

- **Mr. Mehboob Shariff Memorial Prize:** For the student who has secured the highest marks in III BCA:

MS. JHARNA

- **Dr. & Dr. (Mrs) Gemson Prize:** For the best Degree student in Mathematics – University Examination:

MS. SUSAMPANA SHARMA

- **CITO Infotech Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru Special Prize:** For the student who has scored the highest marks in Chemistry – University Examination:

MS. LEKAMWASAM LIYANNAGA THILYNI MADHUSHANI

- **IBS, Bengaluru Special Prize:** For the student who has scored the highest marks in Cost Accounting and Management– University Examination:

MS. ROOPASHREE P

- **MN Sports, Bengaluru Special Prize: for the student who has scored the highest marks in Biotechnology – University Examination:**

MS. J ANUSHIYA PREETHI

- **SriRaksha Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in Auditing (B.Com.) – University Examination:**

MS. TANUJA BANSAL

SPECIAL AWARDS – 2016

BEST OUTGOING STUDENT:

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| B.A. | - MS. SHEREN LEAH COILPILLAI |
| B.SC. | - MS. SARAH MOIZ TERAJ |
| B.COM. | - MS. ANJORI N K |
| BBA | - MS. MANJARI SARAOGI |
| BCA | - MS. KUSUMA P |
| M.COM. | - MS. SHOBITHA RAJ |

BEST ALL-ROUNDER:

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| B.A. | - MS. JONA DEWAN |
| B.SC. | - MS. LAXSHI JEYBALA SINGAM |
| B. COM. | - MS. K. A. HELASHIKA ABAYAKOON |
| BBA | - MS. AKILA AYOMI JAYAMANNA |
| BCA | - MS. PREETI |
| M.COM. | - MS. YOGITA YADAV |

BEST IN CO-CURRICULAR:

DEGREE – MS. SAFRA RIZWAN HUSSEIN – III BBA
M.COM. – RAMYA G

COMMENDABLE AND EXEMPLARY CLASSES:

III B.A. – Class Teachers: Dr. Vijayshri R and Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran

III B.Com. 'C' – Class Teachers: Mrs. Prathiba David and Ms. B G Jyothi

BEST PREFECT: MS. SNEHA S – III B.COM. 'C'

BEST SPORTSPERSON: MS. SAUJANYA K G – III B.COM. 'C'

BEST NSS VOLUNTEER: MS. VANITHA M – III BCA

BEST E-CELL LEADER: MS. DEEPA B – III B.COM. 'C'

BEST ROTARACTOR: MS. NISHTA JAIN – III B.COM. 'B'

BEST ECO-CLUB LEADER: MS. J SARALA – III B.COM. 'C'

BEST SCM STUDENT: MS. JEMI CLARINTA – III B.COM. 'A'

YOUTH RED CROSS VOLUNTEER: MS. MADHURI S – III B.COM. 'C'

BEST CHAPEL PREFECT: MS. KERAN JERUSHA PAULINE JOB – III BA

BEST NEWSBOARD: III B.COM. 'C' – Class Teachers: Mrs. Prathiba David and Ms. B G Jyothi

BEST BULLETIN BOARD: DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

BEST NCC CADET: MS. LAKSHMI B J

BEST TUCK SHOP: II BBA – Class Teachers: Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Mrs. Leena Karanth A and Mrs. Manjula M

**BISHOP COTTON WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN COLLEGE
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ANNUAL REPORT 2014 – 2015

Hon'ble Chief Guest Rev. Solomon P. Benjamin, Director, CCCYC, Rev. Dr. Prasanakumar Samuel, Administrative Secretary, Bishop Designate, Karnataka Central Diocese, Members of the Administrative Committee of the Karnataka Central Diocese, Heads of Institutions, Distinguished Guests, Donors of the Endowment Prizes, Members of the Academic and Non-teaching Fraternity and my dear graduating students.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

It is my proud privilege to unfold to you this evening through the annual report the achievements and laurels we have earned for our institution during this academic year of 2014-2015.

We come to the close of the 29th Chapter of our college diary. This college of higher learning is geared forward towards greater accomplishments by a large student involvement in curricular and co-curricular activities. Excellence is the hallmark of any good institution. We have laid beneath us strong foundations to take us towards 'New Horizons'. This academic year has witnessed endless programs, achievements, new ventures, new challenges, healthy visions, developing our students to be dynamic and future-ready individuals enriched with competency and capacity to excel.

Inspiration is a life enhancer and the staff have been actively involved in motivating and shaping the young minds and walking beside them in their highs and lows.

Today we have awards for outstanding achievers who have done us proud. We are glad for them but there are others, who, though did not make it to the fray are flickering stars in their own sphere and add to the glow in the array of accomplishments.

Our success story is based on the partnership among students, staff and parents. We divide our responsibility in nurturing our students and enjoy the rich dividends which bring glory and accolades to the Institution.

As you, my dear graduating students, reach out towards New Horizons, I take this opportunity to send you out from this nest with the blessing of the Almighty wishing you success and prosperity in all that you undertake to do.

We have been accredited and re-accredited by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), New Delhi with an 'A' grade and this has made us extremely conscious that we have entered the race and here at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College we are focussed in our endeavour to integrate technology and modern teaching strategies in an attempt to improve the quality of learning instruction. Various student enrichment programmes have been initiated and learning styles shift as per the demands and requirements of the new generation.

Certificate Courses prepare our students to face the world with better skills in new areas of work opportunities. Our Placement Cell has been turning out remarkable work, training our students and conducting interviews offering endless opportunities to equip them to face interviews with the many companies that came into our campus. Our students have been interviewed and selected by Deutsche Bank.

I take great pride to announce that today, the first batch of our M.Com. post graduates will be graduating from the Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College in May 2015. I congratulate the staff who have done a thorough job with them to produce good results in the last 3 semesters.

I would like to highlight various Clubs and Committees of the college who have been busy throughout the year. To name a few, The Rotaract Club, Student Christian Movement of India, the National Service Scheme (NSS), the National Cadet Corps (NCC), Youth Red Cross Society, UGC Centre for Women's Studies, Empowerment and Social Research, Eco Watch Club, E-Evolve Entrepreneurship Cell – NEN and many more.

| STUDENT STRENGTH (3 YEARS) | | RESULT (FINAL YEAR) | |
|----------------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|
| Arts - | 71 | Arts – | 86% |
| Science - | 22 | Science – | 73% |
| Commerce - | 223 | Commerce – | 89% |
| BBM - | 43 | BBM – | 82% |
| BCA - | 39 | BCA – | 93% |

HIGHLIGHTS OF FACULTY HONOURS:

Completion of Ph.D. :

- Dr. Jai Laxmi R, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi- Year 2015 on the topic “Navey Dashak Ke Upanyaso Mein Naree Vimarsh” from Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Dharwad, Karnataka
- Dr. Susanna P, Faculty, Dept of Biotechnology – year 2015 on the topic “Evaluation of Bioremediation potential of *E. coli* using its electrophoretic protein profiles” from Manipal University, Karnataka.

Completion of M. Phil :

- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English, completed her M. Phil in English – I Class with distinction from Jain University, Bangalore in November.
Topic of Dissertation: Gender conflicts in the Indian Syrian Christian culture of Kerala as depicted in the Diasporic writings of its women writers. viz. “The God of Small things” by Arundhati Roy; “Not only the things that have happened ”by Mridula Koshy and “Fault Lines : a memoir” by Meena Alexander.

Registered for Ph.D.

- Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal, on the topic “Conflict Resolution – An Experiential Process in Ada Aharoni and Nissim Ezekiel” – Bharathiar University – Submission in 2015.
- Mrs. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology – on the topic “Biochemical and Physiological Studies on Castor as a weed under Nutritional Stress Condition, Manipal University. The thesis has been submitted.
- Mrs. Saadia Hameed, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce has provisionally been enrolled for the Ph.D. programme at Bangalore University.
- Mrs. Felicia Sunil, Part Time Faculty, Dept. of Home Science has enrolled at Gandhigram Rural University (Ph.D.). Topic – Eco-friendly antimicrobial finish of khadi cotton and silk using herbal finish.
- Ms. Bindu NV, Guest Faculty, Dept. of Botany has enrolled under Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore ; December 2014 on the topic: Studies on Biohydrogen production in some Algal species .

Completion of PGDBA:

- Ms. Sogara Bi, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies completed her Post Graduate Diploma in Business Administration, Bangalore University

STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS:

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:

- Has initiated to build up a museum for renowned Hindi writer **Munshi Premchand**. The news was published in Hindi daily **Prabhat Khabar**, on 31st July 2014.
- On 13th September 2014, **Doordarshan Bangalore** invited Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav to discuss on the topic: **Hindi as language in South India** which was telecast by DD- **Chandana** on 14th September 2014.
- On 14th September 2014, Rajasthan Patrika, Hindi daily from Bangalore, invited Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav for a panel discussion on the occasion of Hindi Diwas . This was published on 15th September 2014 in Rajasthan Patrika.
- Was nominated as a Chairman for conducting the open defence on the thesis of Smt. Sukanya R, candidate under the guidance of Dr. Asha S Nair at the dept. of Hindi, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram from 16th to 18th October 2014.

Seminars/Workshops/Guest Lectures ATTENDED:

Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal:

- Attended the Triennial Conference of the “All India Association for Christian Higher Education” for Principals at Christ University, Bengaluru.
- Participated at the CSI Synod Principals meet at Chennai.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH:

- Mrs. Leena Karanth A and Mrs. Suvina Benjamin participated in the UGC sponsored one day National Seminar on “Euro-Indian Scenario in English Teaching and Challenges Ahead” organised by the Dept. of English, S Nijalingappa College on 27th September 2014.
- Ms. Rita Josephine attended a seminar organized by the Dept of Sociology on the 21st January. Topic “Towards Leadership”- Guest Speaker: Dr. Jaya Indiresan.
- Mrs Vasudha Pansare, Mrs.Suvina Benjamin and Ms. Rita Josephine attended a National Level Seminar at Jyoti Nivas College on the topic “Literatures of Resistance” on 7th of February 2015.
- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David attended a One Day Workshop on “Pedagogy of Teaching Skills at UG Level and A Road Map to Research Techniques” at New Horizon College, Marathahalli, Bangalore on 30th October 2014

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI:

Dr. Jai Laxmi R and Dr. Kamal Harnal attended a seminar at Baldwin Women’s Methodist College, Bangalore on 22nd January 2015. Topic -IV Semester Hindi Syllabus, Bangalore University (Dhanush Bhang, Kuntal Raso, Shabri, Vishnupriya, Eklavya)

DEPARTMENT OF KANNADA:

Dr. S Manonmani:

- Resource Person - for three day symposium for revision of syllabus/curriculum for ICSE/ ISC(Kannada) organised by the Council of ISC Examinations, New Delhi, at Bishop Cotton Boys School from 4th August 2014 to 6th August 2014.
- Department of Kannada ,Mumbai University published Ph.D., thesis of Dr.Mrs. Manonmani , ' Vachana Sahityada Odina Vibhinna Nelegalu' and the book release program held at W.R.!C. Bhavan, Mumbai University on 25th August 2014.
- Karnataka Vidyavardhaka Sangha, Dharwad, organised a program of ' Mumbai Vishwavidyalayada Kannada Vibhagada Mahaprabandhagala Lokaarpane" on 6th September 2014. Dr. Shantha Imrapura, Professor, Karnataka University, spoke on Vachana Sahityada Odina Vibhinna Nelegalu written by Dr. Manonmani. The author also shared her views .

Mr.Hombaiah:

- Attended a State Level Conference on –Maashti Sahityothsava on 24th January 2015 at Silicon City College , Bangalore.
- Attended a UGC sponsored one day State Level Conference on ‘ Aadhunika Kannada Mahila Saahitya’ on 3rd March 2015 at Abbas Khan Women’s College , Bangalore.
- Attended a Training Programme for Youth Red Cross Programme Officer, on 26th and 27th February 2015 at Vijaya First Grade College, Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF TAMIL:

Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Head, Dept. of Tamil:

- Role play – Kambaramayana, Silappadhigaram for B.Com ,BBM(III Semester-2014
- Workshop on Thirukkural for BSc.,B.Com,BBM(IV Semester-2015)

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS:

Ms. B.G. Jyothi and Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam:

- Participated in a workshop on “ Revised Economics syllabus for B.A/ B.Sc Course” organized by Karnataka State Economics Fraternity Federation held at Maharani’s College of Arts, Commerce and Management for Women on 3rd and 4th July 2014.
- The faculty also attended a UGC Sponsored National Seminar on the Topic – “ Human Capital Formation: Issues and Challenges” organized by St. Joseph’s College (Autonomous) on 9th and 10th Feb 2015.
- Ms. B.G. Jyothi was invited by the Entrepreneur Cell on 9th Feb 2015 to deliver a lecture on the theme - “ Creating Jobs for Millions”

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE:

- One Day Workshop on “Engaging Social Sciences In The 21st Century”-Curriculum, Research, Pedagogy and Practice organised By the Department Of Sociology In Collaboration with National Institute Of Advance Studies(NIAS) on 17th March 2014 at Christ University Bangalore.
- International Peace Conference on the Theme Of “ Building Nations Of Peace: Our Shared Responsibility Organised by Universal Peace Federation of India and Department of Political Science, Bangalore University in collaboration with UN Information Centre For India And Bhutan on the occasion of The International Day Of Peace On 23rd September 2014.
- Two Day National Level Seminar Emerging Contours of Indian Politics” organised by Department of Political Science 15th and 16th October 2014 at Maharani Women’s Arts, Commerce, Management College, Bangalore.
- “Media Seminar 2014” organised by India Social Institute (ISI) On 11th and 12th November 2014.

Mrs. Indira K M, Guest Faculty, attended a 2 day 15th State Level Political Science Teachers’ Conference on 19th and 20th September 2014 at Karnatak University, Dharwad. The topic was “ India’s Role in a Globalised world.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY:

Mrs. Sowmini Sebastian, head of the department participated in a UGC sponsored State Level Symposium & workshop on Life skills counseling, at The national Degree College Jayanagar, Bangalore on 17th September 2014

Dr. Vijayshri R and Dr. Renuka Paul attended/participated in the Bangalore University under Graduate Syllabus Review Meeting for Developmental & child Psychology papers (Semesters III & IV) on 23rd June 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY:

Ms. Rathna HK:

A Media Seminar at Indian Social Institute, Bangalore on 11th and 12th November 2014.

A UGC Sponsored National level Quality Improvement Program at Jyothi Nivas College Post Graduate Centre, Bangalore on 15th November 2014

International Conference on Higher Education in the 21st century opportunities and challenges organized by St Joseph's College Bangalore and St. Louis University USA, held at St Joseph's College, Bangalore on 11th and 12th December 2014

Participated in the Seminar on the occasion of International Women's Day at Senate Hall, Central College, Bangalore on 7th March 2015 organized by Karnataka State Forum Against Atrocities on Women, CSSEIP and NLSIU, Bangalore

An International Conference on Higher Education in the 21st century opportunities and challenges organised by St Joseph's College Bangalore and St. Louis University USA at St Joseph's College, Bangalore on 11th and 12th December 2014.

Seminar on International Women's Day –conducted by Karnataka Federation for atrocities against Women at Central College, Bangalore on 7th March 2015

Dr. Sowrabha C:

3.1.1 Attended UGC sponsored International Conference on 'Futuristic Innovations and Challenges to Diversity Management, Emerging Technologies and Sustainability for Inclusive Industrial Growth', on 30th and 31st October 2014 organized by the Post Graduate Centre, Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore

Attended Faculty Development Program (UGC- QIP) on 'Energy' – The Key to Transform Teaching Dynamics, on 15th November 2014 organized by Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore

Participated in the UGC Sponsored Seminar on 'Food Security and the Right to Food, 'Ending Hunger Within A Generation – Challenges and Priorities' on 20th January 2015 organized by Manrita- Social Sciences Forum, Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore

Participated in the National Conference on 'Empowering Men to Spearhead Change', on 9th February 2015 organized by Women Empowerment Cell, Kristu Jayanti College, Bangalore

Participated in the Seminar on the occasion of International Women's Day at Senate Hall, Central College, Bangalore on 7th March 2015 organized by Karnataka State Forum Against Atrocities on Women, CSSEIP and NLSIU, Bangalore

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE:

- Mrs. Rachel Joshua and Ms. Jenifer Soniya. S attended a one day workshop on Choice Based Credit System and Re-orientation programme of I Semester BCOM syllabus organized by Bangalore University on 12th July 2014.
- On 12th September 2014 Mrs. Rachel Joshua attended one day UGC sponsored state level seminar on the topic "An overview of the Companies Act, 2013".
- Mrs. Rachel Joshua and Mrs. Saadia Hameed attended two day national conference on "Emerging Trends in Commerce & Management" organized by SEA College of Science, Commerce and Arts on 29th and 30th January 2015.
- Mrs. Powlin Sahayarani and Ms. Suriya Naaz attended one day State Level UGC sponsored seminar on the topic "Effect of Entry of Foreign Players in Indian Retail Industry and Strategies for Survival and Growth" organized by Abbas Khan Degree College for Women on 12th February 2015.
- Ms. Jenifer Soniya attended Faculty development programme jointly organized by Tally Education and Bangalore University on "New Age Business Accounting with Tally ERP 9" on 12th March 2015 at SSMRV College.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head, Dept. of Management Studies attended a Seminar on " Social Science Research using SPSS and AMOS R.V at the Institute of Management Studies, Jayanagar, Bangalore on 14th July 2014.

Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond:

Attended a one day workshop on Choice Based Credit System and Re-orientation of I Semester BBM syllabus on 25th July 2014 at Jain College.

A one day National Level Faculty Development Program workshop on Effective Costing Techniques on 22nd February 2014 at Acharya Bangalore B School.

Ms. Sogara Bi:

Attended a one day Workshop on Re-orientation of V Semester B.Com and BBM Syllabus" of Bangalore University on 21st June 2014 at Central College.

Attended a one Day National Level Faculty Development Program -workshop on “Effective Costing Techniques” on 22nd February 2014 at Acharya Bangalore B School

Attended Job Satisfaction in Education Institute at the International Conference on “Strategies and Action Plans for Sustainable Development in Higher Education” on 8th August 2014 at Presidency College.

Attended a two day National Conference –Tata First Dot, powered by NEN at RV College of Engineering, Bangalore on 15th and 16th February 2015.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore:

Attended a one day Workshop on re-orientation of V Semester B.Com and BBM Syllabus of Bangalore University on 21st June 2014 at Central College.

Attended One Day National Level faculty development program workshop on effective costing techniques on 22nd February 2014 at Acharya Bangalore B School

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS:

Mrs. LathaRani Shashikumar attended a UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Topology and Mathematical Modeling at KLE Society's S Nijalingappa College on 11th October 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS:

Ms. Anitha Clarin attended syllabus framing programme at KLE College on 5th February 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY:

Dr. Jacqueline T R:

- One day workshop on New Chemistry syllabus at Central College, Bangalore University, Bangalore, organized by the Department of Studies in Chemistry and Chemistry Teachers Forum on 11th July 2014.
- Two day Science Academies' Lecture Workshop on “ Modern Trends in Chemistry” organized by the Department of Chemistry, Christ University, Bangalore held on 13th and 14th February 2015.

Mrs. Anitha S, Part Time Faculty:

- Attended a Lecture workshop on 13th and 14th February 2015 on Modern Trends in Chemistry at Dept. of Chemistry, Christ University, Bangalore

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY:

Mrs. Esther Watson:

- Attended a National Conference on – “ Environmental Pollution Urban Waste Management & Public Health Security” organized by Dept of Botany in collaboration with Karnataka State Pollution Control Board Bangalore on 13th & 14th February 2015 at Christ University.

Ms. Bindu NV:

- Attended a seminar on 10th March 2015 at Bishop Cotton Women’s Christian College. The Guest Speaker was Mrs. Savitha, Scientific Officer , Toxicology Division , Forensic Laboratory Bangalore. The topic was Forensic Science in Crime Investigation

DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY:

Mrs. Sharmila A:

- Attended three day workshop on teacher’s training program organized by KCD , CLHRD at Coorg on 3 -5th May 2014.
- National Conference attended on “ Environmental Pollution Urban Waste Management and Public Health Security” on February 13th and 14th 2015 at Christ University

Dr. Susanna P:

- Attended National Conference on Environmental pollution, urban waste management and Public health security organized by the department of Botany in collaboration with Karnataka state pollution control board, Bengaluru at Christ University on 13th and 14th February, 2015
- Attended three day teachers training program organized by KCD through CLHRD at Coorg on 3rd, 4th and 5th May, 2014
- Attended a workshop on software analysis and scope of higher education at NUS (National University of Singapore) at United Mission College on 6th August 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE:

- Mrs. Suja D Shanthi and Mrs. Reeya Esther attended the International Conference on Current Trends in Advanced Computing at Kristu Jayanti College of Management & Technology on 19th & 20th February 2015.
- Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla attended an International Conference on 8th August 2014 at Presidency College, Bangalore on “Strategies and Action plans for Sustainable Development in Higher Education”
- Mrs. Jayakiruba A, participated in the National Conference on Emerging Trends and Challenges in Information Technology, “Delve-2014” organized by the Department of Computer Science, St. Francis De Sales College, Bangalore held on 30th September 2014

SEMINARS/ WORKSHOPS/ GUEST LECTURES CONDUCTED BY THE FACULTY

The Department of English organized:

- A guest lecture for the optional English students on the 13th of February 2015. Guest Speaker: Sri Ramesh Vij, Ex-resource person, Faculty of English, Sherwood College, Nanital.
- Guest Lecture by Dr. Cherian Alexander, Associate Professor, Dept. of English, St. Joseph's Arts & Science College, Bangalore on 14.03.2015. The topic was American Literature: on the plays of Tennessee Williams -The Glass Menagerie; also about Pablo Neruda and A D Hope.

The Department of Kannada organized:

- Guest Lecture by Sri. B H Ramachandra on the topic –' Yuva Janatege DVG Avara Sandesha' on 9th March 2015.

The Department of Hindi organized:

- On 27th August 2014 department of Hindi conducted a Guest Lecture on “ Vaitarani Ke Paar” which is the prescribed book for III Semester B.Com , Bangalore University. The Guest Speaker was the play writer Prof. G.J. Harijit , Retd, Professor, APS College.

The Department of Journalism conducted:

Soft Skill Training Workshop:

- Soft skill Training workshop on 'Attitude and Professional Growth' in association with Deccan Herald was held on 27th September 2014. Corporate Trainer Maya Justin conducted the workshop. Prior to the workshop, the Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar inaugurated the Deccan Herald workshop program. Ms. Sowmya, DHIE-coordinator and Mrs. Maya Justin were present.
- Soft skill Training workshop on 'Public Speaking Skills' in association with Deccan Herald was held on 28th February 2015. Corporate Trainer Stanley Ravi conducted the workshop.

Guest Lecture:

Special Guest lecture on 'Media Education, Careers and Challenges in the Profession' was organized for the final year students on 16th March 2015. Mr. Edison Thomas, Former Editor, Bangalore Times was the Guest Speaker.

Inter-Class Seminar:

- An Inter-class seminar was conducted on topics related to mass media and syllabus from 11th to 16th August 2014. The best PPT from each class won a prize. The Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar distributed the prize on 27th September 2014.
- Class seminar were conducted on topics related to mass media for the first, second and final year students from 17th to 25th February 2015.

The Department of Psychology conducted:

- A Guest lecture by Ruth Macwana, Divya Downs Syndrome School , Viveknagar, on 15th March 2014, on the topic of 'Mental Retardation- Care & Education'
- 1st Sept 2014:Dr.Seema Mehrotra, Additional Professor of Clinical Psychology, In-Charge Positive Psychology Unit, Dept of Clinical Psychology, NIMHANS, delivered the keynote Address on the theme of Positivity ,titled 'Pursuit of Happiness'

The Department of Sociology conducted:

- Organized the inaugural function of Certificate Course on 'Gender Studies' in collaboration with Indian Social Institute, Bangalore on 10th September 2014 as part of the UGC Centre endeavours.
- Organized Guest Lecture in association with UGC Centre on 'Women Leadership and Motivation' by Prof. Jaya Indiresan, Member of Core Consultative Committee, UGC, New Delhi on 21st January 2015.
- Organised the celebration of International Women's Day 2015 with other staff members on 12th March 2015.

Department of Political Science:

- Mrs. Indira K M, Guest Faculty, participated as a resource person and delivered a lecture on the topic Indian Constitution and Human Rights on 10th September 2014 at St. Francis de Sales College, Hebbagodi, Bengaluru.

The Department of Commerce conducted:

- The department organized several guest lectures and seminars for the students during the academic year 2014- 2015.
- A career guidance session was conducted by Mr. Tabrez Sait AAR, Endeavors Careers on 7th August, 2014.
- A career counseling session was conducted by Mr. Ananth Acharge, Senior Marketing Manager, VISTA MIND on 27th August, 2014.
- A seminar was organized for IInd Year BCOM by Ms. Shivany Mehta, Endeavors on 21st January, 2015 where Case Study on Flipkart.com was discussed.

Mr. Manish, Ms. Yuva from WING CREATIONS, Bangalore gave a lecture on career opportunities available in the field of animations and visual effects on 6th February, 2015. The session also concentrated on explaining to the students about the work undertaken in post production houses.

The Department of Home Science conducted:

A Puppet Workshop on Early Childhood Education Teaching Aids on 28th August 2014. The Resource Person was Ms. Lata Sadgopan.28 students participated.

Seminars on:

(a)-Adolescent Counselling on 13th March 2015 for the III B.A. and B.Sc. students. The Resource Person was Mrs. Yallina Thomas, the Counsellor of the College.

(b)Gerontology on 20th March 2015 for III B.A. and B.Sc. students. The Resource Person was Ms. Farheen Fathima, an M. Sc. Scholar.

(c)Menopause.

(d)Communication Skills for II BA students. The Resource Person was Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty Member of the College.

The Department of Botany conducted:

- A Guest Lecture on 10th March 2015. The Guest Speaker was Ms. Savitha – Scientific Officer Toxicology Division Forensic Science Laboratory, Bangalore on the topic “Forensic Science in Crime Investigation”

The Department of Chemistry conducted:

- A Guest Lecture on the Topic – " Forensic Science in Crime Investigation" on 10.03.2015. The speaker was Ms. Savitha .S, Scientific Officer, Toxicology Division, Forensic Science Laboratories, Madiwala, Bangalore.

The Department of Biotechnology conducted:

- A Guest Lecture on Forensic Sciences and Toxicology by Mrs. Savitha, Scientific Officer on 10th March 2015.

The Department of Computer Science conducted:

- A one day workshop was conducted on Soft Skills and Personality Development by Mr. Sen Mathew

SEMINARS/ WORKSHOPS/ GUEST LECTURES DELIVERED BY THE FACULTY

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:

- Delivered a lecture on Dhanush Bhang, Kuntal Raso, Vishnupriya and Shabri at Surana College, Bangalore on 23rd February 2015.
- Delivered a lecture on “ Manas Mein Naari” at NMKRV College, Bangalore on 17th March 2015.
- Amarajyothi PU College, KR Puram ,Bangalore, invited Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav as the Chief Guest on the occasion of Hindi Diwas, on 15th September 2014.

Mrs. Sowmini Sebastian, Head, Dept. of Psychology:

- Delivered a Talk on ‘Health & Lifestyle’ at Goodwill Christian College for Women on 7th August 2014

Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology:

- Delivered the Lecture for Orientation Day at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian Law College- culture widens the spirit and mind of youth on 4th August 2014
- Delivered Talk in St Josephs College – Interpersonal Relationships on 22nd August 2014.

Dr. Renuka Paul, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology:

- Invited as the Judge for the Inter-Collegiate Lecture Contest at New Horizon college, Kasturinagar on 12th September 2013.

Ms. Sogara Bi and Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies:

- Invited by St. Anne's First Grade College for Women as a Judge for "Best out of Waste" and "Costume Designing" on 5th February 2015.
- Invited by BCWCC M.Com department as a Judge for Inter-Collegiate Fest for the Ice Breaker Event on 17th March, 2015.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS:

Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal:

- Presented a paper titled 'Jewish Diaspora' at the UGC sponsored National Seminar on "Tapestries of Diasporic Writings" at EVR Periyar College, Trichy.
- Prof. Esther Prasanakumar, Principal, presented a paper titled 'Culture Intertwined in Hebrew Language and Literature' at the UGC sponsored International Conference on "Culture through Language and Literature" at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore.

Dr. S Manonmani, Head, Dept. of Kannada

- Presented a paper at W R I C Bhavan Mumbai University , during the Centenary Program of Mumbai Kannada Sahitya Parishat on 25th August 2014 on the topic - ' Sahitya Parishatina Yelu-Beelugalu.'
- Presented a paper at W R I C Bhavan ,Mumbai University , on 25th August 2014 on the topic - 'a review on Bendre,KSN and Jeevi Kaavya'

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi

- Presented a paper at a State Level Seminar on Dhanush Bhang, by Kishore Kabra on 22nd January 2015 at Baldwin Women's Methodist College, Bangalore.
- Presented a paper on "Saahithya Aur Cinema" at National Level Seminar held at Manasa Gangothri, Mysore University on 25th and 26th March 2015.

Dr. Kamal Harnal, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi

- Presented a paper on "Bharat Mein Bhasha Shikshan" at UGC sponsored two day National Seminar held at Jain University on 2nd and 3rd March 2015.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism

International Seminar.

- Presented Research paper on 'Role of Public Relations in the Promotion of Print Media and Television in India' in the International Conference jointly organized by ITM Business School

and International Multi –Disciplinary Research Foundation at Chennai on 9&10 January 2015. Abstract was published in the conference proceedings. ISBN NO-978-93-84124-22-79, Pg-20

- Presented Research paper on “Public Relations in the Higher Education: Need of the hour in the 21st century” in the International Conference held at Presidency college on 08-08-2014. This research paper was published in the Digital Conference proceedings. ISBN NO-978-81-930003-0-4.

National Seminar.

- Presented Research paper on ‘Impact of Public Relations and Digital Media on sports in India’, in the National Seminar held at St. Joseph’s College on 28th and 29th November 2015.
- Presented Research paper on “Impact of Public Relations on Print Media in the India-An Analysis “in the National Seminar ‘Media Matters’ held at Christ University on 21-08-2014. Abstract was published in the ‘Media Matters 2014’ Abstract book. ISBN NO- 978-93-82305-47-7, Pg-2.
- Presenting research paper on ‘Impact of WhatsApp on family relationships’ in the National seminar which will be held at NMKRV College on 27-03-2015.

Dr. C Sowrabha, Faculty, Dept. of Sociology:

- Presented a paper on “‘Missing Women’ in the Indian Work Scenario” at Women’s Worlds Congress 2014 held at University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, India on the theme ‘Gender in a Changing World’ 18th to 20th August 2014.

Mrs. Prathiba David, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce:

- Submitted a paper at a National conference at R V Institute of Management Studies, Jayanagar, Bangalore on the topic “Role of Public Sector Banks in promoting MSME’S in India on 06th December 2014.

Mr. Praveen Kumar, Head, Dept. of Management Studies:

- Submitted a Research Paper on “The Role of Public Sector Banks in Promoting MSMEs in India” at R.V. Institute of Management Studies, Jayanagar, Bangalore on 06th December 2014.

Ms. Sogara Bi, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies:

- Presented a paper titled Job Satisfaction in Education Institute at the International Conference on “Strategies and action plans for sustainable development in higher education” on 8th August 2014, Presidency College

Mrs. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology:

- Oral Paper Presentation during National Conference “ Management of Castor as a weed in urban vacant site using Ammonium Sulphate” on 13th February 2015 at Christ University.

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, Dept. of Computer Science

- National Conference on 19th September 2014 at Sambhram Academy of Management Studies, Bangalore . Paper titled “Association Algorithm Technique on Data Mining”
- National Conference on 18th March 2015 at Garden City College, Bangalore. Paper titled “Intrusion Detection using Data Mining Techniques”

POSITIONS HELD AT UNIVERSITY LEVEL AND STATE LEVEL BY FACULTY:

Mrs. Leena Karanth A, Faculty, Dept. of English:

- Member of the BOE ,Bangalore University since April 2014.

Dr. S Manonmani, Head, Dept. of Kannada:

- Bangalore University BOS& BOE Member. 2014-2015
- External Evaluator of CMR College.
- External Evaluator of M.Phil/ Ph.D., Mumbai University
- Resource Person – ICSE syllabus Revision Committee – Council for ISC Examination, New Delhi.
- Being Staff Welfare Committee Convenor, coordinated during the foreign Tour to Europe – 5th to 13th December 2014.
- Member of the Editorial Committee of our College Magazine.

Mr. Hombaiah, Faculty, Dept. of Kannada:

- Bangalore University ,I,III &V Semester Examination sit-in-squad at Al-Ameen Degree College, Bangalore.

Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Head, Dept. of Tamil:

- Ph.D Evaluator of Coimbatore University
- Panel Member for Ph.D & M.Phil of Coimbatore University, Madras University, Annamalai University, Madurai Kamaraja University
- Member of Board of Studies of Bangalore University for Tamil & Malayalam for 2014-2017
- Member of Board of Examinations of Bangalore University for Tamil & Malayalam for 2014-2015

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi:

- Bangalore University – BOE Member
- NMKRV Autonomous College – BOE Member
- Jain University – BOS Member
- AVK Group of Institutions – Governing Council Member.
- External Evaluator for Ph.D. – Kerala University, Thiruvananthapuram.
- Member, Editorial Committee, BCWCC
- Editorial Advisor – Janagraha Hindi National Weekly.

Ms. B G Jyothi and Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam, Dept. of Economics:

- Members of the Bangalore University Economics Teachers Association.
- Members of Karnataka Teachers Economics Association.

Mrs. Sowmini Sebastian, Dr Vijayshri R and Dr. Renuka Paul, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology

- Are on the BOE for the term January 2014.
- Dr Renuka Paul, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology- Examiner for Psychology Practical Exam at JNC on 26th September 2014.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism:

- Member, Board of Examiner for the Under Graduate Examination April 2015 for Dept. of Journalism, NMKRV College and set Second Semester question paper

Dr. Sowrabha C, Faculty, Dept. of Sociology:

- Member of Board of Studies (BOS) 2014-15 at Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore
- Life Member of Indian Sociological Society (LMI 2555)

Ms. Sogara Bi, Faculty, Dept. of Management Studies:

- Reported for Bangalore University Valuation for BBM.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science:

- Executive Committee Member, Home Science Association of India –Karnataka State Branch

Mrs. Esther Watson, Head, Dept. of Botany:

- Member of Board of Examiners at CMR University Bangalore

Mrs. Sharmila A, Head, Dept. of Biotechnology:

- BOE-Biotechnology for Jain University, CMR Autonomous University and NMKRV

Ms. Anitha Clarin, Head, Dept. of Physics:

- Membership (with BOE/ BOS/ any other) – BOS in physics, Paper setting for Autonomous college.

Dr. Muniraja G, Head, Dept. of Mathematics:

Membership of Professional Bodies Renewed/Life:

- Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics , USA
- Ramanujan Mathematical Society, India
- Italian Society for Chaos & Complexity, Italy

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, Dept. of Computer Science:

- Paper Setter for CMR group of Institutions for IV Semester BCA April 2014
- Paper Setter for CMR group of Institutions for I Semester BCA October 2014
- Paper Setter for Bangalore University for I Semester B.Sc. October 2014

Mrs. Suja D Shanthi, Head, Dept. of Computer Science:

- Chairperson , B.Sc. Computer Science, BOE during the Academic Year 2014 – 15.

Mrs. Jayakiruba A, Faculty, Dept. of Computer Science:

- Question paper setter for the End Semester Examination of BCA Course (Autonomous) at CMR Institute of Management Studies, Bangalore for the subject “COMPUTER GRAPHICS” for the year 2014.
- Question paper setter for the End Semester Examination of 1st Sem BA/BSC Course at Bangalore University, Bangalore for the subject “COMPUTER FUNDAMENTALS” in the year 2014.

PUBLICATIONS BY FACULTY:

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Faculty, Dept. of English

- Article published in Journal for Women Studies, BCWCC on the topic DHANAM OR DAANAM: Gender Conflicts in the Syrian Christian Culture of Kerala. Vol.6 ISSN No. 2278-9367 No.1 August 2014.

Dr. S Manonmani, Head, Dept. of Kannada

- Books - Basavanna Mattu Yesukristha – published by Murugamutt, Dharwad, 2014.
- 'Vachana Saahityada Odina Vibinna Nelegalu ' – published by the department of Kananda, Mumbai University.
- Articles -A Review on Surekha Naik's Publication, Bendre, KSN and Jeevi Kaavya'

Dr. Jai Laxmi R, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi

- An Article published by Dr. Jai Laxmi R on the topic: Naari Mukthi Aur Samanatha (Ramavriksha Benipuri) in journal of Women's Studies UGC Centre of Women Studies, Empowerment and Social Research . (ISSN No: 2278-9367 Vol: 6)

Dr. Kamal Harnal, Faculty, Dept. of Hindi:

- Published a paper in the UGC sponsored State Level Seminar "Changing Worlds and Words" organised by Tarang, depts. Of Kannada, English, Sanskrit and Hindi by BMS College for Women, Bangalore in their Journal released on 7th and 8th February 2014. (ISBN No. 978-9383303-39-7)

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism

- Research paper on 'Role of Public Relations in the Promotion of Print Media and Television in India' was published in the Business Sciences International Research Journal Vol-III Issue I. ISSN 2321 – 3191 Pg-86-91.
- Research paper on 'Role of Public Relations in moulding Public Opinion-An Analysis with special reference to Nirbhaya Rape Case' was published in the Journal of Women's Studies. ISSN NO 2278-9367 Pg-25-30
- Research paper on 'Ethics in Advertising in India' was published in the Book-'Media Ethics and Social Responsibility' published by St. Joseph's College. ISBN-978-81-7086-697-8. Pg-38-45.

Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Dept. of Psychology

- Published a Research Article, in Journal of Women's Studies, Aug 2013, Vol 5, No.1, titled 'The Impact of electronic communication on Interpersonal Relationships of Adolescent Girls'

Dr. Sowrabha C, Faculty, Dept. of Sociology

- Paper titled "'Missing Women' in the Indian Work Scenario' is published in the Journal of Women's Studies, Volume 6, No. 1, August 2014 (Pp. 18-24) with ISSN No. 2278-9367

Mrs. Porkodi, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce

- Mrs. Porkodi S published a research paper titled "Study on Viral Marketing – A success factor" in the JSSGIW Journal of Management, Vol – II, April – September, 2014 with ISSN number 2349 – 3550.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science

- Member of the Review committee for the IIPUC –Home Science Text Book

Dr. Susanna P, Faculty, Dept. of Biotechnology

- Published text book of Environmental Science prescribed by the University of Bangalore through Subhash Publishers.
- Growth responses of *E. coli* in different nitrogen sources, Susanna P, Nayeem Ullah Khan. Published in International Journal of Biological Research. Volume 2, Issue 3.

Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, Dept. of Computer Science

- Paper titled “Association Algorithm Technique on Data Mining” was published in the Conference proceedings of the National Conference held on 19th September at Sambhram Academy of Management Studies with ISSN NO:0976-304X
- Presented a paper on “Data Mining Techniques for Intrusion Detection” on 18th March 2015 at Garden City College

Dr. K Narasimhan, Co-ordinator for the Post Graduate Studies (M.Com.) in our college has co-authored a text book on “Risk Management” for II semester M.Com. Syllabus – Himalaya Publishing House, Bengaluru.

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION BY FACULTY:

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. of Journalism was invited as Guest Speaker at the inter-collegiate seminar “Media Ethics” and spoke on the topic-‘Media Ethics and Regulations in India’, organized by the Department of Journalism, Goodwill Christian College for Women on 13th August 2014.

Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce helped colleagues and friends to submit their Income Tax Returns.

AWARDS AND HONOURS RECEIVED:

- Dr. Mrs. S Manonmani, Head, Department of Kannada was honoured with a Gold Medal during the book release programme organised by the Department of Kannada, Mumbai University on 25th August 2014
- Mrs. Shilpi Choudhury, Head, Department of History, was the recipient of the Innovative Designer Award for exemplary work as a designer activist given by IYB. Women’s Achiever Award for the year 2014 awarded by GCC. National award called the Karma Veer Award – as solid character among fellow citizens – awarded by ICONGO in association with UNO, APEEJAY and VEER KATHA KAR.
- Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty, Dept. of Home Science received the Certificate of Appreciation in Recognition of the Support and Contribution to the Rotaract Movement, RI.DISTRICT JULY 2014.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

ENGLISH:

The staff of the department of English have given projects that required them to visit actual places and report its activities for eg. The students visited the lakes in Bengaluru and also the NGOs that work for the upliftment and care of the marginalized.

Screening of novel based movie: “Emma” for the I BA Optional English students, projects/ seminars and paper presentations by students, play reading sessions in Drama Teaching, Value Education as per the timetable and Informal Career guidance and counseling. All members of the department conducted regular value education classes and showed relevant videos of inspirational speeches, counseled students in distress/need etc.

KANNADA – SRUJANA KANNADA SANGHA:

The department members conducted discussions, presentations and an open book examination. An edited text book “ SamvahanaKaushala” was used for the B.B.M – II & IV Semesters published by “ Bangalore University – Prasara” -2011-2015. During regular classes interactive sessions were held through discussion, questions, presentations, assignments, tests etc., Apart from regular classes continuous counselling has been done for the weaker students in the subject and helped to gain confidence to study, learn and understand the subject well.

The department conducted inter class literary and cultural activities on 9th and 10th March 2015. Quiz, Creative Writing, PPT, Group Dance, Fashion Show and Singing competitions were held. Former Cottonians, Mrs. Sahana, Mrs. Sri Raksha and Ms. Supriya were the judges for all the events.

HINDI:

The staff of the department of Hindi, counsel the students to participate in various intercollegiate literary activities, such as Debate, Group Discussions, Creative Writing which helps them to build up their confidence and passion for Literature. Dr. Kamal Harnal, delivers lectures every month on various topics such as education, health & hygiene, insurgency, disaster management, diseases and vaccinations and various other issues to army troops wives and children. The department conducts Quiz Competition on the syllabus, where students learn Hindi phrases and idioms through Dumb Charades, Open Book Examination and Project Presentation.

On the occasion of Hindi Diwas ,every year the department conducts various interclass competitions. This year they conducted activities such as, Srujanatmak Lekhan, Prashnottari, Vaad-Vivad, Vigyaapan Lekhan Evam Prasthuthi, Sundarkand Gayan , Yugal Geeth, Prahasan ,Ekal Nritya Prathiyogitha.

TAMIL:

Dr. K Vijayalakshmi, Head, Dept. of Tamil conducted a Tamil Essay Competition and Tamil Music Competition. The department had 100% results in the III Semester, Above 90%- Ms. Arunya-96 % (B.Com), Ms. Niranjanla-90% (B.Sc.) Above 85%- Ms. Vuthranjanie- 89%(BBM),Ms. Lakshi-86%(B.Sc.), Ms.Vyshnavie-85%(BBM)

She involved the students an Audio Visual Study on Thiruvilaiyadalpuranam (III Semester-2014) and Audio Visual Movie about Bharathiyar's Life (IV Semester -2015). Dr. K Vijayalakshmi, conducted Personality Development Sessions (III Semester-2014) and brief explanation about role models of Tamil Literature(IV Semester)

FRENCH:

The year 2014-2015 was an interesting one for the students. Apart from the prescribed syllabus, the students listened to short dialogues to increase their oral comprehension. A few French songs were taught. Comprehension of the lyrics increased their enjoyment of the songs. Games like Pictionary and Crossword were played in class to improve the vocabulary. Several students also took part on 'Francofel', the annual French Fest held at Mount Carmel College on events like Solo Song, Treasure Hunt and Pictionary. A few prizes were won.

Mrs. Thayabunnisa Mohamed, Guest Faculty of the department has started the C1 Level called DALF C1 (Diplome Approfondie de la Langue Francaise, Niveau C1) taught at Allaince Francaise from February to September 2015. It is an intensive course to be followed by an examination

ECONOMICS:

Ms. B G Jyothi and Ms. Joyce Metilda, Faculty, Dept. of Economics - I B.Com. students were divided into groups wherein they made their presentations on the topic 'Banker –Customer relationship' through power point presentations/ charts/ Role Play

Field Visit:

The Final B.A Students were taken to the Reserve Bank of India on 28th January 2015 wherein they visited the Financial Inclusion Resource Centre. Two officers from the bank – Mr. N.B Raichur and Mr. N. Ravishankar gave a talk on Financial Inclusion.

Projects/ Test/ Assignments:

Tests were conducted for all the classes BA & B.Com.

Assignments were given.

Projects:

III BA – Alternative Sources of Energy/Health care facilities in India/ Elementary Education in India/ Degradation of Natural Resources/ Environmental Issues.

I B.Com.- presentations on "Banking Innovations"

Screening of Documentary :

The Dept. of Economics observed 'World Consumer Day' by screening a documentary for I/II/III BA students on Genetically Modified Foods – Title of the documentary was 'Poison on the Platter'. The same was screened for I B.Com. students.

Bulletin Board: Topic – ' Union Budget 2015'

PSYCHOLOGY:

The department conducted the following programmes for the students:

- An Educational Trip to Cadabams Centre for Psycho-Social Rehabilitation on 10th February 2014.
- An Educational Trip to Coorg - 38 students of the Psychology Department visited 'Swastha' Centre for Special Education & Rehabilitation –(Unit of the Coorg Foundation), Madapura Road, Santicoppa- 9th March to 11th March 2015

Under the guidance of Dr. Vijayshri R, Ms. Shruthi PS and Ms. Mariya Mathai presented a paper titled "Literary Analysis of psychological concepts : An Interdisciplinary Approach on Macbeth" organized at Surana college on 7th October 2014

Under the guidance of Dr. Vijayshri R, Ms. Shruthi PS, III BA presented a Research paper at the Inter-collegiate seminar on 'Sensationalism in Media & its psychological impact on society' on 25th February 2015. The paper titled 'Impact of Television Programs on the Moral judgment of children organized at Sacred Heart Girls First Grade College, Bengaluru

INTERNSHIPS:

- Shruthi P.S. Occupational Therapy Intern, under Dr Vaishali Pai, Tamahar Trust in July 2014
- The department members evaluated, Assessed & worked with children who were suffering from Autism, Downs Syndrome, PDD, ADHD for a period of 1 month.
- Dec/Jan 2014-2015-: Shruthi P.S. Clinical Psychology intern in Spandana hospitals Pvt. Ltd, was involved in taking & presenting case histories of patients and working under the guidance of Consultant Counselors ,resident doctors & Senior Psychiatrists.

CERTIFICATE COURSE:

Dr Vijayshri R and Dr. Renuka Paul conducted a 15 Hour Certificate Course in "Barefoot counseling skills" for psychology students of Surana College, Bangalore in October 2013.

The members of the department conducted the Career & Aptitude Testing at Harward International School on 13th January 2015

DEPARTMENTAL PROGRAMME:

The Departmental Association, Mindscape, celebrated Happiness Week - 1st – 4th September 2014 with a series of events centered around the theme of 'Positivity'

POLITICAL SCIENCE:

Seminars for the students were held as per the below mentioned schedule:

- I B A – I Semester – 26th and 29th September 2014 on the topic Power, Authority and Legitimacy
- III B A – V Semester – 26th August 2014 and 1st September 2014 on the topic Budget – Nature, Principles, Preparation, Enactment and Execution.
- III B A- VI Semester – 16th and 17th March 2015 on the topic Major Issues like Secularism, Communalism, Social Justice, Regional Disparities, RTI, Environmental Protection.
- Jig-Saw Puzzle (4 concepts exchange of ideas and you get cluster of ideas)
- Divide and Rule (Exchange of Notes)
- Learning Earning Management System (Think ,Pair and share).

The department of Political Science had newspaper reading and discussion on the following topics:

- Karnataka State Legislature to ape Rajasthan – Going on line
- Good Court near Tumkur – on Public Private Partnership
- Discussion on Tamil Nadu Chief Minister – Ms. Jayalalitha's Case which was going on in Karnataka Central Jail (Special Court)
- Delhi Elections

Mrs. Indira K M, Guest Faculty, Dept of Political Science conducted a Bridge Course for the I Semester students for a week as soon as they joined for the I Degree. Reference work was given – from the College Library namely, reference books, magazines and journals. These were quoted to motivate the students to read dailies for current news and information.

The members of the department also helped in guiding, career advice, to develop a positive attitude towards life, building them to be strong and brave in the society, political awareness and solving problems not related to studies(personal). There is interest shown also in the survey for Election and Human trafficking.

JOURNALISM:

To hone the writing skills of budding journalist and to learn the nuances of the print media various practical oriented assignments and projects were given to the students. The first year students were taught movie review and review of newspapers in the class. Students reviewed a movie released in the month of July & August 2014 as well as two English and Kannada newspapers of their choice in February 2015 respectively. Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head of the department addressed student's grievances regarding attendance, peer pressure and personal problems which were discussed and sometimes referred to the college counselor for further action. Weaker students were identified and special coaching was given to them.

Second year students brought out a one page individual Newsletter in October 2014 and are also going to bring out department Lab Journal Prism-Vol: 6 by the end of the semester.

Final year students presented a research paper on the topics related to syllabus and mass media through Analytical, Descriptive and Case study method.

A 'Big fight' was conducted in the class for the first year students on the topic- 'Reality shows and Ethics'.

A Documentary film on 'Indian cinema' produced by the Film Division was screened for the second year students to give practical insight to the subject.

A Documentary film 'India's Daughter' was screened for the final year students and a debate was conducted in the class regarding the ban of the documentary film.

Final year students interviewed noted personalities in the month of September 2014. Few among them were:

- Nadoja Justice Dr. S R Nayak, Chairman, Law Commissioner of Karnataks by Ms. Chaitra Chidananda.
- Mr. Ranganath Bharadwaj, CEO, Samay News by Ms. Chaitra S.
- Mr. B Chinnappa, BJP State President of Modi Brigade.
- Mrs. Jyothi Balakrishna, Hon. Secretaty, AWAKE by Ms. Shamantha K
- Mr. Martin Eisenmann, CFO, Mercedes-Benz Research and Development India Ltd. By Ms. Mercy Grace.
- Ms. Pratima Bhat, Program Producer and Anchor, Suvarna News24x7 by Ms. Akshatha M

Final year students prepared print an advertisement on 'Keep your city clean campaign'. The Best three advertisements won the prize.

The Journalism club 'Mediascape' was inaugurated by the Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar on 27th September 2014. Core Members of the club were installed on the occasion.

The Final year student Ms. Chaitra Chidananda produced a Documentary film on 'RAPE AGAINST WOMEN' as part of her Journalism assignment on Crime Reporting. The documentary film was selected by the National Commission for Women (NCW) and was screened at Jharkhand. Appreciating her achievement, the Principal, Prof. Esther Prasanakumar felicitated Ms. Chaitra on 27th September 2014. First year student Ms. Priyanka Mehta secured the first prize in the inter-collegiate Photography competition held at Presidency College on 20th August 2014.

Final year students Ms. Ugen Lahmo and Ms. Shamantha attended a National workshop on 'Reporting and Editing', organized by the Department of Media Studies, Christ University on 23rd September 2014.

Final year students Ms. Chaitra Chidananda and Ms. Chaitra S completed their internships in Suvarna News24x7 and Samaya News channel in the month of June 2014 and in the PR department of Sagar Apollo Hospital in the month of December 2014 respectively.

Final year students Ms. Akshatha M and Ms. Kavya completed internship in Samaya News channel in the month of December 2014.

The Second year students Ms. Rithika Raheja, Ms. Muktha Kantha Raj and Ms. Panchalee Baruah completed an their internship at Binox in the month of July 2014. Their by-line articles were uploaded on the binox website.

Second year student Ms. Panchalee Baruah completed internship at 'The Hindu' newspaper in the month of June 2014. Her two by-line articles were published in the newspaper.

The Second year students put up a bulletin board on the topic-'Media and Censorship'.

SOCIOLOGY:

The department members took part in the screening of a Documentary Film Show 'Kannadi' on Child Sex Abuse at college, followed by participation in a silent protest 'Women in Black' against atrocities on Women at Caveri circle, M. G. Road, Bangalore on 5th March 2015.

Dr. C. Sowrabha guided three students on the research papers submitted to Christ University as part of Young Sociologist Competition 2014 and also guided several research projects of sociological interest for final year B. A. students as part of their course work

Dr. C. Sowrabha was part of the field trip to Bagalur, near Devanahalli, and then visit to VISTHAR, NGO in Bangalore on 25th February 2015. She joined hands with SCEAD Foundation to organize a photo exhibition and signature campaign on 'Save Girl Child' on 26th February 2015

The staff and students attended the Decennial celebrations of the Social Work Department, St. Joseph's College on 30th August 2014 and an address by Dr. Vandana Shiva, renowned environmentalist on the occasion.

Students of II B.A. – Ms. Arul Kani, Ms. Ashwini and Ms. Anju presented a documentary film on 'Avare Bele Mela in Bangalore City' on 16th and 17th January 2015 and attended Akhyana+Soc Doc Documentary Film Making Workshop at Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore

Dr. C. Sowrabha and students Ms. Keran Jerusha, Ms. Jona Dewan, Ms. Nehasha, Ms. Soniya and Ms. Vindhya participated in the UGC Sponsored Seminar on 'Food Security and the Right to Food, 'Ending Hunger Within A Generation – Challenges and Priorities' on 20th January 2015 organized by Manrita-Social Sciences Forum, Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous, Bangalore

Staff and students attended Launch of 'Ondede' and Panel Discussion on 'Age of Consent' on 20th January 2015 organized at Jain College, Bangalore

Ms. Shruti. P. S.(III B.A.), Sheren Leah Coilpillai and Mona Sharon of II B.A. submitted their research papers for Young Sociologist Competition 2014, to Christ University, Bangalore on 15th October 2014

Dr. C. Sowrabha guided students on the research papers submitted to Christ University

Ms. Sheren Leah Coilpillai of II B.A. has won the II Prize for her research paper titled 'Waste Management: Path to Sustainable Development', in the National Level Young Sociologist Competition on the theme 'Environment, Development and Sustainability' held on December 12, 2014 organised by the Department of Sociology, Christ University, Bangalore

Ms. Shruthi. P.S. of III B. A. was one of the finalists in the YSC 2014 event, presented a paper on 'Water Resource: A Crisis of Our Times', held on 12 December 2014 at Christ University

COMMERCE:

Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce identified the students who had failed and gave special attention to them. She insisted that students give presentations on the given topics. She also helped students to solve Bangalore University question papers.

Mrs. Rachel Joshua, Faculty, Dept. of Commerce, took students to Bangalore Stock Exchange for them to gain practical exposure on the workings of stock market.

INDUSTRIAL VISITS

- 100 students from II BCOM attended training programme conducted by Bangalore Stock Exchange in their campus on 3rd February 2015.
- The department organized an industrial tour to GOA from 15th February to 19th February and visited the following companies:
MRF Tyres and BOSCH

CERTIFICATE COURSE

- A 40HRS Tally course was conducted for III BCOM students from 18th August, 2014 to 18th October, 2014 by Alpha Tech Academy, Bangalore with a strength of 46 students.

DEPARTMENTAL FEST

- An annual intercollegiate Commerce fest ASCENDO was conducted on 11th March, 2015 with the theme SWADESH – Make in India. The fest was inaugurated by the chief guest, Mr. B.S.Ramesh, Entrepreneur.
- 11 events based on the theme were conducted and 11 colleges participated in the event. Kristu Jayanthi College won the overall championship.

MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

The members of the department involved the students with regular interactions through Projects, Assignments, Case Study, Group Discussions, Students Presentation, Open Book Test and Exams etc. Counseling was done at academic and personal levels for the students who approach them or were identified by them. The staff had interactions with students with PPT Presentations, Case studies, Role play, group discussions, debates, quiz, current affairs discussions, videos and also counselled the students.

- The Department also conducted a seminar on Self Study Analysis by Dr. Uma Sreedhar, Prof in IBS, ICFAI Bangalore on 21st July 2014.
- The Department celebrated the Management Fest Nishka – EMBARK : Voyage to Vision on 13th September 2014.
- An Industrial Trip to Hyderabad was conducted from 14th to 17th August 2014.
- A Certificate Course on “ Investment Avenues by Reliance Money Ltd”

MATHEMATICS:

- Computer Software Based Computational Techniques In Mathematics Introduced For B.Sc. students
- Special Mentoring Sessions were held for weaker students

CHEMISTRY:

Dr. Jacqueline T R, Head of the department involved the students through practices other than class room teaching. Her methods of teaching involved :

Teaching concepts of chemistry through industrial visits, use of LCD and Overhead projectors, models and charts were used and Demonstration of experiments in the lab.

She identified weaker students and revision tests were conducted. Special coaching was also given to weaker students.

Guest Lecture:

Topic: "Forensic Science in Crime Investigation" on 10.03.2015. The Speaker was Savitha .S, Scientific Officer, Toxicology Division, Forensic Science Laboratories, Madiwala, Bangalore.

Participation of students in Intercollegiate level activities:

1. II and III B. Sc students attended one day workshop in United Mission Degree College on Software Analysis – Diploma, Bachelor, and M. Tech Courses in NUS (National University, Singapore) and about placement, project and internship for students on 6th August 2014.
2. Six students from III B. Sc CBBT attended Lecture Workshop on "Advances in Material Science" organized by the Department of Chemistry, Christ University in association with JNCASR, Bangalore, held on 27th and 28th August 2014.
3. III B. Sc CBBT attended a two day Science Academies' Lecture Workshop on " Modern Trends in Chemistry" organized by the Department of Chemistry, Christ University, Bangalore held on 13th and 14th February 2015.
4. Our students participated in "Singularitas" an intercollegiate fest organized by St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Bangalore. They won the III Prize in "Treasure Hunt" which was a multidisciplinary competition.

Bulletin Board:

The Bulletin Board of the department was put up by the III B. Sc CBBT students on the topic "What makes you obese?"

Industrial visit /Educational tour :

1. A visit to Karnataka Milk Federation (KMF) the Dairy Industry, Bangalore, was organized on 27th February 2015.
2. A field trip to Biocentre, Department of Horticulture, Govt of Karnataka, Hulimavu, Bangalore, was organized on 2nd March 2015.

BOTANY:

Mrs. Esther Watson, Head, Dept. of Botany used CDs and models and Ms. Bindu NV, Guest Faculty, used Audio visual learning method adopted to help students learn and retain important topics. They gave tests to weaker students

- The class of 2nd and 3rd year B.Sc. attended a workshop at United Mission College on the Topic – Software Analysis, Bachelor, Diploma and M.Tech. Course in NUS(National University of Singapore) on 8th August 2014.
- The students visited Arpana School from the Social Wing of E Cell on 10th February 2015
- Visit to KMF – Bangalore Dairy 27th Feb 2015
- Visit to Bio Centre, Hulimavu on 2nd March 2015
- Attended a CLHRD Teachers Training at Madikeri organized by Karnataka Central Diocese on 3rd, 4th and 5th May 2015

BIOTECHNOLOGY:

The Department of Biotechnology were involved with mentoring the I, II and III B.Sc. students.

- Students attended a workshop on Software Analysis, Diploma and M.Tech course in NUS-ISS (National University of Singapore) and placement , project, Internship for the students on 6th August 2014.

FIELD VISITS:

The staff of the department of Biotechnology - OHP sheets were used to explain the chapters that students found difficult. CDs were used to present a video on Beer production, Practical exposure to mushroom cultivation and other dairy products, industrial fermentors.

- Visited Bio-Centre C, Hulimavu, Bangalore on March 2nd 2015, Students gained knowledge on tissue culture, medicinal plants, terrace and kitchen gardening. They also learnt mushroom cultivation.
- Visited KMF Dairy on February 27th 2015 –Industrial visit by CBBT, students were exposed to sterilization techniques in dairy, pasteurization of milk, production of yoghurt, cheese and curd. Inoculation of lactobacillus into curd, transferred to incubator and later to on the cold room. The students were exposed to packaging of dairy products.

The students participated and won prizes at the Intercollegiate level, including St. Joseph's Science and Arts College. A Treasure Hunt on 3rd March on the topic Nature and Science were conducted. The III prize was won by II B.Sc. – Ms. Rachel, Ms. Ravina and Ms. Rinku. Nail Art on Nature at Cambridge Institute of Technology. The I prize was won by Ms. Shalini Nag, II B Sc. Treasure Hunt on Science: Ms. Ravina, Ms. Shalini and Ms. Rinku won the III prize. Ms. Bhanushree B and Ms. Rajina Shrestha – III B.Sc. participated in a cultural programme at the All India Principal's Conference(2015)

CERTIFICATE COURSE:

- “Solid Waste Management –production of biomanaure” for I B.Sc. for 20 hrs
- “Isolation and characterization of *pseudomonas* from various industrial effluents” for I and II B.Sc. for 20 hrs

The students were tutored through Multimedia, Over head projectors and transparencies. The staff have been helping students in many ways to develop scientific temper by improving Research activities, by providing information about future prospects in biotechnology and related subjects and also by addressing their areas of strength and areas of improvement.

PHYSICS:

Seminars were held for:

I B.Sc. – Modes of fibres II B.Sc. –Laser III B.Sc. – Operational Amplifiers.

Projects were given to the students. They were made to solve Model Question Papers and Framing and Designing simple Experiments.

Manual preparation – Angel D. Jebrani. For II B.Sc

Counseling was given on a regular basis and Remedial Tests, Weekly test etc. were conducted.

HOME SCIENCE:

The Department organised a Workshop on Income Generating Activities in collaboration with YWCA for the Slum School Teachers/Social Workers. The Resource Persons were the IIBA students. The activities included Wall hanging, Anklets, Bracelets, Bangles, Paper Flowers, Quilling- Earrings, Envelopes.

FIELD VISITS

(1)The III BA and B.Sc. students visited Lalbagh Gardens on 23rd January 2015 to observe styles of flower arrangement and varieties of flowers

(2) Jerome Home for the Aged to study the characteristics of the aged.

(3) Visit to study interiors.

ASSIGNMENTS:

- Preschool creative activity file for III B.A./B.Sc. VI Semester students
- Solar and microwave cooking for IV Semester-B.Sc., IV semester – HIV/AIDS
- I B.Sc. Career in Human Development. Different types of Industrial and domestic sewing machines and its uses.
- I B.A. Neonatal development and Block Printing.
- A 6-week programme was conducted by II B.A. students in collaboration with YMCA unit in KS Garden. About 15 women attended the programme. Activities covered were – earrings, quilling, rubber bands, paper flowers and anklets.
- III B.A./B.Sc. students were taken to Lalbagh on 23rd January 2015 to study various styles of flower arrangement and types of flowers and foliage.

COMPUTER SCIENCE:

The staff of the department of Computer Science used PowerPoint Presentations and Assigned Seminar Topics for the students. Mrs. Jayakiruba A, being a class teacher of final year BCA, Value education has been taught in their value education hour. Discussions about the student's career and maintaining a good relationship with the students were held.

The Department of Computer Science had a good rapport with the students, listened to the problems and helped them to find a solution and conducted Remedial Classes for the weaker students

- Ad- On Course Sponsored by the UGC was conducted on Networking with Netsim.
- Ad- On Course Sponsored by the UGC was conducted on Embedded System.
- Certificate Course on Java & Android was conducted by Alpha Tech Academy

DEPARTMENT OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES: M.COM.

The Post Graduate Department of the College conducted an Inter Collegiate Fest "FORZA 2015" on 17th March 2015. 09 Colleges participated in the Fest and the events included Ice Breaker, Business Quiz, Best Manager, Debate on Finance and Marketing and Fashion Show. The prizes were distributed by the Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar at the end of the event.

Dr. Narasimhan K
Coordinator

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

Our students have been active as always in sports and during this academic year too they took active participation in many sports and games besides bringing laurels to our college. The college Shuttle Badminton team consisting of Ms. Akila Jayamma, Ms. Helshika Abyakoon and Ms. Shewtha took part in the Badminton Tournament organised by National College, Bangalore and secured the first place. Ms. Akila Jayamma of II BBM also took part in the Dasara Sports and secured II place in Shuttle Badminton. Ms. Sowjanya K G of II B.com. C was a member of the 4x100 relay team, which participated in the Dasara Sports. The team won the I place.

The College Annual Athletic Meet was held on 21st February 2015 in the Bishop Cotton Girls' School Grounds. The Chief Guest for the day was Commodore A. Cherian, vsm [Retd], Indian Navy. The Guest of Honour was Mrs. Elizabeth Cherian.

The Individual Championship was bagged by Ms. Sowjanya KG of II B. Com. C and the best out going sports woman was awarded to Ms. Roopasree P, III B.Com. C

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda,
Physical Education Director.

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE:

Books were purchased according to new revised syllabus for I Degree students of Bangalore University. The department purchased 715 books and 200 books alone was purchased for the Post Graduation Department [M. Com.]. Membership in other libraries was renewed and the SC/ST Book Bank Collection was upgraded and made accessible to the students.

Mrs. Rose Francis P,
Librarian.

COUNSELLING:

Counseling is a process that enables one, to sort out issues and reach decisions affecting their life. Often counselling is sought out at time of change or crisis, it need not be so however, as counselling can also help us at any time of our life.

Counselling involves talking with a person in a way that helps a person solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause person to solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause a person to understand and /or improve his /her behaviour, character, values or life circumstances. In the end of the counselling process, the client himself /herself has a insight to the problem and he/she becomes empowered to take his or her own decision.

Counselling addresses Conflicts, Academic problems, Career issues , Personal and Socially related problems. The counselling programme involves individual sessions with students, where truth or frankness serves as a means to reach the goals of counselling .Follow up sessions are carried out on a regular basis . Sometimes, parents are involved in the process if the need demands. Counselling is defined as the service of helping people to adjust or deal with personal problems, by enabling them to discover for themselves the solution to the Problems when receiving attention from a counsellor.

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The Counsellor was also actively involved in meeting the students and parents, who have shortage of attendance. They were counselled and advised to be regular to college and to maintain 75% attendance in all subjects. In the near future, the counsellor hopes to instill skills that will enable our students to be more efficient and successful.

The Counsellor's View point:

As the counsellor, I had to deal with not only counselling issues, but also address issues like attendance shortage and also manage the Grievance cell & College help desk to help our students and parents. Throughout the year, I have met students, staff and parents addressing many issues like peer pressure, parental pressure, academic pressure, personal problems, relationship problems, depression, career guidance, shortage of attendance, misconduct, enquiries, ventilation ,interpersonal problems, relationship problems and other issues. I have maintained confidentiality and dealt with each individual on a non-judgemental basis .Certain sensitive matters had to be taken up with the Principal and handled delicately. I have maintained confidential reports after every sessions and also maintained a record of work on a daily basis. I have also got feedback from students, parents and staff on the sessions that were conducted. Certain case follow up sessions were taken up by me. Students who had approached me seeking help have also brought their classmates and friends for various issues .This clearly indicates that there is a definite positive impact after my counselling services. Feedback from those who attended counselling was also collected. Respondents were asked for comments or remarks on the service provided.

My other primary task was to support the academic activities of the college by providing a range of interventions, which would result in the enhancement of a student's ability to be consistently engaged and focussed in achieving their academic potential.

Other activities:

The Counsellor had given a talk on the topic "Adolescent Counselling" to the Final year students of the Home Science department on the 13th of March 2015.

The Counsellor, Mrs. Yallina Thomas was involved with Counselling the students, co-ordinating for Value Education classes, and was a part of the Anti Ragging and Sexual Redressal committee.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

INSTALLATION OF THE PRINCIPAL:

Prof. Esther Prasanakumar has nurtured her inherent skills of leadership by utilizing every opportunity for it, be it in a classroom or church; as a Choir Director, Coach, Mentor or Champion on the sports field, taking on administrative responsibilities and executing it with joy and judgement earning respect and reputation in a simple, yet definitive manner.

Leaders have three fundamental responsibilities:

They craft a vision, they build alignment, and they champion execution. The key to leadership is having people willing to follow you if only out curiosity to see what is going to happen. And we at Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College are quite driven by this curiosity.

Prof. Esther Prasanakumar is eminently suitable for this position, driven as she is by the constant quest to learn, to lead and to leverage her abilities for the common good. She is currently sharpening another vital leadership skill by pursuing her Doctoral work in the area of Conflict Resolution - with a specific focus on the Arab - Jew Conflict.

Honing her leadership skills on international platforms like the Leadership summit in Hawaii, USA and in Netherlands, has given her the courage and conviction to take on higher challenges. Having served as the Principal of two institutions while at Abu Dhabi on a 4 year deputation, she is ready to take on the reins of this illustrious institution.

Dr. Vijayashri R,
Faculty, Dept. of Psychology

FOREIGN TOUR:

The Principal and the Management of the College organized a Foreign Tour to European countries for the first time for the staff during the month of December 2014.

The tour organizer, M/s. Terminal Holy Tours Pvt. Ltd., well drafted a 9 day (5th December to 13th December 2014) package tour for the team of 59 staff to Switzerland, Italy and Vatican, covering all the famous cities namely Zurich, Lucerne, Engelberg, Venice, Pisa, Florence, Rome, Vatican and Milan.

This was an exciting, picturesque and a dreamland visit for all of us. The Staff of Bishop cotton Women's Christian College are grateful to the Management and the Principal for this wonderful opportunity.

Dr. S Manonmani,
Convenor, Staff Welfare Committee.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:

The Alumni Association of the College conducted an alumni meet on Saturday, the 15th February 2014. Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Former Principal in charge of the college addressed the alumni and Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Dept. of Hindi welcomed the former students. More than 75 alumni attended the meet and shared their experiences. Fun Games were organised by the present students of the college and following members were elected as the Council Members of the Alumni Association.

Ms. Dimple Jain – President
Ms. Anjali Soni – Vice President
Ms. Asfiya Afzal – General Secretary
Ms. Binitha E P – Treasurer

Lt. Yamini Yaduwanshi from the 2008 B Sc batch was adjudged the best alumna and a certificate of appreciation was given to her on the valedictory day which was held on 28th April 2014.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav
Convenor

ASSEMBLY:

The opening assembly for the academic year 2014-15 was held on 17th July, 2014 during the value education hour. At this time all announcements regarding the forthcoming activities of the various committees and clubs of the college were made. This was followed by a combined assembly of the PUC and Degree classes in connection with the Student Council elections.

In the month of August the General Assembly was conducted by the students of III B.Com A to celebrate Independence Day through patriotic songs and dances and by III BCA on 'Talents'. A special assembly was also conducted by the staff and students in the month of September to bid farewell to Mrs. Shanta Solomon our Principal –in-charge. A talk by 'Pro-Active' for the final year students on self esteem and relationships was followed by the closing assembly for the semester.

Semester II opened with a General Assembly on 8th January 2015 during which Dr. Ahmed from 'Mindmasters' spoke on techniques to improve memory power and retention. In the month of February, the students of III B.Com B and III B.A. and III B.SC (combined) conducted the General Assemblies on the themes of 'Promise in the Future' and 'Counting your Blessings'. At this time the members of **Space for Children** in Education, Art and Development (SCEAD) spoke to the students on their outreach programmes and invited them to participate in various activities.

International women's Day was celebrated by the Department of Sociology on 12th March, 2015 and Mrs. Corrine Kumar and Akkai Padmashali were the guest speakers. The students also enacted a skit and a mime on the empowerment of women.

The semester concluded with the closing assembly that was conducted by the students of III B.Com C and III BBM .Prizes for activities conducted specially for the final year students were distributed at this time.

Mrs. Suvina Benjamin
Convenor

VALUE EDUCATION:

Value education classes were held on alternative Thursdays during the value education hour by the respective Class teachers, in order to equip our students with good values, to lead responsible lives and to meet the unknown challenges of the future. These classes really help in guiding the students in their lives through the countless real life choices ahead of them.

The schedule comprised of topics such as values, self- esteem happiness, freedom, friendship, responsibility, frankness or openness in communication etc. A feedback on each session was taken by the Class teacher.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor

ANTI RAGGING:

The Anti-ragging committee was formed in order to take care and prevent ragging. The committee visited the classes of all the first year students .The committee explained to each class, the strict anti-ragging policy of our college .The students were told that the college has a zero tolerance policy on ragging.

The details on 24/7 anti ragging helpline was put on all the notice boards of the 1 year Class Rooms.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor.

SEXUAL REDRESSAL:

As education and increasing awareness are the best ways to prevent sexual harassment .The members of sexual redressal committee visited all the classes and informed students about the different aspects of inappropriate gender - based sexual behaviour. Students had many questions and doubts on the topic and these queries were answered/clarified by the committee members.

A questionnaire was distributed among students to find out the level of understanding among students on various issues related to sexual harassment.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas,
Counsellor

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL – E – EVOLVE:

E-Evolve, the Entrepreneurship cell of Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College began its activities for the academic year 2014-2015 with an orientation programme on 2nd September 2014. The Faculty members gave an introduction about E-Cell – Its Inception, Objective, Structure and its Functioning.

The Faculty members of E-Cell are: Ms. Sogara Bi, Dept. of Management Studies, Ms. Suriya Naaz, Dept. of Commerce, Mrs. Prathiba David, Dept. of Commerce, Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Dept. of Computer Science and Mrs. Esther Watson, Dept. of Botany.

E-Leaders also shared their experiences about E-Cell activities. Regular meeting were conducted on alternative Thursdays. During these meetings, various activities were conducted – 50 Rupees Venture, Idea Generation, Inside the Box, Managing E-Store, Inspirational Videos, E-Week videos, Surveys, Warm Up Exercises, Alumni Meet, Entrepreneurial Talks, Motivational Talks, B-Plan, Cost Sheet, Workshops, Documentation, etc.

This has helped students to run their Ventures and E-Store successfully.

- Due to our constant support and encouragement towards our student ventures, two students from our College registered and were nominated for TATA First Dot.
- Ms. Deepa from II B.Com, her venture, CAMOUFLAGE, deals with quilling, paper earrings, bracelets, chains, soft toys etc.
- Ms. Pooja from III B.Com, her venture, MODA deals with hair styling and nail art.

Following are the Student ventures on campus

- BOTTLE ART COMPANY : Founded by Ms. Manjari of II BBM - Her company deals with decoration of bottles of all kinds.
- MODA-TREND ZONE : Founded by Ms. Pooja S of III B.Com - It provides services such as Hair coloring, streaking and also sells homemade face packs.
- MMRK BLOSSOMS :Founded by Ms. Rashabala of III BBM- She makes Artificial flowers, which are a reminiscent of love that can be gifted to your dear ones.
- POLLY'S KRAFTED KART : Founded by Ms. Chandra Jain of III B.Com - Customized Greeting Cards, crafts from recycled materials, personalized gifts etc.
- CAMOUFLAGE : Founded by Ms. Deepa of III B.Com- Handmade products made of crystals, terra cotta and quilling materials.
- GALERI SENI : Founded by Ms. Masira Anjum S.K of III BBM - Deals with Decorative glass paintings, pot paintings and fabric paintings.

TATA First Dot

Our students attended TATA First Dot National Conference powered by National Entrepreneurship Network which was held on 31st January 2015 in Dayanand Sagar College of Engineering. Mr. Shashi Chimala, Executive Vice President, Wadhvani Foundation- National Entrepreneurship Network said, "The TATA First Dot powered by NEN is designed to inspire, build the knowledge, skills and network of hundreds of aspiring student entrepreneurs. It seeks to promote the spirit of entrepreneurship amongst youth. This platform creates opportunities to increase their knowledge, resources and networks to enable them emerge as job creators and not just job seekers. The conference helped students in building an in-depth Entrepreneurial mind set among the students.

WEBINAR

An online conference conducted by National Entrepreneurship Network. Our students Ms. Praneeta Kothagiri and Ms. Neha Saraogi attended Webinar which helped them understand how to conduct E-Week in our premises. This Webinar was conducted on 22nd January 2015. It discussed about the rules to be followed, the important points to be remembered, and the various awards that could be won while conducting E-Week 2015. Webinar makes it easy to create an online seminar, invite, attend and conduct a presentation.

SCHOOL WORKSHOP

The E-Cell members successfully conducted a workshop in Chennamma Memorial School, Mitralaya Middle School and Bharatiya Samskriti Vidyapith for classes Sixth, Seventh, and Tenth.

Students of these schools were taught Calligraphy, Bubble Writing, Quilling, Wealth Out of Waste, Handmade Products such as ribbon, pens, pencils etc, Candle making, Hair Dressing, Tattooing, Greeting Card making and other creative Arts and Crafts.

This highly empowered the school students and generated innovation of ideas.

Students of E-Cell had visited Arpana school during E-Week. These students were taught to make accessories, ribbons, pen, pencils, quilling etc. Our students also distributed snacks.

E-WEEK

E-Week of the College was held from 11th February 2015 – 18th February 2015, with an active participation from students of various departments and other colleges. This year's E-Week motivated them to unleash their hidden talents and improvise their skills in various areas related to the theme "CREATING JOBS FOR MILLIONS"

The Chief Guest Mr. Srinivasan owner of SJS Enterprises pvt. Ltd inaugurated E-Week celebrations. He shared his experience in the field of entrepreneurship which highly inspired our students.

The Student Ventures started by our E-members were officially launched by our Chief Guest and Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar. The E-Cell Magazine was released and the editorial committee of the E-Cell magazine were Ms. Prathika.P, Ms. Lipika Aiyappa B and Ms. Vishnu Chandana AV.

The events included Guest Lecture, Treasure Hunt, Card Making, Best Entrepreneur, Fashion show etc.

We express our sincere thanks to our Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar and our consultant Ms. Chaitali.

**Ms. Sogara Bi and Ms. Suriya Naaz,
Convenors**

ECO-WATCH CLUB:

SERVICES:

- The members of the club got the opportunity to set up an eco-park.
- Concrete benches were repaired in our campus.
- Watering the plants at eco park.
- Planting of new plants in eco park.
- Cleaned the backyard of college.
- Conducted value education sessions on Thursdays - to increase the moral values and ethics. The topics were 1. Mother's Love 2. What is Life? 3. Body Language 4. Behaviours and Manners 5. How to be a good leader

PROGRAMMES:

- We celebrated Green Day and Clean Day with tremendous response from all the students.
- Conducted competitions i.e, cooking without fire, painting, photography, flower arrangement. More than 200 talented students had participated to showcase their talents.
- We celebrated Plantation Day and planted plants and saplings.

TRIPS:

- Our club visited Lalbagh to see the flower show on eve of the Independence Day.
- Visited Gandhi gram to educate students on the use handicrafts.
- Visited Nandi hills, students attended lecture by Mr.Ravi Chandran (Director of Nandhi hills). He led the students in site seeing at Nandi hills.
- Celebrated Eco Day and the prizes distributed to the prize winners

I extend my thanks to the Principal and the co-members Mrs. Sharmila A, Mrs. Powlin SahayaRani and to all the staff members for giving the support that resulted in the successful functioning of all the programmes for the year 2014-2015. My heartfelt thanks to all the club members for their enthusiasm to run the club successfully. We will endeavour to do more in the coming years.

Dr.K Vijaylakshmi,
Convenor

YOUTH RED CROSS SOCIETY:

The Orientation and Installation of the office bearers was held on 7th October 2014. The Chief Guest was Dr. VLS Kumar, National and South Asia Regional Disaster Response Team Member, Indian Red Cross Society.

The college celebrated Independence Day [15th August 2014] and Republic Day [26th January 2015] with great patriotism in the College campus. The salute was taken by the Principal, Staff and students.

A Blood Donation Camp was held on 21st January 2015 in the college campus. This was done in collaboration with the Youth Red Cross Society, Race Course Road, Bangalore. The response was immense and 37 staff and students donated blood.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda & Mr. Hombaiah.
Nodal Officers

LEGAL LITERACY PROGRAMME:

The Legal Literacy Programme for the year 2014- 2015 was organised for II B.Com. students. The main focus of the programme was 'Women and Law'. The resource persons for the programme were the faculty from our sister institution Bishop Cotton Women's Christian Law College.

This legal awareness programme comprised of six sessions. The first session was about the Rights of women under Hindu Personal Law. It included marriage and divorce laws that are followed in different religions and the Special Marriage Act. The second session dealt with Criminal Law. It covered the various crimes against women and legal protection. The third session was on Labour Legislation and Women's Rights at the work place. It included the Directive Principles of State policy, provisions of various legislations relating to women workers, sexual harassment at the work place and the legal remedies. The fourth session was on the topic Domestic Violence. The fifth session was on Criminal Prosecution and Procedural Law. It included hierarchy of criminal courts, their jurisdiction, the filing of an FIR and Charge sheet. The sixth session dealt with Cyber Crimes, Information Technology Act, 2000 and safety measures that can be followed by the individuals in society to prevent crimes.

All the sessions were interactive. The programme made the students aware of women's rights their duties, various legal procedure and legal remedies. It was interesting and informative to the students.

Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam
Convenor

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME- NSS:

1. Inauguration of NSS activities for the academic year.
2. Independence day Celebrations were held on 15th August 2014 with the **Flag** hoisting.
3. Republic Day was celebrated on 26th January 2015.
4. Sharmadhana was held at the college campus on 17th January 2015.
5. A Special Camp was held from 18th February 2015 to 24th February 2015 at Bangalore University: NSS –Bhavan

Ms. Anitha Clarin and Mrs. Leena Karanth A,
Programme Officers.

LAB JOURNAL: - PRISM

The Department of Journalism Lab Journal Prism-Vol: 6 is ready and will be released by the end of the semester.

Mrs. Chaya Anil Kumar
Head, Dept. of Journalism

ROTARACT CLUB:

The office bearers were formally installed by the President and Secretary, SN Gowda on 26th July 2014. The main emphasis of our Rotaract programme was on safety of women. Hence we collaborated with HOLLA BACK, an international organization, which promotes women safety. On the first Sunday of August, our Rotaracters volunteered for the walkathon conducted by CSWB. Basic self defence programme was conducted by Rtr Rajina Shrestha to empower the students of our college. This was followed by conducting a programme for the students of NMKRV College Bangalore on 9th October 2014. In the month of October we conducted a Resume Writing Workshop for our rotaract members. . On 8th January, the IDYE team, rotaract district 3292, Nepal, has visited our campus. In the last week of February, our rotaracters took active part in THE SWACHA BHARAT ABHIYANA programme by Rotary Banashankari 3190 at Kuvempu Park. An Outreach Programme was conducted in Arpana school for special children on 10th February 2015. Children were taught creative activities and snacks were distributed. The programme turned out to be a very sensitizing and touching experience. Few of our rotaracters took part in the polio drive, organized by our parent club, Rotary Banashankari. Few rotaracters were volunteers for NERALUU, an NGO.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran
Coordinator - RCBCWCC

REMEDIAL CLASS:

Remedial Classes were conducted by various departments during class and lunch hours. Faculty members have identified the weak students on their performance in the University Exam and have given assignments and class tests to improve their academic performance. Extra classes have been taken by few staff also.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar
Convenor

CHAPEL SERVICE:

Chapel Service is integrated in the college timetable during the value education hour every Thursday (except on general assembly days) for the Christian students and is open for all interested non-Christian students also.

The Bible says , "Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another-and all the more as you see the day approaching". Hebrew 10:25.

The academic year started with the Communion Service conducted at the beginning of the academic year as well as on the New Year for the Staff and students. The students of each class took turns in conducting the chapel service. The students participated enthusiastically by leading the worship through choruses and hymns. They also shared short reflections and meaningful skits in the worship time. We had interactive session with the students like bible games, short video clippings and quiz.

On 1st September 2014, we welcomed the first year M.com students by conducting a special chapel service

In the beginning of the academic year 2014-2015, the chapel students participated in the Gospel Fest, AGAPE-2014, held in United Mission College. Prizes in group singing and collage were bagged.

On 7th February the students went for the Gospel Fest, 'HEYAH 2015, EL ELYON' which was conducted by Goodwill's college. The students participated in competitions like Western Singing, Vernacular Solo, Choreography, Creative Writing, Dumb Charades, Pictionary and lots more and emerged as winners in it too.

The Chapel Service has been very helpful in gaining Biblical Knowledge and inculcating a sense of responsibility in the Students.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore
Convenor.

GOSPEL FEST:

Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College celebrated its Annual Inter Collegiate Gospel Fest "EXALTED" with the theme 'You are my Witness' on 26th August 2014. The Chief Guest was Rev. Prasanakumar Samuel, Secretary, KCD who shared God's Word with us. Colleges participated in various competitions such as Bible Quiz, My Story, My Witness, Pot – Pourri, Pick and Speak, Singing (Western and Vernacular), Walk the Bible and Choreography. Lunch was provided to all the participants and staff. The overall Winners Prize was bagged by St. Joseph's Arts and Science College.

The Committee would like to place on record its gratitude to the Almighty God, the Principal and the Staff for the support rendered.

Mrs. Prathiba David and Ms. Rita Josephine Eve,
Coordinators

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT OF INDIA – SCM:

The unit was able to register 58 students during the academic year. The students actively participated in the following programmes held throughout the year viz.

- 3-5 June, 2014 the SCM Convenor, Mrs. Sonu Sujit David alongwith 2 students – Ms. Angel Blessy of III B.Com C and Ms. Jemi Clarinta of II B.Com A took part in the National Level Biennial Conference of the SCM held at Aluva, Kerala. The highlight of this conference was a public lecture delivered by Ms. Medha Patkar the internationally famed social activist. We had the privilege of interacting with her.
- On 17th July 2014 our students participated in the peace rally held at Town Hall to protest against the violence and discrimination meted out against the Palestinians.
- A Time for Creation 2014 Service was conducted on 10th October, 2014. The Order of Worship for Sustainable Development was used. Our Principal, Mrs. Esther Prasanakumar, all SCM students and their friends and the some lecturers attended the same. Rev. Sudhakar Joshua, Deputy Director of Ecumenical Christian Centre, Whitefield, Bangalore shared the sermon. SCM South India Regional Conference for Staff & Convenors was held on 5th and 6th December 2014 at the SCM House Bangalore. The SCM Convenor of our College, Mrs. Sonu Sujit David attended the same. Around 30 convenors from different colleges from South India participated in the same.
- Christmas Programme at SCM House, Bangalore was well attended by our students. They also presented choreography for this programme. Our senior friend, Dr. Grace Premila Victor was also present for this programme.

- A 3 day SCM State Level Conference for SCMerS was held in SCM House from 25th to 27th February 2015. Ms. Diana Hoover, Ms. Agnes Peter and Ms. Ammu Aniyar Kunju of I B.Com 'A' participated actively in the same.
- The International Women's Day Celebration was held in the SCM House on 8th March 2015. SCM students – Ms. Mary Diana, Ms. Diana Hoover, Ms. Manasa V and Ms. Ammu sang a special song and Ms. Jemi Clarinta of II B.Com A participated as a singing angel in the play titled, "The World I wish to make".
- SCM Japan visited our college on 20th February 2015 and SCM Germany interacted with us in our campus on 5th March 2015. Both the visits enriched our understanding of their culture and activities in their SCM units. It was a truly rewarding experience.

We thank God Almighty for enabling us to participate in the various activities of the SCM during this academic year. We also thank our Principal and staff who encouraged us in all our endeavours. All glory be to God alone.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David,
Convenor

PLACEMENT CELL AND CAMPUS RECRUITMENT:

- 9th January 2015: Chopras Institute of Professional Education : Presentation on Global Education & Career opportunities
Resource Person: Mr Dileep
Marketing Executive-9742267006
- 28th January 2015 : Kreedo Early Education Centre,# 586,14th cross, J.P Nagar 1st Phase, Bangalore -560078
Contact details: 080-22451535
E Mail- info@kreedology.com
Job Position: Academic trainers/Support Staff

Eligibility: Freshers with a background in Child Psychology /Early Education

Job Profile:

Answering calls from Kreedo schools across India

Helping customers understand various aspects of running a school

Working in school practically

Undergoing Training

10 students have been selected for this.

- March 3rd 2015: Opportunities in Investment Banking: Talk by Vasantha Seshadri,Director – Networks & Relationships
- 12th March 2015: Deutsch Bank Operations International

Job Position: Graduate Trainee Analyst- Under Train & hire Model.

Domain Areas where candidates could be placed: Equity, Forex, Fixed Income, payments, client OnBoarding.25 out of the 45 who appeared were short listed to undergo Training for 3 months. After successful completion of the Training they would be hired by Deutsch Bank .

CTC: 16-17 k Gross salary +shift Allowance+ Incentives+ Annual Bonus (if eligible) +pick Up & Drop Facility

3 Months Investment Banking Training is offered Free of cost.

- Walk In Interviews for B.Com,BBM,M.Com 2015 batches with Min. 55% aggregate

For Job Positions as MIS Analyst, Business Analyst & Marketing in Deutsch Bank, ANZ Grindlays, Jabong etc. between 15th march -27th March 2015. 10 students have evinced interest and will be interviewed for the same.

- 6th March 2015: Q –Source campus Hiring for IBM & Accenture

Team: Mr Rohit Joseph- rohit@qsourceglobal.com
Ms Suhasini and Ms Dhanyashree

Job Profile: I T Help Desk

Position Title: IT service Desk delivery

Qualification: Any stream of Graduation (Technical Background preferred

Compensation Offer: CTC: 1, 96,100-2,23,600

Status – 30 out of 75 who attended were selected for 2nd round

Out of the 30 selected only 17 attended the Client interview

Of this only 3 were selected with Interview scheduled for next week.

1. Megha. J 2. Maria Cindrella B.Com 3. Kritika Ganesh B.A.

Magnaleap Enterprises

Hiring for Content writers, Event Management, Social Media Marketers, Graphic Designers, and Marketing and Research. In the pipeline

Dr. Vijayshri R
Placement Officer

NATIONAL CADET CORPS – NCC:

The Enrollment of students for the year 2014-2015, began on the 16th July with a programme on the overview of NCC BY 1 Karnataka Girls Battalion. The GCI and one PI staff were present for the programme and the GCI highlighted the benefits of NCC and its importance in life.

Students were selected on the basis of their physical fitness through a number of races such as shuttle and sit ups. 30 girls were selected and became a part of the NCC Unit for the year 2013-2014, and attended a number of camps.

Independence Day- on 15th August 2014 along with the NCC Cadets, the NSS Students, union members and the students of BCWCC celebrated Independence Day. Dr. Esther Malini, the Principal-in-charge of the PUC section of the college addressed the gathering.

Hospital Attachment Training Camp (HATC) – This Camp was held from 13th October 2014 to 24th October 2014 at Command Hospital for ten days. Cadet SGT. Simran Mondal participated from our college.

Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) was compulsory for all the cadets. 19 Cadets attended this Camp. The Camp was held from 19th Oct'2014 – 28th Oct'2014 at Doddaballapura Besant Park.

National Integration Camp (NIC) – Held on 18th Dec'2014 – 29th Dec'2014 at Madikeri. Cadet Lochan B. U. (JUO) and Bhuvana (SGT) attended this Camp.

Trekking and Map Reading – Held On 10th Jan'2015 all NCC Cadets undertook a trek to Nandi Hills with PI staff From 1 Kar Girls BN NCC.

NCC Day- The NCC Day is celebrated on the 4th Sunday of the month of November. However, in the college NCC Cadets celebrated NCC Day on 28th November 2014.

Samaranjali- On December 16th, in Glass House, on Raj Bhavan Road, a programme Samaranjali was held in memory of martyrs, who laid down their lives for the country. 10 cadets attended this programme.

Social Service and Community Development Activity- On 16th January 2015, a programme on Swachh Bharath Abhiyaan, Rural Sanitation and Health and Hygiene under Social Service and Community Development Activity were conducted by the NCC ANO and the NCC Cadets of BCWCC.

Place: Gopalapura Village, Nelamangala Taluk.

Republic Day- on 26th January 2014 along with the NCC Cadets, the NSS students Union Members and the students of BCWCC celebrated Republic Day. The Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar addressed the gathering.

All the 20 parades were conducted successfully for the Academic year 2013-2014.

Awards and Prizes for the year:

CATC Camp 1:

- a. Firing 1st place – CPL. Swathi M. (distance 0.2cms)
- b. Rangoli Competition- 1st place SGT. Bhuvana, CPL. Swathi, and LCPL. Monisha and LCPL. Rebeca. Cadet. Madhumitha R. (Theme- Diwali)
- c. Singing- 2nd place JUO. Lochan B.U., and SGT. Shubhashree, LCPL. Lakshmi B.J., LCPL. Rebecca and Cadet Ramya.

NIC CAMP (Karnataka 'A' Group):

- a. Cricket- 1st place JUO. Lochan B.U., SGT. Bhuvana
- b. Throw ball- 2nd place JUO. Lochan
- c. Tug o war- 1st place JUO. Lochan B.U. and SGT. Bhuvana
- d. Individual quiz- 2nd place SGT. Bhuvana represented Karnataka 'A' Group.

BCWCC BEST NCC CADET: JUO. Lochana B.U.

Lt. Bhavya NP,
Associate NCC Officer

ANNUAL INTER-COLLEGIATE LITERARY AND CULTURAL FEST – DISHA

RETRACING FOOTPRINTS

We wish the world had seen Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College on the occasion of their annual inter-collegiate Fest Disha 2014. The theme that Cottonians chose for this year was 'Heritage'. The glory of Indian heritage had been truly showcased everywhere on the campus. From the

wonderful Nagadas to the exquisite kites to the beautifully decorated pots and finely cut puppets and the fantastic rangoli in the portico- everything was tremendously, breathtakingly glorious.

The enthusiasm of the ethnically dressed staff and students was unsurpassed. All aspects of Indian culture had been highlighted- Bengali, Punjabi, Islamic, Maharashtrian, Kannadiga, Assamese, Tamilian, Malayali- everything had come together in a stupendous integration of styles and costumes. A sense of euphoria surrounded the entire college. The chief guests of the inaugural function were Dr Nagabharana and Mrs. Aparna Nagaraj. Both were greatly enthused by the theme “Heritage” and admired the ambience created by staff and students. They emphasized on the importance of our Heritage and advised the audience to never forget their Indian roots.

The first day of “Disha” presented on stage splendid dances from all the states of India. Three events were conducted- Face Painting, Photography, and Costume Presentation. The chief guests for the second day were Mrs. Girija Lokesh and Mrs. Susheela Mehta. They spoke about how our heritage can give us the right “Disha” and the importance of fun and frolic in a student’s life. The events conducted on the second day were Short Play, Indian Music, Mad Ads, Beat boxing, and Fashion Show. Between the various events, many interesting items were presented.

Actor Harsha presided over the most happening event of the fest-The Fashion Show. Over twenty colleges participated in the fest. The Student Welfare Committee which consists of twelve lecturers of the college organized the fest. Its convener Dr Kavitha Jayakaran says “Initially it was difficult to sell the theme to the students, because most of them were skeptical about it. But the Student Council and the other students worked very hard and saw that every minute issue was addressed. I am very glad that this venture was not just novel but also enriching.” The vote of thanks was given by the President of the college Ms. Monisha D. The entire programme ended on a positive note.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran
Convenor, Student Welfare Committee

UGC CENTRE FOR WOMEN’S STUDIES, EMPOWERMENT AND SOCIAL RESEARCH:

Dr. C. Sowrabha participated in the National Conference on Empowering Men to Spearhead Change, organized by Women Empowerment Cell, Kristu Jayanti College, Bangalore 9th February 2015.

Dr. C. Sowrabha and Mrs. H. K. Rathna participated in the Seminar on the occasion of International Women’s Day at Senate Hall, Central College, Bangalore organized by Karnataka State Forum Against Atrocities on Women, CSSEIP and NLSIU, Bangalore on 7th March 2015.

Dr. C. Sowrabha presented a paper on “‘Missing Women’ in the Indian Work Scenario” at Women’s Worlds Congress 2014 held at University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, India on the theme ‘Gender in a Changing World’ from 18th to 20th August 2014.

Dr. C. Sowrabha’s paper titled “‘Missing Women’ in the Indian Work Scenario’ is published in the Journal of Women’s Studies, Volume 6, No. 1, August 2014 (Pp. 18-24) with ISSN No. 2278-9367

The Department in association with UGC Centre for Women’s Studies organized the inaugural function of Certificate Course on ‘Gender Studies’ in collaboration with Indian Social Institute, Bangalore on 10th September 2014. Dr. Prakash Louis, Director, ISI, Mrs. Sagaya Shanti, Course Coordinator, ISI and Principal-in-charge Mrs. Shanta Solomon graced the occasion

Guest Lecture was organized in association with UGC Centre on 'Women Leadership and Motivation' by Prof. Jaya Indiresan, Member of Core Consultative Committee, UGC, New Delhi on 21st January 2015.

International Women's Day celebrations was celebrated during General Assembly on 12th March 2015 with Chief Guest: Dr. Corinne Kumar, El Taller International, Tunis and Vimochana, Bangalore; Special Speaker: Ms. Akkai Padmashali, Ondede, Bangalore and Principal Prof. Esther Prasanakumar graced the occasion

Screening of Documentary Film Show 'Kannadi' on Child Sex Abuse at college on 5th March 2015 which was followed by staff and students in silent protest as 'Women in Black' against atrocities on Women at Caveri Circle, M. G. Road, Bangalore

Dr. C. Sowrabha and Mrs. Sagaya Shanti took the students on a field trip to Bagalur, near Devanahalli on 25th February 2015. They interacted with brick factory workers and migrant workers at water purification units and then visited VISTHAR, NGO, Bangalore

26 February 2015 – Staff and students joined hands with SCEAD Foundation to organize photo exhibition and signature campaign on 'Save Girl Child' on 26th February 2015.

Dr. C Sowrabha,
Director

ENDOWMENT PRIZES **LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS 2014-2015**

| PRIZES | NAMES |
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| J Balamani Krishnappa Memorial Prize: Instituted by (Late) Mrs. Supriya Steele (well-wisher of the College) for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination: I B.A. II B.A. III B.A. | MS. SHERAN LEAH COILPILLAI MS. MARIYA MATHAI MS. SHARON ALFRED |
| Mrs. Grace Moses Prize: Instituted by Mr. Davis Moses for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination: I B.SC. II B.SC. III B.SC. | MS. PUJA RAUNIYAR (CBBT) MS. HAFSA NOORAIN (CHP) MS. SARAH SARWAR (CHP) |
| Rt. Rev. & Mrs. Wharton, Bishop of New Castle, UK, Prize for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination: I B.COM. II B.COM. | MS. ARUNYA JAYARAJAH MS. SWATHI K I |

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| III B.COM. | MS. MONICA M KATARIA |
| Department of Sociology Prize for the best Degree student in Sociology – University Examination: | MS. SHARON ALFRED – III BA |
| Mrs. Elizabeth Joseph Prize: Former Principal of the College and School for the Degree student in Optional English University Examination: | MS. MONICA PAUL – III BA |
| Department of Kannada Prize: Mrs. Maya Devi Gabrani Memorial Prize: Best Performance in I Degree Kannada-University Examination: Best Performance in II Degree Kannada-University Examination: | MS. MARY STELLA A – I B.COM. C MS. KAVYA SHREE C – II B.COM. C |

| PRIZES | NAMES |
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| Department of Hindi Prize: For the students securing highest marks in Hindi-University Examination Mr. Suresh Jain Prize – I Degree Mr. Shyam Gabrani Prize – II Degree | MS. PRAMILA KUMAR – I B.COM. MS. ARUNA KUMAR – II B.COM. |
| Dr. Elizabeth S Thomas Prize: Former Principal of the College for the best Degree students in Home Science – University Examination | MS. SARAH SARWAR – III B.SC. – CHP |
| Mr. S D Mark Memorial Prize: For the student who has scored highest marks in Botany – University Examination: | MS. KASHIFA SULTANA A – III B.SC. |
| Mrs. Geetha Dua Prize: Former Commerce student (I Batch) for the best III Degree B.Com. student – University Examination: | MS. MONICA M KATARIA – III B.COM. |
| Former Students' Association Prize: For the student who has studied both PUC and Degree in the College and has been consistent in studies: | MS. SHWETA N – III B.COM. C |
| Mrs. Meenakshi Ramamurthy Memorial Prize: For the best Psychology Degree student of III Degree – University Examination: | MS. SARAH SARWAR – III B.SC. |
| Department of History Prize: (Late)Ms. Sanghita Sen Memorial Prize for the student who has secured the highest marks in | |

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| History – University Examination: | MS. MENOTE U SARAH – III BA |
| Department of Economics Prize: Instituted by Ms. B G Jyothi, Head, Dept. of Economics of the College for the best Degree student in III BA Economics: | MS. BABLI – III BA |

| PRIZES | NAMES |
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| Department of Commerce Prize: Instituted by Mrs. Sujatha Purohit, former faculty member of the College, for the top scorer in Income Tax: | MS. DIVYA RAGHU –III B.COM MS. RANJANA S – III B.COM. |
| Mr. Mathew Philip Memorial Prize: For the student securing highest marks in III BBM: | MS. AMITA KARKI |
| Mr. Mehboob Shariff Memorial Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in III BCA: | MS. ANISHA G |
| Dr. and Dr. (Mrs) Gemson Prize: For the best Degree student in Mathematics – University Examination: | MS. GOKILA S – III B.SC. |
| Picasso Animation College, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in B.Sc. Computer Science – University Examination: | MS. SHARMADA M V |
| Universal Coaching Centre, Bangalore for IAS/ KAS aspirants Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Political Science – University Examination: | MS. MENOTE U SARAH |
| CITO Infotech Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Chemistry – University Examination: | MS. KASHIFA SULTANA A |
| IBS, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Advanced Financial Accounting – University Examination: | MS. KAUSER FATHIMA – III B.COM. |
| Supreme Universe International Travel Agent & Tour Organisers Special Prize: | |

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| For the student who has scored the highest marks in Journalism – University Examination: | MS. MONICA P |
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| PRIZES | NAMES |
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| GEMS – B School and MMIHE, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Accountancy (BBM) – University Examination: | MS. AMITA KARKI – III BBM |
| M N Sports, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Biotechnology – University Examination: | MS. KASHIFA SULTANA A |
| G S Holidays, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in Physics – University Examination: | MS. GOKILA S – III B.SC. |
| Sri Raksha Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in Auditing (B.Com.)-University Examination: | MS. NAYEEM TAJ – III B.COM. |

SPECIAL AWARDS – 2015

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| Best Out Going Students: B A B Sc B Com BBM BCA M COM | Ms. Shruthi P S Ms. Hafsa Noorain Ms. Pooja S – Sec B Ms. Tejaswi G Ms. Saranya V Ms. Vindhya |
| All Rounder: B A B Sc/BCA B Com BBM M COM | Ms. Nissi Thapa Ms. Rajina Shresta Ms. Angel Blessy K – Sec. C Ms. Elvina Mathew Ms. Priyanka |
| Best in Co-curricular Activities: III B CA II M COM | Ms. Sneha D Ms. Afsiya Afzal |
| Best Class: | III B.Com C Class Teachers: Mrs. Powlin Sahaya Rani Mrs. Rachel Joshua |
| Best Prefect: | Ms. Shruthi P S |

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| Best Sports Woman: | Ms. Roopashree P – III B Com - C |
| NSS Student | Ms. Saranya V – III BCA |
| E-Cell Leader: | Ms. Pooja S – III B.Com B |
| Rotaractor: | Ms. Rajina Shresta – III B Sc |
| Eco – Club: | Ms. Bushra M – III B Com – A |
| SCM: | Ms. Angel Blessy – III B Com – C |
| Youth Red Cross Society Volunteer: | Ms. Angel Blessy – III B Com – C |
| Chapel Prefect: | Ms. Elvina Mathew – III BBM |
| News Board: | III B Com – B Class Teachers: Mrs. Prathiba David Mrs. Aiswarya S |
| Bulletin Board: | Department of Journalism |
| Leadership Award: | Ms. D Monisha – III B Com – A |

BISHOP COTTON WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN COLLEGE BANGALORE

ANNUAL REPORT 2013 - 2014

Hon'ble Chief Guest Most Rev. Dr. G Dyvasirvadham, Moderator, CSI Synod, Rev. Prasanakumar Samuel, Secretary, Karnataka Central Diocese and Presbyter Incharge, CSI Divya Shanthi Church, Heads of Institutions, Distinguished Guests, Donors of the Endowment Prizes, Members of the Academic and Non-teaching Fraternity and my dear graduating students.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

I deem it a pleasure and the privilege to present to you the achievements, accomplishments and honours of our institution for the academic year 2013-2014 through this Annual Report. The past year has been one where we have taken a giant leap towards achieving our goals and aspirations which were formed in the year passed and we are proud to say that they have now been achieved. Our success can be attributed to a strong focus on achieving excellence in learning and enhancing our team strengths.

Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College has a reputation of constantly scaling new heights in the field of education and expanding our horizons to achieve an all inclusive growth as well as enabling our students to fulfill the requirements of present day society by becoming leaders of the future through excellence in education. Our students are thus empowered to achieve success in the corporate world, be it in pursuit of higher education or corporate management. They are thus placed in the elite echelons of society with empowerment, confidence and equality,

Dear graduating students, I wish you Gods blessings as you step out into the real world of opportunities

Our college has always honed our teaching skills to ensure that we met all the criteria of the most demanding values as per the requirements of National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), New Delhi. Following the accreditation process in 2008 where we were graded with an A grade we went through the process of re accreditation in the month of March 2014. The staff – both teaching and non teaching went through extensive hours of hard work to ensure that we continued to excel and obtain the highest valuation. We also have plans to expand our present infrastructure to meet the best standards of educational facilities.

By way of expansion and growth we have introduced the Post Graduate Degree in Commerce this year. Certificate courses to enhance the focus on job orientation and value added skills to offer better job opportunities at the entry level are conducted on a regular basis. The placement cell offers advice and job opportunities for our fresh graduates by organizing

Placement Interviews in leading companies. Students are constantly updated about the ever changing market place and opportunities to match the required standards.

At this juncture, I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate 02 outstanding students of our college who have excelled in the Bangalore University Examinations and have brought laurels not only to the college but also their parents and well-wishers.

- ❖ Ms. Anusha G who secured the I Rank in B.A. – HEP securing 08 Awards in the Bangalore University Examination.
- ❖ Ms. Saira Bano who secured a Gold Medal in Home Science.

Dear Anusha and Saira, we are indeed very proud of your achievements and wish you all the best in your future endeavours. God bless you.

I would like to place on record the contributions of the various clubs and committees of the college – to name a few - The Student Christian Movement of India, the Rotaract Club, Y-Young Women's Christian Association, the National Service Scheme (NSS), the National Cadet Corps (NCC), the Eco Watch Club and outreach programmes which encourage our students to participate in programmes which equip them with skills for holistic and value based all round development.

| STUDENT STRENGTH (3 YEARS) | | RESULT (FINAL YEAR) | |
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| Arts | 220 | Arts | 80% |
| Science | 110 | Science | 68% |
| Commerce | 689 | Commerce | 79% |
| BBM | 140 | BBM | 82% |
| BCA | 120 | BCA | 95% |

HIGHLIGHTS OF FACULTY HONOURS:

The following staff successfully completed the following degrees:

| Name | Dept | Degree | Topic |
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| Mrs. Kamal Harnal | Hindi | Ph.D. | Sahasranaam Ke Sandarbh Mein Jaap Sahib Ka Vivechan, Jalandhar University – October 2013 |
| Mrs. Yallina Thomas | Counselling | M.Phil. | A Study on the Relationship Between Stress and Achievement Motivation among Adolescent College students, Sri Venkateshwara University, April 2009. |

- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Department of Journalism has enrolled for her Ph.D. in Bangalore University.
- Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head, Department of Management Studies enrolled for his Ph.D. in Bangalore University.

STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS:

Seminars/Workshops/Guest Lectures ATTENDED:

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH:

- Mrs. Shantha Solomon – Principal in charge – attended
 1. The Principals' Managers Correspondents' meet at Kotagiri, Tamil Nadu on 13th and 14th September 2013. It was a time taken off from routine duties to introspect and also to discuss in an open and objective way the mission of our institutions. It was also a time to strengthen the bonds of fellowship to serve the almighty together and build his Kingdom.
 2. A Principal's Meet on "Leveraging Technology to Pursue Creativity : Excellence in the 21st Century Institutions" on 4th April 2014 organised by EDU in association with ADOBE.
- Mrs. Esther Prasanakumar – attended the Principals' Managers Correspondents' meet at Kotagiri, Tamil Nadu on 13th and 14th September 2013. It was a time taken off from routine duties to introspect and also to discuss in an open and objective way the mission of our institutions. It was also a time to strengthen the bonds of fellowship to serve the almighty together and build his Kingdom.
- Mrs. Vasudha Pansare – attended a symposium on "Rationality, Superstition and Democracy – Negotiating the Anti Superstition Bill of Karnataka" on 28th February 2014 at St. Joseph's College of Commerce, Bangalore.
- Mrs. Leena Karanth A – attended a National Level Seminar on "Women's Empowerment" at Kristu Jayanthi College, Bangalore and a Symposium on "Rationality, Superstition and Democracy" at St. Joseph's College, Bangalore.
- Mrs. Sonu Sujit David – attended a Writers Workshop conducted by United Theological College, Bangalore in the month of July 2013. The Resource Person was Dr. Etienne Ressandran, Head, Post Graduate Department of English, St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science, Bangalore and 'Reading Myths' – a seminar conducted by Jyothi Nivas College, Post Graduate Department of English on 15th February 2014. The Resource Persons were Dr. Sumithra Chakravarthy (Jain University) and Dr. Sindhu J (Bangalore University).
- Mrs. Suvina Benjamin – attended a symposium on "Rationality, Superstition and Democracy – Negotiating the Anti Superstition Bill of Karnataka" on 28th February 2014 at St. Joseph's College of Commerce, Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI:

- Dr. Kamal Harnal – attended a guest lecture at St. Joseph's College of Commerce on 11th January 2014 and delivered a guest lecture on the subject 'Bhartendu'

DEPARTMENT OF KANNADA:

- Dr. S Manonmani – Head of the Department - attended a UGC sponsored National Seminar on – "Current Trends and Challenges in teaching Languages" on 11th February 2013 organised by St. Joseph's Evening College, Bangalore and attended a UGC sponsored State Level Seminar on – "Bhakthiya Jothegina Anusandana" on 2nd March 2013 organised by VVS First Grade College, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS:

- Ms. Jyothi B G – Head of the Department - attended a one day workshop on "Market Behaviour and Cost Analysis" on 23rd August 2013 at St. Claret College, Bangalore.
- Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam – attended a UGC sponsored State Level Seminar on the topic "Water Co-operation, Conservation and Management Issues and Challenges in the 21st Century" held on 6th and 7th August 2013 organised by the Social Sciences Forum, Jyothi Nivas College (Autonomous), Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE:

- Ms. Hemalatha M S – attended a seminar on Democracy in Transition, Issues and Trends in the month of September 2013 and attended a National Level Multi-disciplinary seminar on "Impact of Globalization on Indian Democracy" in the month of October 2013.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY:

- Ms. Rathna H K – attended seminars as listed below:
 - 1) A two day seminar on 'Violence and Women' at Indian Social Institute on 3rd and 4th July 2014
 - 2) A two day UGC sponsored State Level Seminar at Jyothi Nivas College on 6th and 7th August 2013.
 - 3) A one day seminar at Mount Carmel College on 17th August 2013.
 - 4) A one day orientation programme at BNM College on 3rd October 2013.
 - 5) A one day workshop at KASIA, Vijayanagar on 23rd November 2013
 - 6) A two day National Level Seminar at Indian Social Institute on 5th and 6th December 2013.

- 7) A three day seminar on Training on Gender Sensitization at Indian Social Institute from 31st January to 2nd February 2014.
 - 8) A National seminar at Christ University on 12th March 2014.
 - 9) A one day workshop at Christ University on 17th March 2014.
- Dr. Sowrabha C – attended the following workshop.
 - 1) A UGC sponsored State Level Seminar on Water Co-operation Conservation and Management: Issues and Challenges in the 21st century at Jyoti Nivas College (Autonomous) Bangalore on 6th August 2013.
 - 2) A workshop on Human Rights in Minority Institutions at Mount Carmel College on 17th August 2013.
 - 3) A workshop on Gender Sensitization at Indian Social Institute on 31st January and 1st February 2014.
 - 4) An ICSSR sponsored National Seminar on Poverty and Social Exclusion on 12th March 2014 at Christ University.
 - 5) A workshop on Engaging Social Sciences in the 21st century – Curriculum, Research, Pedagogy and Practice on 17th March 2014 at University.

DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM:

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar – Head of the Department – participated and presented:

- A Research paper titled “From Depletion to Restoration – Impact of PR and Social Media in Citizen Initiative” campaigns in the National Conference on ‘Waste Management towards sustainable development in the Indian context’ at Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College for Women supported by Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Centre for Sustainable Technologies, IISc and Karnataka State Pollution Control Board on 24th and 25th January 2014. Her presentation secured the first prize at the seminar.
- A Research paper titled “Role of Public Relations in the Popularity of TV Serials: An Analysis” in the National Conference on ‘Commercialisation of Media and Public Communication’ organised by the Department of Journalism, Acharya Institute of Graduate Studies on 30th and 31st January 2014.
- A Research paper titled “Our Women- Our Pride: Let us not disrespect her: An Analysis of Coverage of Women Issues in Print and Electronic Media” in the National Conference on ‘Contemporary Media Issues and Themes’ organised by the Department of Journalism, Garden City College on 23rd October 2013.
- A Research paper titled ‘Ethics in Advertisements in India’ in the National Seminar on ‘Media Ethics and Social Responsibility’ by the Department of Journalism, St. Joseph’s College on 29th and 30th November 2013.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE:

- Ms. Porkodi S – attended a workshop on “Reorientation of IV Semester syllabus for B.Com. students at SSMRV College on 8th February 2014.
- Ms. Jenifer Soniya S - attended a workshop on “Reorientation of IV Semester syllabus for B.Com. students at SSMRV College on 8th February 2014.
- Mrs. Rachel Joshua – attended a one day workshop on Re-orientation of the syllabus for the IV Semester B.Com. students at SSMRV College of Bangalore University on 8th February 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

- Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head of the Department attended a Faculty Development Programme on Financial Case Studies and Analysis at RV Institute of Management Studies on 10th October 2013.
- Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond – attended :
 - 1) A seminar on “Stock Market” at Stock Market Institute on 18th August 2013.
 - 2) A seminar on “Capital Market” at Bangalore Stock Exchange on 05th November 2013.
 - 3) A one day workshop on revised syllabus for BBM (BU) on 20th July 2013 at Maharani’s College of Arts, Commerce and Management.
 - 4) A one day National Level Faculty Development Programme on ‘Effective Costing Techniques’ on 22nd February 2014 at Acharya Business B School and a one day workshop on the revised syllabus for III Semester Management Studies students at Maharani’s College on 22nd February 2014.
- Ms. Sogara Bi – attended:
 - 1) A Faculty Development Programme on Commodity Market and Derivative Trading held on 28th and 29th November 2013 organised by IIM, Bangalore
 - 2) A one day National Level Faculty Development Programme – workshop on Effective Costing Techniques held on 22nd February 2014 organised by Acharya Business B School.
 - 3) A one day workshop on revised syllabus for III Semester Management Studies students organised by Maharani’s Arts, Commerce and Management College for Women on 20th July 2013.
 - 4) TATA first Dot National Conference held at RV College of Engineering, Bangalore on 15th and 16th February 2014.
 - 5) A seminar on “Stock Market” at Stock Market Institute on 18th August 2013.
 - 6) A seminar on “Capital Market” at Bangalore Stock Exchange on 05th November 2013.
- Mrs. Rebecca Theodore – attended:
 - 1) A National Conference for ‘Inspiring Higher Education in Institutions for Nation Building Opportunities and Challenges’ in Christ College conducted by AIACHE held from 1st to 3rd May 2013.
 - 2) A one day National Level Faculty Development Programme on ‘Effective Costing Techniques’ held on 22nd February 2014 at Acharya Business B School, Bangalore

- 3) A one day workshop on revised syllabus for III Semester Management Studies students, Bangalore University organised by the Maharani's Arts, Commerce and Management College for Women held on 20th July 2013.
- 4) A seminar on "Stock Market" at Stock Market Institute on 18th August 2013.
- 5) A seminar on "Capital Market" at Bangalore Stock Exchange on 05th November 2013.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS:

- Dr. Muniraja G, Head of the Department attended a conference on "Integrable Systems" at Bharathidasan University, Thiruchirapalli in the month of February 2014.
- Mrs. LathaRani Shashikumar – attended a UGC sponsored National Conference on 'Emerging Trends in Advanced Mathematics' conducted by Jyothi Nivas College (Autonomous) on 6th and 7th February 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS:

- Ms. Anitha Clarin – attended:
 - 1) A workshop on the VI Semester syllabus for B.Sc. students at KLE College, Bangalore on 12th and 13th September 2013.
 - 2) A workshop on the V Semester syllabus at RBANMs College, Bangalore on 16th February 2013.
 - 3) A workshop on 'Atmospheric Physics and Material Science' at Vishveshwarapura College, Bangalore on 19th and 20th February 2013.
 - 4) A workshop on Computational Physics at Vijaya College, Bangalore on 12th and 13th November 2013.
 - 5) Physics Forum Member – revising of question paper.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY:

- Dr. Jacqueline TR – Head of the Department attended:
 - 1) A one day workshop on blow up of V and Vi Semester Chemistry syllabus at Central College, Bangalore University, Bangalore organised by the Department of Studies in Chemistry and Chemistry Teachers' Forum on 7th January 2014.
 - 2) A two day Science Academics' Lecture workshop on 'Spectroscopy' on 28th February and 1st March 2014 organised by the Department of Chemistry, Christ University in association with the Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY:

- Mrs. Esther Watson – Head of the Department attended:
 - 1) A two day workshop on Solid Waste Management at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women, Bangalore on 24th and 25th January 2014.
 - 2) A one day workshop on the discussion of the VI Semester new syllabus at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women, Bangalore on 22nd February 2014.

- 3) A one day workshop at TATA Consultancy First .com at RV College of Engineering on 15th February 2014.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY:

- Mrs. Sharmila A – Head of the Department attended a workshop on the topic “Bioinformatics” at Maharani Ammanni College for Women, Bangalore on 14th and 15th February 2014.
- Mrs. Susanna P – attended the following workshops:
 - 1) A two day interdisciplinary National Conference on “Waste Management towards Sustainable Development in Indian Context” on 24th and 25th January 2014 at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women, Bangalore
 - 2) A workshop on “Biodiversity, Indigenous Knowledge and Biotechnology” held at Ammanni College, Bangalore on 9th November 2013.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE:

- Mrs. Reeja Esther – attended the following workshops:
 - 1) A National Level Workshop on “Revised Methodology 2012 in Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC” at M S Ramaiah College of Arts, Science and Commerce on 16th April 2013.
 - 2) A National Conference on Inspiring Higher Education Institutions for Nation Building Opportunities and Challenges at Christ University from 1st to 3rd May 2013.
- Ms. Manjula – attended the following:
 - 1) A National Seminar on “Academic and Technical Report Writing” held on 27th and 28th September 2013 at Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Vaishnav College (Autonomous), Chennai.
 - 2) A National Level Workshop on “Revised Methodology 2012 in Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC” on 16th April 2013 at MS Ramaiah College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Bangalore.

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE:

Mrs. Rose Francis P – the librarian attended –

- 1) A one day UGC sponsored National Seminar on ‘Empowered Women Leading Change – Myth to Reality’ on 25th October 2013 at Krishnu Jayanthi College, Bangalore.
- 2) A two day UGC sponsored National Conference on ‘The Role of Libraries in the Information Era’ at Jyothi Nivas College on 17th and 18th February 2014.

SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS/GUEST LECTURES CONDUCTED BY FACULTY:

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE:

Seminars for the I B.A. I and II Semester students on the topics:

- 1) Rights – kinds of Rights and Human Rights with special reference to Rights of Children, Women, Minorities and Disadvantaged Sections.
- 2) Market Socialism – challenges to Socialism, Debate over end of ideology.

Seminars for III B.A. V and VI Semester students on the topics:

- 1) Budget – Meaning, Nature and Principles of Budget – Budgetary Process, Preparation, Enactment and Execution of Budget.
- 2) Electoral Reforms – Electronic Voting Machines and Voter ID Cards.

DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM:

An inter class seminar and PPT presentation related to the syllabus and current affairs was conducted. The Best presentation from each class won a prize.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY:

A Guest Lecture on the topic “A Simple Method of Managing Urban Waste” was conducted by the department on 28th February 2014. The Resource Person was Dr. H C Prakasha, Professor, Soil and Agricultural Chemistry, College of Agriculture, GKVK, Bangalore.

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GUEST LECTURES DELIVERED BY FACULTY:

- Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head, Department of Hindi delivered a guest lecture at Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, Southern Region, Bangalore on World Hindi Day on the topic – Philosophy of Kabirdas and its impact on Society on 12th February 2014.

He was also invited by Baldwin Women's Methodist College as a guest speaker for a Hindi Seminar on 19th March 2014.

- Mr. R Praveen Kumar, Head, Department of Management Studies conducted a Seminar on 'Modern Approaches to Marketing' at the United Mission Degree College on 23rd October 2013.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY:

- Mrs. Kamal Harnal, Part Time Faculty, Department of Hindi presented a paper on 'Literature and Culture' at the UGC sponsored State Level Seminar on 7th and 8th February 2014 at B M S College, Bangalore
- Ms. Manjula, Faculty, Department of Computer Science presented a paper on "Education Methodology Incorporate with ICT" during a National Conference on Information Technology and Higher Education (Possibilities and Challenges) at St. Anne's College, Bangalore.
- Dr. Sowrabha C, Part Time Faculty, Department of Sociology presented papers as listed below:
 - 1) At the UGC sponsored National Seminar on 24th and 25th October 2013 at BMS College for Women, Bangalore. Topic : Women in Service Sector: Challenges and Opportunities and the paper presented was on the topic Women Entrepreneurship: A Sociological Analysis.
 - 2) Moderator for a session during the same event on 24th October 2013.
 - 3) Presented a paper on 'Women Employment in Organised Sector in India' at a National Conference organised by Indian Sociological Sector at KSOU, Mysore.

POSITIONS HELD AT UNIVERSITY AND STATE LEVEL BY FACULTY:

- Mrs. Shantha Solomon – Principal –in-charge and Head of the Department of English -
 - 1) Board of Studies, Jyothi Nivas College, Bangalore
 - 2) Chief Custodian, General and Additional English Valuation, Bangalore University.
 - 3) Chief Editor, Women's Studies Journal.
 - 4) Treasurer and Member, Board of Management, Trinity Hostel.
- Mrs. Vasudha Pansare, Faculty, Department of English set question papers for the Bangalore University Examinations.
- Dr. Manonmani S, Head, Department of Kannada –
 - 1) Member, Board of Studies and Board of Examiners, Bangalore University.

- 2) Evaluator, M.Phil./ Ph.D. Thesis, Mumbai University.
 - 3) Member, Board of Examiners, CMR College, Bangalore
 - 4) Evaluator, KPSC Examinations.
- Mr. Hombaiah, Faculty, Department of Kannada – was the Assistant Custodian for the Valuation of the Bangalore University Examination papers in April/May 2013 wherein the College was selected as one of the valuation centres.
 - Mrs. Hemalatha, Faculty, Department of Political Science - was the Assistant Custodian for the Valuation of the Bangalore University Examination papers in April/May 2013 wherein the College was selected as one of the valuation centres.
 - Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Department of Psychology –
 1. Chief Coordinator for revision of UG Syllabus 2011-12
 2. Member, Board of Examiners – 2008 and 2012
 3. Examiner – KAS 2010, 2011 (Main)
 4. Jain University – Dissertation Evaluation and PG Examiner for PG paper setting and valuation.
 - Dr. Renuka Paul, Faculty, Department of Psychology is part of the Syllabus Team, Bangalore University – Practical Manual for all 3 years of the BA and B.Sc. course.
 - Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Department of Journalism is the Examiner for Examinations – October 2013 and has set I B.A. Journalism question paper for NMKRV College for Women, Bangalore
 - Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed, Head, Department of Commerce conducted a viva for Mount Carmel College BBM Students on 17th March 2014 and also conducted a viva voce for BBM Students of Shri Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain College on 4th April 2014.
 - Mrs. Suja D Shanthi, Head, Department of Computer Science –
 - 1) Paper setter for CMRIT, April/May 2013 for BCA examinations
 - 2) Paper setter for Bangalore University, November/December 2013 for the BCA examinations
 - 3) Paper setter for Bangalore University, November/December 2013 for the B.Sc. examinations.
 - Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Faculty, Department of Computer Science is the paper setter for the April/May 2013 for CMRIT, Bangalore.
 - Dr. Sowrabha C, Part Time Faculty, Department of Sociology –
 - 1) Member, Board of Studies, Jyothi Nivas College (Autonomous) – 2013-2014
 - 2) Member, Examination Committee, Jyothi Nivas College, Bangalore

3) Member, II PUC Text Book Committee, KSEB – 2013-2014

- Mrs. Leena Jyotsna Raymond and Ms. Sogara Bi, Faculty, Department of Management Studies, worked as Associate Custodian in Bangalore University, Evaluation Unit of the college.
- Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Head of the Department of Hindi attended the Board of Studies Meeting at Jain University as an external member on 5th April 2014.
- Dr. Grace Premila Victor, Head, Department of Home Science was a member of the Board of Examiner for Bangalore University for the year 2013-14
- Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Faculty, Department of Home Science is a member of the Board of Studies at Mount Carmel College.
- Ms. Porkodi S and Ms. Jenifer Soniya S, Faculty, Department of Commerce worked as OMR verifiers in the Bangalore University Evaluation Unit of Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College.

PUBLICATIONS BY FACULTY:

- Dr. Manonmani S, Head, Department of Kannada published a book on "Basavanna Mattu YesuKristha". The publishers were Sri Murughamatt, Dharwad.
- Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Department of Psychology published a paper "The Impact of Electronic Communication on Inter – Personal Relationship of Adolescent Girls" in the journal of Women's Studies Vol. 5, No. 1 (ISSN No.- 2278-9357) – August 2013.
- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Department of Journalism published the following:
 1. Research paper titled " Our Women – Our Pride: let us not disrespect her – an analysis of coverage of women issues in print and electronic media", presented at Garden City College, will be published in the journal 'Media Matters" – ISSN No.:2249-2550.
 2. Article – 'Portrayal of Women in Advertisements' was published in the journal of Women's Studies. ISSN No. 2278-9367
 3. Publication of Research Article titled 'Addition to Social-Media Teen's Syndrome' will be published in proceeding book with ISBN No. (under print at Ujjire.)
- Ms. Sogara Bi, faculty, Department of Management Studies published the following:
 1. International Journal of Business Economics and Management Research – Job Satisfaction in Educational Institutions, Vol IV issues 5-6 (May to June 2013)

2. International Forum of Research Studies and Academician – Low Volatility Stocks Anomaly in Indian Nifty Market (Vol – 3 issue – 2 June 2013)
- Dr. Sowrabha C, Part Time Faculty, Department of Sociology published the following:
 - 1) Women Entrepreneurship: A Sociological Analysis in Women Service Sector: Career Opportunities and Challenges, NSWSSCOC – 2013, PP.32-44(ISBN No:978-93-819792-6-6)
 - 2) Women and Micro Finance in Journal of Women's Studies, Vol 5(1), 2013, BCWCC, Bangalore PP.14-19 ISSN No.2278-9367

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION BY FACULTY:

- Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Department of Psychology gave academic consultation on :
 1. Member of Core Committee of Experts for Government of Karnataka, Department of Collegiate Education, Skill Training Programme for UG Student (2011-2012)
 2. Conducted "Certificate Course in Barefoot Counselling" for the students of Surana College, Bangalore
 3. Invited as a Motivational Speaker in 5 Colleges.
- Dr. Renuka Paul, Faculty, Department of Psychology conducted a 15 hour Certificate Course for Psychology students in "Barefoot Counselling Skills" in Surana College, Bangalore.
- Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Department of Journalism gave a Radio Talk on 'Social Media and Social Responsibility' on 25th March 2014 in All India Radio (Vanitha Vihara)
- Dr. Grace Premila Victor, Head, Department of Home Science trained YWCA workers (05) in income generating activities. The resource persons were II BA students

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

ENGLISH:

Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Head of the department took over as the Principal-in-charge in May 2013.

The NAAC Peer Team visited the College for re accreditation on 6th, 7th and 8th March 2014. Department put up a Street Play "The Hand That Rocks The Cradle" as part of the cultural programme for the NAAC Peer Team which was highly appreciated.

The III Year B A students put up a departmental Bulletin Board on the topic 'Post – Colonial African Literature'.

KANNADA – SRUJANA KANNADA SANGHA:

Language is the only media where the students can learn moral courage, self esteem and understand the surrounding world with the virtues of life, and realize their abilities, skills and creativity. The Department of Kannada, every year conducts a variety of programmes to uphold the language and culture of Karnataka.

The Department conducted 'Kannada Naadu-Nudi Habba' on 9th and 10th April 2014. The programme was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Dr. Byramangala Rame Gowda, Professor of Kannada a well known critic and president – College Kannada Lecturers' Association, Bangalore University. He spoke on the Role of Students in upholding the Traditional and Cultural Heritage of Karnataka and about the importance of language in moulding our lives. We had a Special Guest Smt. Dr. Nanda as a judge for the various events.

The programme began with Naada Geethe, followed by Sathyaveda Vachana, Swaagatha Nrithya, Deepa Nrithya and Welcome Speech. The Department proudly felicitated the Bangalore University B.A. Degree I Rank winner, Ms. Anusha G by presenting her 'Smarana Phalaka'. Students participated in Classical Dance, Namma Karnataka (PPT), Group Dance and Fashion Show.

Srujanaathmaka Baraha (Prabanda, Kathe, Kavana), Varna Chithra/Rekha Chithra, Charche, Melangi Vinyasa, Kai Ruchi, Mukha Vaada Tayaarike, Samootha Gaana, Hastha Kale and Rasaprashne competitions were held on 9th April 2014. Students took part enthusiastically in all the events.

On 23rd April 2014, the Department organised a Guest Lecture on – 'Role of Advertisements in Media' by Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Department of Journalism of our College.

The Department displayed a Bulletin Board on the theme 'Prakruthi'

Ms. Swathi KI, II B.Com., secured the highest marks in the Bangalore University I and II Semester Kannada Examinations.

HINDI:

The department organised a guest lecture was delivered by Sri Parmanand Sharma for the I B.Com. A and B Section students on the topic "Samudra Langhan" Tulsidas on 10th February 2014.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, the Head of the Department was invited by the following colleges as a Chief Guest for Hindi Divas.

- Garden City College, Bangalore on 13th September 2013
- Amar Jyothi PU College, Bangalore on 13th September 2013.
- GRV Business Management Academy, Bangalore on 26th September 2013.
- Seshadripuram Institute of Commerce and Management on 30th October 2013.
- On Independence Day i.e., 15th August 2013 he was invited by Hukmichand Khincha Hindi Bal Niketan, Bangalore.

He also delivered a talk on 'Hindi as a National Language and a language of Communication by the Common Man' in the country on 14th September 2013. This was relayed by the Doordarshan Chandana Channel, Bangalore at 8.00 p.m. on the day.

On 2nd February 2014 he was invited by Anand Kurnal of super 30 group to address the students at Patna. The talk was also published in the Hindi daily 'Prabhat Khabar', Patna on 5th January 2014.

Student Achievements:

The students of the department attended an inter collegiate fest at St. Joseph's College of Commerce, Bangalore and took part in various events as listed below

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| I Place | Shabd Shampada | Ms. Arsheem Firdose Ms. Chanchal N | II B Com A II B Com A |
| II Place | Hindi Quiz | Ms. Sonal Yadav Ms. Pooja Bist | II B Com B II B Com B |
| II Place | Hindi Creative Writing | Ms. Neha Kumari | II B Com A |
| III Place | Debate | Ms. Neha Kumari | II B Com A |

The College won the rolling trophy for the year 2013-14

Students participated an inter collegiate fest at Shri. Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain College, Jayanagar, Bangalore. Ms. Sonal Yadav, II B Com B and Ms. Neha Kumari, II B Com A won the second prize in debate at the fest.

The college celebrated Hindi Divas for the students and the following inter class competition were conducted by the department viz., Sundar Kand Recitation, Debate, Solo Singing, Mehendi, Quiz, Creative Writing, Group Dance and Dumb Charades. Approximately 225 students participated in the various events

TAMIL:

The year 2013-2014 saw many Sri Lankan students who opted for Tamil as their II Language get admission into the College.

With these dynamic Tamil students, the Department conducted Oratorical and Singing competitions on Bharathiar's songs.

A PPT presentation on the activities of the department over the past 05 years was done by the students and presented to the NAAC Peer Team members when they visited the college on 6th March 2014.

The students did projects on 'Kalmaram', 'Oru Magal' Oru Magan – a Tamil novel.

The Department conducted Tamil Vizha on 15th April 2014. The Chief Guest for the day was Mr. J E Khaleel Ahmed, Head, Department of Commerce of our college. Prizes were distributed for all the competitions conducted by the Department.

This year, the Department introduced a Special Award to encourage students viz., 'Muthamizh Selvi'. This year this prize has been awarded to Ms. Harini Shivalingam of II B.A.

The Best Tamil Student Award has been given to Ms. Uthranjaini Pusparaj of I BBM.

The Department is proud to place on record that Ms. Vyshnavi, I BBM and Ms. Uthranjaini, I BBM have secured 96% and 95% respectively in the I Semester Bangalore University Examinations and the department secured overall 100% results in the examinations.

FRENCH:

During the first semester, apart from the semester syllabus, the students were given reading opportunities of material other than the course syllabus in the form of comprehension passages and dialogues in real life situations, both written and oral. The Bulletin Board gave the latest information with regard to several events associated with French culture, films, plays or learning and examination opportunities here in India or abroad.

The second semester started with the French Fest at Mount Carmel College called Franco-Feel. May students participated in various activities. A class quiz was held in February 2014 on various facets of French life and culture. A French crossword event was organised in the classroom. A few songs were also taught. A Language Laboratory was set up with listening access via headphones to various audio software. Besides this, the students were asked to prepare charts, each choosing one aspect of French culture – food, art, music, personalities, fashion etc. Assignments in grammar and comprehension were also given for individual assessment.

HISTORY:

The department organised a study trip to Mahabalipuram and Pondicherry from 13th to 16th March 2014.

The students submitted a project on Art and Architecture of Mahabalipuram and the French Colony during the early 19th and 20th century A.D. of Pondicherry.

It was a visual experience for the students to have the experience of History outside the classroom situation.

ECONOMICS:

The department visited the Reserve Bank of India on 19th March 2014 for a half day session for 100 students from I B.Com. and III B.A. Mr. Jayaraman, Assistant Advisor, Department of Economics and Information spoke on the topic 'The Role of RBI and its functions'. Mrs. Padmini Ravishankar spoke on 'Financial Literacy' and Mrs. Stancy Mascrenas took the students to the exhibition 'Financial Inclusion Resource Centre'.

The department put up a Bulletin Board on the topic 'Rising Prices in India'.

A guest lecture was delivered through the Alumni wherein Ms. Anusha G spoke to the III B.A. students on the topic 'Sericulture Industry in Karnataka' on 2nd April 2014.

PSYCHOLOGY:

The Department organised an educational trip to Cadabams Centre for Psycho-Social Rehabilitation for the students.

A Guest lecture for the students was delivered by Ms. Ruth Macwana, Divya Downs Syndrome School, Viveknagar on 15th March 2014 on the topic 'Mental Retardation- Care & Education'

POLITICAL SCIENCE:

- Bridging the gap between Theory and Practical of the subject class room discussions were held on
 1. Uttarkhand crisis
 2. Importance of voting
 3. Impact of Globalisation on Indian democracy
 4. Newspaper articles
 5. Importance of Constitution
- Intercollegiate Cultural Fest "DISHA" and the theme was 'GLOBAL GRAFFITI' which was held on 30th September 2013. Keeping in mind the theme the department organised an event – Who Am I ? – Guess the Personality. Prominent International, National and Local Political figures were displayed for 15 minutes and students who identify the most number of pictures were declared winners. Mr. Darshan Devaiah of Seshadripuram College bagged the I Place.
- An interactive session (Mega Big Fight) on the elections of 2014 was conducted.

- The Bulletin Board was displayed on Shri. Arvind Kejriwal entitled 'Changes Begin with Small Things' on 19th February 2014.
- Assignments – III BA - paper - Indian Constitution Institutional Structures
 1. Judicial Activism, Review and Reforms
 2. State Legislature – Powers and Functions
 3. Importance of PIL
 4. Debate over Parliamentary and Presidential Form of Government.
- Assignments – II BA – paper – political thoughts western and eastern
 1. Church and State in Medieval Europe
 2. Machiavelli's human nature
 3. Manu's Political Idea
 4. Shanti Parva of Mahabharatha
- Assignments – I B A – I Semester – Paper 1 – concepts of Political Science
 1. Sovereignty – Theories of Sovereignty, contemporary challenges to State Sovereignty
 II Semester – Paper 2 – Political Theories
 2. Gandhism – Principles, means and ends; Truth and Non Violence, Sarvodaya – relevance of Gandhism in modern times.
- III B A – V Semester – Paper 5.1 – Public Administration
 1. Financial Administration – Budget, Budgetary Process; Reforms in Financial Administration, Performance Budget and Zero Based Budget
 VI Semester – Paper 6.2 – Indian Constitution – Processes and Issues
 2. Union State Relation: Unitary and Federal Features, Legislative, Administrative and Financial Relations – Impact of Coalition Politics on Union State Relation and State Autonomy.

JOURNALISM:

The Department released the Journalism News Letter "PRISM" volume 4 brought out by the 2nd year students on 5th September 2013.

Inter Collegiate Competitions – The department conducted competitions on Caption Writing and Radio Jockeying during Disha 2013 on 30th September 2013.

Inter Class Competitions –

1. PPT presentation competitions were conducted on media related topics between 4th and 20th September 2013
2. Radio Jockeying Event was conducted on 8th September 2013. Mrs. Jai Laxmi R, Faculty, Department of Hindi judged the event.
3. Caption Writing contest was conducted on 11th September 2013 and the event was judged by Dr. Sowrabha C, Faculty, Department of Sociology.

A special guest lecture was delivered by Dr. Vani Ramagopal, Head, Department of Journalism, NMKRV College on the topic 'The Role of Media in Democracy' on 2nd April 2014.

Student Achievements:

- The II and Final year students won the I and III prize in Caption Writing and Quiz events at the inter collegiate fest “LIAZO-2013” at Baldwin Women’s Methodist College on 9th October 2013.
- Ms. Chaitra Chidananda, II year student produced a documentary film which was screened at the Inter Collegiate Fest at Jyoti Nivas College on 28th January 2014. She also completed her Internship at Udaya TV in January 2014.
- Poster Presentation by the III year students Ms. Archita Raj, Ms. Prachi Tiwari, Ms. Ekta Bachhawat and Ms. Ayesha Syed Asif at in the National Conference on ‘Waste Management towards Sustainable Development in the Indian Context’ at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women, supported by Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Centre for Sustainable Technologies, IISC and Karnataka State Pollution Control Board on 24th and 25th January 2014.
- I year students Ms. Amulya and Ms. Saloni won the I and III Prizes in Radio Jockeying and III year students Ms. Fathima Shiffana and Ms. Akkipi Swu in Caption Writing at an Inter Collegiate event organised by the Department of Journalism during Disha – 2013 held at our college.
- II and III year students participated in various Media events at an Inter collegiate Fest ‘ Vrittanta – 14’ held at Presidency College on 26th February 2014.
- III Year students prepared a one page print advertisement on ‘Global Warming’. The best three advertisements won prizes.
- II year students brought out individual newsletters which has enabled them to learn the nuances of print media.
- I year students were taught “Movie Review” in the class and they reviewed English, Hindi and Kannada Movies which were released in the months of July and August 2013. They have also prepared a Newspaper – Fact File (Review of 2 news papers) in the months of January and February 2014.
- The II year students are in charge of bringing out the Journalism Lab Journal - Prism.
- III year students attended a seminar on “Role of Media in Election” on 26th March 2014. The report along with the students’ photographs interacting with the politician Mr. Kagodu Thimmappa was published in the newspaper Udaya Vani on 27th March 2014.

Innovative Teaching Practices:

Communication game was conducted for I and II year students and Big Fight was conducted for all III year students on topics related to current affairs. To hone the reporting skills of III year students “Model Press Conference” was conducted during class hours. The III year students also interviewed notable personalities viz.,

1. Veteran Freedom Fighter Shri. Doraiswamy by Ms. Prachi Tiwari
2. Cricket Commentator and Quiz Master Mr. Charu Sharma by Ms. Anjali
3. Chief Photographer, Deccan Herald, Mr. P Samson by Ms. Saraya Adiba
4. CEO, Thompson Reuters, Ms. Linsey Simpson, by Ms. Feonna Davis

5. Additional SP, Shri. Arjun Singh Raj Purohit (Sirohi, Rajasthan) by Ms. Kalpana Purohit

Results: The department secured 100% result in the October 2013 examination.

SOCIOLOGY:

A Guest Lecture was delivered by Prof. Bharathi G Paresh on the topic 'Violence against Women: Role of Civil Society' on 28th August 2013. A seminar was conducted on Gender Sensitization at Indian Social Institute.

A documentary film was shown on various social issues on 19th February 2014.

A Field Trip was organised for the students to UNIBIC Biscuits India Pvt. Ltd on 22nd February 2014.

International Women's Day was celebrated on 13th March 2014 during the General Assembly hour. The Chief Guest for the programme was Mrs. Aasha Ramesh, Gender Consultant and Social Activist and Dr. Fr. George Mutholil, Director, ISI, Bangalore.

COMMERCE:

The department invited prominent consulting agencies and conducted workshops. They include :

- Image Consulting Business Institute on "Corporate Grooming and Etiquette" in our College on 11th February 2014. The Resource person was Ms. Sonia Pardesi.
- NIIT National Aptitude Test 2014 exclusively for our college students on 15th March 2014. 135 students participated in the written test and 130 passed.
- A workshop on Career Opportunities for B.Com. students by ENDEAVOR on 4th February 2014. The Resource Person was Mr. Tabrez.
- A Guest Lecture was conducted for the students about Investment in Stock Market by Stock Market Institution on 17th February 2014. The Resource Person was Mr. Rishab.
- A seminar was conducted on Career Opportunities in Banks and Government Organisations by TIME on 3rd April 2014.
- A Guest Lecture on GET (Govt. Exam Training) by VISTAMIND was conducted on 8th April 2014.

Seminars attended by the students:

- Ms. Angel Blessy, II B.Com. C – on the topic Stock Market Institute Student Ambassador
- II & III B.Com. students on the topic National Level Entrepreneurship Conference
- III B.Com. students on the topic Staff Selection Commission
- III B.Com. students on the topic Orientation on 10th National Aptitude Test (NIIT Centre)
- III B.Com. students on the topic Journalism and Mass Communication.

- Ms. Pavithra H, III B.Com. B on the topic Demand and Supply of Quality in Higher Education System.

Certificate Courses:

- A 15 hour Certificate Course was conducted for the III B.Com. students by COCOONS on Soft Skills and Personality Development in the month of February 2014. The trainer was Ms. Ruhi Nayeem, Director of Training.

Student Achievements:

- Ms. Pavithra H, III B.Com B presented a State Level paper on the topic “National Electronic Fund Transfer System” at St. Joseph’s College of Commerce.

The students participated in inter-collegiate competitions and won prizes as given below:

- Ms. Kauser Fathima, III B.Com. A – I Place in Debate at St. Aloysius Degree College.
- Ms. Farheen Moosa, III B.Com A – I Place in Collage at St. Aloysius Degree College.
- Ms. Ranjana S, III B.Com. B – III Place in Dance at St. Joseph’s College of Commerce and III Place in Western Group Dance at St. Anne’s College for Women.

The students from the Department of Commerce won the Overall Trophy in the cultural fest organised by Dayanand Sagar Institutions.

The Department put up a Bulletin Board on the topic “Effect of Elections on Indian Economy”.

MANAGEMENT STUDIES:

The Department organised several workshops and seminars for the students during the year viz.,

- Seminar on Capital Market by Mr. Prabhakar, Manager Training, Bangalore Stock Exchange on 17th October 2013.
- Seminar on Corporate Social Responsibility by Mr. Sireesh, Practicing Company Secretary on 23rd January 2014
- Seminar by Mr. Sanjeev, Manager, Reliance Money on “Coursed @ NSOC” on 19th February 2014.
- Seminar by Ms. Sharon Jose, Faculty, ICAI, on the topic “Derivates” on 17th February 2014
- II year BBM students attended a seminar on Stock Banking, conducted by Stock Market Institute and Ms. Nivetha and Ms. Neha were selected as Student Ambassadors.

On 21st September 2013 the Annual Intercollegiate Management Fest – NISKA 2013 was conducted in the college. The Fest was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Mr. Jayantha Chatterjee, Vice President, ICRA. There were 7 events including Finance, HR, Marketing, Quiz, Best Manager etc. Nine Colleges from Bangalore City participated. The overall prize was won by Jain College.

A Bulletin Board on the topic “Indians Dominating the Hierarchy in Top Companies World Wide” was put up on 2nd March 2014 and the News Board was put up on 01st February 2014.

An exhibition of Factory Models was organised as a part of Production Operation Management on 03rd March 2014.

Industrial Visits:

- The department organised an Industrial Tour to Cochin from 18th to 21st October 2013 and visited the following industries.
 1. The Fertilizer and Chemical Travancore Ltd, Cochin
 2. Kerala Electrical and Allied Engineering Company
 3. Steel Pipe Making Company
- The department visited Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Company Ltd, Bangalore on 23rd April 2014.

Certificate Courses:

1. A 25 hour Certificate Course was conducted for II and III year BBM students by Bangalore Stock Exchange Ltd, Bangalore.
2. The department is prepared to start a Certificate Course in Equity Dealer by NSDC in association with Reliance Money.

CHEMISTRY:

- Six students of III year CBBT attended the ‘Science Academies’ Lecture Workshop on ‘Spectroscopy’ held on 28th February and 1st March 2014 organised by the department of Chemistry, Christ University in association with the Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore.
- Two students from II year CBBT participated in a focus group discussion organised under the ICSSR (Indian Council of Social Sciences Research) project on ‘An Analysis of Demand and Supply of Quality in Higher Education’ on 1st March 2014 at St. Joseph’s College (Autonomous), Bangalore.
- Ms. Rajina Shrestha, II B.Sc. CBBT student participated in the UN-Women’s Fifty Eighth Session of the Commission on the Status of Women at United Nations Headquarters in New York City from 10th to 21st March 2014.

FIELD TRIPS: undertaken by the department:

- Visit to Biocentre, Hulimavu on 21st February 2014
- Open Day at IISC, Bangalore on 1st March 2014.
- Nature Education Camp at Dandeli from 23rd March to 27th March 2014

BOTANY:

- Two students of III year CBBT attended a workshop on 'Solid Waste Management' at Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women on 24th and 25th January 2014.
- Two students from II year CBBT participated in a focus group discussion organised under the ICSSR (Indian Council of Social Sciences Research) project on 'An Analysis of Demand and Supply of Quality in Higher Education' on 1st March 2014 at St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Bangalore.
- The II B.Sc. CBBT students visited IISc (Indian Institute of Science) on their Open Day which was held on 1st March 2014.
- Ms. Rajina Shrestha, II B.Sc. CBBT student participated in the UN-Women's Fifty Eighth Session of the Commission on the Status of Women at United Nations Headquarters in New York City from 10th to 21st March 2014.
- Practical sessions on Wine Preparation and maintenance of a Herbal Garden were held for the students.

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HOME SCIENCE:

The departmental meeting was held in the month of July 2013 and decisions on various programmes to be held during the year were taken.

A Puppet Workshop was conducted in the month of September 2013 for the II BA/BSc students. The resource person was Ms. Latha Sadgopan. The students found it very interesting. Extension activities were conducted for the S R Nagar Women with the help of YWCA. The duration was for 6 weeks from August 2013 to September 2013. The activities covered were ribbon stick, stocking flowers and bracelets. Demonstrations of nutrient rich recipes were also conducted for about 15 women.

For the inter collegiate fest DISHA, the department conducted 2 events viz., Hair Styling and Flower Arrangements. About 15 colleges took part in the events.

A workshop was conducted for the community service workers (YWCA) in the month of October 2013. They were given training in income generation activities.

In the month of January 2014 21 students of the III B A/B Sc were taken to Lal Bagh to study and observe variety of flowers and flower arrangements.

In the month of March 2014, a guest lecture was conducted for III BA/B Sc students on adolescent counseling. The students were also taken for house visit to study interiors. The III year students also visited an old age home and interacted with the inmates and distributed soaps, detergents and talcum powders.

COMPUTER SCIENCE:

- A Guest Lecture on 'Resume Writing' was conducted for the students by Dr. Vijayshri R, Faculty, Department of Psychology.
- Three students of III BCA attended a two day workshop on 'Learn Python Way' on 28th February and 1st March 2014 at the PES Institutions.
- Unit tests were conducted from 17th to 24th March 2014
- The PTA Meeting was conducted on 15th February 2014.

DEPARTMENT FOR POST GRADUATE STUDIES: M.COM.

The College realizes that empowerment of women is possible only through the education of the girl child and hence, upgradation of the college from its present undergraduate to a post graduate status seemed a natural occurrence. With increased student demand and also to

widen the horizons of higher education, the post graduate department was started in the academic year 2013 – 2014 with Commerce i.e. Masters in Commerce – M.Com.

Even in its first year of inception, this department has shown tremendous potential and growth under the leadership and guidance of its Co-ordinator, Dr. K Narasimhan. The department boasts of well learned faculty who have in-depth knowledge of the subject and have adapted well to the requirements of the students.

The department organized several Guest Lectures for the students during the year viz.,

- A lecture by Prof. Sharan Shetty, Manipal Institute of Banking on the topic 'Latest Trends in Forex and Euro Currency' on 6th November 2013.
- A lecture on 'Corporate Leadership Styles' by Dr. Shanmugam, Head of the Department, City Engineering College on 4th December 2013.
- A lecture by Prof. M M Gupta on the topic 'Impact of Micro and Macro Economics on Business Decision' on 8th January 2014.

Mrs. Sujatha C, Guest Faculty of the Department also attended a workshop at Maharani College of Arts and Commerce on the topic 'Scientific Research Process – Workshop for M.A. students in the month of February 2013.

Even though the department is still in its first year of inception, it has a well equipped departmental library consisting of nearly 16 books authored by well known authors and is of great help to the faculty and students not only for reference but also for study.

The first batch of M.Com. Students were also taken on an industrial visit to Hindustan Coca-Cola Beverages Pvt. Ltd. in the month of September 2013.

We are sure, that this department will flourish well in the years to come and will bring laurels to the institution and we would like to wish the department all success.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

- The Annual Athletic Meet was held on 12th April 2014 at Mithralaya Composite Junior College and High School. The Chief Guest for the day was Mrs. Shwetha N, an International Volleyball player and Ekalavya awardee.
- Ms. Kreethika, III B Com – C has been awarded the best outgoing sports women for the academic year.
- Ms. Akila Ayomi Jayamanna, I BBM represented Bangalore University for Shuttle Badminton at Manipal University, Mangalore.
- Ms. Sowganya K G, I B Com – C represented Karnataka State in Athletics for Long Jump and 100 mtrs Hurdles and also bagged the II place in Long Jump at the Bangalore University Athletic competition held at Kanteerava Stadium.

- A Volley Ball tournament was organised by Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) at Hyderabad. Our college Volley Ball team comprising of, among others, International students participated and won the I Place.

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE:

The Department purchased 125 books for the Post Graduate Department – M.com. of the college including multiple copies of text books. Overall, a total number of 735 books were purchased during the year.

Five new computers were purchased and internet services were upgraded for the students. The Library subscribed to the N- List of E-Journals which is a library consortia for academic libraries.

The SC/ST Book Bank was upgraded and now has a collection of 375 books which the students can access freely.

COUNSELLING:

Counseling is a process that enables us to sort out issues and reach decisions affecting lives. Often counseling is sought out at a time of change or crisis. However, it need not be so as counseling can also help us at any time of our life.

Counseling involves talking with a person in a way that helps a person solve a problem or helps to create conditions that will cause a person to understand and/ or improve his/her behaviour, character, values or life circumstances. At the end of the counseling process, the client himself/herself has an insight to the problem and he/she becomes empowered to take his/her own decision.

Conflicts, academic problems, career, personal and social related problems face many an individual in these days. Counseling programmes involves individual sessions with students, where truth serves as a means to reach the goals of counseling. Follow up sessions are carried out on a regular basis and parents are involved in the process if the need demands.

The Counsellor was also actively in meeting the students and parents who have shortage of attendance. They were counseled and advised to be regular to college and to maintain 75% attendance in all subjects. In future too, the Counsellor hopes to instill skills that will enable our students to be efficient and successful.

Counseling is defined as 'the science of helping people to adjust or deal with personal problems by enabling them to discover for themselves the solution to the problems receiving attention from a Counsellor'.

The Counsellor's View Point:

As the counselor, I had to deal with not only counseling but also address grievance issues and manage the Help Desk to help our students and parents. Throughout the year, I met students, staff and parents addressing many issues like peer pressure, parental pressure, academic pressure, personal problems, relationship problems, depression, career guidance, shortage of attendance, misconduct, grievance, enquiries, ventilation of inter-personal problems and other issues. I have maintained confidentiality and dealt with each individual on a non-judgemental basis. Certain sensitive matters had to be taken up with the Principal and handled delicately. I have maintained confidential reports after every session and also maintained a record of work done on a daily basis. I have also got feedback from students, staff and parents on the sessions that were conducted. Certain follow up cases were also taken up by me. Students who had approached me for help have also brought their class mates and friends for various issues. This shows a different positive impact of my counseling services.

Respondents were asked for general comments or remarks of the services provided.

My primary task is to support the academic session of the college by providing a range of interventions which enhance a student's ability to be consistently engaged with achieving their academic potential.

The Counsellor, Mrs. Yallina Thomas gave a talk on the topic 'Adolescent Counselling' to the III Year Home Science students of the College on 19th March 2013. She was also one of the Resource persons for conducting the Certificate Course on Counselling at Surana College on 8th October 2013.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:

The Alumni Association conducted an alumni meet on Saturday, the 15th February 2014. Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Principal-in-charge addressed the alumni and Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, the Convenor welcomed the gathering.

More than 75 students attended the meet and shared their experiences. Fun games were organised by the students presently studying in the college. The following members of the alumni were elected to be the council members of the association:

Ms. Dimple Jain – President

Ms. Anjali Soni – Vice-President

Ms. Asfija Afzal – General Secretary
Ms. Binitha E P – Treasurer

One of the highlights of this association was that the Members of the NAAC Peer Team had an interaction with the Alumni of the College on 6th March 2014 and they received a good feedback from the students.

Dr. Vinay Kumar Yadav, Convenor

ASSEMBLY:

This year the Committee decided to assign the conduct of the Assembly to the students of the final year. These students in consultation with their class teachers would be responsible for the assembly on the given days.

The Orientation General Assembly was conducted on 25th July 2013 by the III BA students on the theme 'Freedom'. At this time a skit was presented on the value of freedom. The month of August had the III B.Sc. class conduct assembly on the theme Hope. A meaningful dance drama was enacted. Combined assemblies for both the PUC and the Degree students were conducted to inform and instruct them on the Student Council elections and the Inter Collegiate Fest DISHA 2013.

The second semester opened with a special assembly on Conservation and Protection of Trees conducted by an organization 'Neralu'. The III BBM students presented an assembly on Hidden Talents in February 2014 and the Student Council also held a concluding programme of the 'Fashion Week' at this time.

The last assembly for the year was a joint venture of the III year B.Com. students and the students of the department of Sociology in the month of March 2014 based on the theme 'International Women's Day'. The Resource Persons were Mrs. Aasha Ramesh, a social activist and Dr. Fr. George, Director, Indian Social Institute. The students presented a skit followed by a graceful and poignant choreography on the condition of women in today's world.

Mrs. Suvina Benjamin, Convenor.

VALUE EDUCATION:

Value Education classes were held on every alternate Thursdays during the Value Education hour by the respective class teachers in order to equip our students with good values to live responsible lives, to meet the unknown challenges of the future and to be able to guide their lives through the countless real life choices ahead. The schedule comprised of topics such as values, self esteem, happiness, freedom, friendship, responsibility, openness in communication etc. the class teachers give a feedback on each session.

Mrs. Yallina Thomas, Convenor

ATTENDANCE:

The Attendance Committee works throughout the year and keeps a record of the shortage of attendance of students in each and every class. Every month, the attendance list maintained and shortage is calculated for each class in each subject. Parents/guardians are duly informed about the status of attendance of their daughter/ward.

The Committee meets the parents/guardians and directs them to the college counselor for guidance on a regular basis.

Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Convenor

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL - E – EVOLVE:

The Entrepreneurship Cell of the college began its activities for the year with an orientation programme on 25th July 2013. The session began with a word of prayer followed by an introduction of the faculty members of the Cell which included: Ms. Suriya Naaz, Dept. of Commerce, Ms. Sogara Bi, dept. of Management Studies, Mrs. Prathiba David, Dept. of Commerce, Mrs. Ann Kuruvilla, Dept. of Computer Science and Mrs. Esther Watson, Dept. of Botany. The faculty members gave an introduction about the Cell – its inception, its objectives, structure and its functioning. The leaders shared their experiences of the activities i.e. E-Evolve on campus, operations of E-Store and the celebration of E-Week.

Regular meetings were conducted on alternate Thursdays. During these meetings various activities such as Rs.50 Venture, Idea Generation, Inside the Box, Managing E-Store etc. were conducted.

The students of our college were allowed to sell their products on Tuesdays and Wednesdays and 30% of the profit is given to the College. The B.Com. and BBM students attended TATA first dot National Conference which was held at RV College of Engineering on 15th and 16th February 2014. Students gained first hand knowledge about entrepreneurship by attending this conference.

The All India Entrepreneurship Week was conducted from 28th February 2014 to 4th March 2014 on the theme “Innovating for India” – a theme chosen by NEN. Our leaders planned and strategized for events, competitions and entrepreneurship talk for the entire week. A formal inauguration was held on 28th February 2014 and the Chief Guest was Ms. Christina, CEO, Stylus. Competitions and activities such as painting, street play, creative writing, product launch, photography, minute to win it, mad ads, collage, treasure hunt, debate, wealth out of waste, face painting, pit trading, dance, B-plan, quiz, mehendi, eye make up, tattoo and fashion show were held during the course of the week.

There was active participation not only from students of our college but also from students of other colleges as well. The prize distribution was held on 4th March 2014.

The unit would like to place on record their sincere thanks to the Principal-in-charge Mrs. Shantha Solomon and the NEN Consultant Ms. Chaitali for all their support during the year.

Ms. Sogara Bi and Ms. Suriya Naaz, Co-ordinators.

ELECTION TO THE STUDENT COUNCIL:

Democracy at the grass root level is the phrase that can be used to describe the elections to the Student Council which is conducted in the College. This year, it was conducted on 14th August 2013 by the Election Committee headed by Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Head, Department of Tamil.

The candidates were short listed based on the following criteria:

- Students with 75% attendance
- Students with no backlog in subjects
- Students with good conduct

The short listed students from various departments were allowed to campaign in the campus for 02 days and to address the students on the second day.

On 14th August 2013, the elections were conducted using Electronic Voting Machines and the results were announced on the same day at 2.00 p.m.

The following students were elected:

| DEGREE | PUC |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| President – Ms. Priyanka A M | Jt. Cultural Secretary – Ms. Carol Mathai |
| Vice President – Ms. Pavithra H | Jt. Sports Secretary – Ms. Ashika Bonsale |
| General Secretary – Ms. Praksha P | Science Representative – Ms. Simran |
| Literary Co-ordinator – Ms. Sharanya | Commerce Representative – Ms. Anjana |
| Sports Secretary – Ms. Keerthika | Arts Representative – Ms. Sarah |
| Cultural Secretary – Ms. Sophia | |
| Treasurer – Ms. Chanchal | |

Overall, the election was conducted in a just and fair manner.

Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Convenor.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING PROGRAMME:

10th September 2014: Mr. Aaron Watson, Accredited Speaker/Trainer was the Resource person, who conducted the Training session. A 2 hour Interactive session on 'Leadership Skill' with the focus on Vision, Mission and Values was conducted. He conducted a Behavioural Assessment or DISC Profiling of the elected leaders. Having assessed the personality profiles of leaders, he customized the Training to include Leadership Skills, Motivational Skills & Interpersonal skills. Emphasis in training was on cultivating effective communication skills, relevant personality dispositions to facilitate smooth functioning of teams under Team leaders.

Dr. Vijayshri R, Convenor.

ECO-WATCH CLUB:

Various tasks were accomplished by the Club this year. They include:

- Cleanliness and maintenance of the Eco-Park
- Planting of herbal and medicinal plants.
- The volunteers assisted in the smooth conduct of the Elections of the Student Council.
- Assistance in maintaining discipline.

Competitions conducted:

- GREEN DAY – was conducted on 24th January 2014. The entire college was dressed in green dress code. The best dressed class was awarded.
- CLEAN DAY – was conducted on 24th January 2014. This was to create awareness for a clean and green environment in which we live.
- INTER-DEPARTMENTAL: was conducted on 24th February 2014. The competitions were as per the following schedule:
 - 1) Photography – on the topic 'Larva'
 - 2) Painting – on the topic 'Larva'
 - 3) Cooking Without Fire – on the topic 'Leaves and Grains'
 - 4) Flower Arrangement – on the topic 'Larva'
- NATURE DAY – was held on 8th January 2014.

Trips undertaken:

The Club members undertook trips as listed below:

- Trekking to Ramnagar on 24th August 2013
- Trip to Hulimavu Farm on 1st March 2014.

The Club celebrated 'ECO-DAY' on 16th April 2014. At the programme the members received certificates and winners at the inter-department competitions were awarded as well. The Best Service medal was also given to the student who rendered selfless service to the Club.

Overall, the Club is doing its best to render selfless service to the institution and promises to continue to serve in future too.

Dr. K Vijaylakshmi, Convenor.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL - I Q A C:

This team had the responsibility for going in for re accreditation after the college had first been accredited with an A grade in the year 2008. The process of re accreditation was painstakingly done with sincerity and dedication from all the staff and students of the college.

The Peer Team visited the College on 6th, 7th and 8th March 2014. The Peer Team comprised of Prof. Durga Prasad (Former Vice-Chancellor, Krishna University, Machilipatnam) the Chairman, Prof. Biswasroy (Professor, Department of Commerce, Berhampur University, Berhampur) Member co-ordinator and Dr. Sr. Annamma Philip (former Principal, Stella Maris College, Chennai) member of the Peer Team.

The team visited all the departments and the student support services of the college including an interaction with the alumni of the college. As a mark of remembrance of this visit a silver oak sapling was planted in the college premises by the NAAC Peer Team Members followed by a photo session with all the staff.

Members of the NAAC Peer Team were extremely fair minded and their academic acumen was very impressive and their suggestions invaluable.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Principal in charge and also all the staff – both teaching and non teaching for extending their whole hearted cooperation during the entire process of re accreditation.

Dr. K Narasimhan, Coordinator

YOUTH RED CROSS SOCIETY:

The students of our college are encouraged to manage their own affairs and choose their own activities. Based on certain principles, the following programmes were conducted:

- Promotion of Health and Hygiene
- National Integration
- International Women's Day
- Health Check Up

A blood donation camp was organised by our college in collaboration with Karnataka Red Cross Blood Bank on 12th March 2014 in the seminar hall of the college.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda and Mr. Hombaiah, Nodal Officers

LEGAL LITERACY PROGRAMME:

This Programme for the year was organised for II B Com students. It is an awareness programme meant to make students aware about various legal matters. The main theme was 'Women and Law'. It consisted of 6 lectures. The resource persons for the programme were Mrs. Indirani K S, Mrs. Nalina N, Mrs. Sneha B and Mrs. Pushpa K H from our sister institution, Bishop Cotton Women's Christian Law College.

The first session dealt with 'Labour Laws'. The session was on 'Hindu Personal Law'. Third session was about 'Domestic Violence'. The fourth session dealt with 'Empowerment of Women – Myth or Reality'. The fifth session was on the topic 'Crimes against Women – Legal Remedies' and the last session dealt with 'Cyber Crimes'.

The sessions were interactive. The programme provided a lot of information to the students and they gained knowledge about their rights, duties, legal procedures and legal remedies.

Ms. Joyce Metilda Irudayam, Convenor

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME- NSS:

"Development of the personality of students through community services". With this in aim, the unit of the National Service Scheme of our college began its activities for the Academic Year:

- 1) Enrolment of 105 students.
- 2) Independence Day Celebrations.
- 3) Awareness Programmes which include:
 - a) Litter free Lalbagh on 25th January 2014.
 - b) Namma Neeru Campaign – to save water held on 23rd January 2014
 - c) Save Trees "Neralu" programme at Cubbon Park on 8th February 2014.
- 4) One day trek to Shivagange Betta on 13th July 2013.
- 5) Republic Day Celebrations
- 6) A special camp was organised at Bangalore University NSS Bhavan from 2nd to 8th January 2014. 35 students attended the camp.
- 7) The NSS volunteers attended "Personality Development Camp – Hanathe" held on 22nd March 2014 at RV Dental College, Bangalore.
- 8) A Blood Donation Camp was held in the college Seminar Hall on 12th March 2014. It was conducted by the Rotary Bangalore TTK Blood Bank.
- 9) The NSS volunteers visited the YWCA slum school. The volunteers taught the children songs and dance and also distributed sweets and gifts.

Ms. Nirmala C Gowda and Mrs. Leena Karanth A, NSS Programme Officers.

LAB JOURNAL:

“PRISM” the Lab Journal of the Department of Journalism is ready and due to be released soon.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Head, Dept. Of Journalism.

ROTARACT CLUB:

The Club conducted activities as per the schedule given below:

- 23.08.2013 – Inauguration and Installation of the office bearers by the Parent Rotary Club of Banashankari. RTn Ramesh, President was the Chief Guest. It was well attended by the District and Zonal Rotaract Representatives of the Rotaract District Council.
- 25.08.2013 – All the office bearers of the club attended the District Leadership Training Workshop organised by the District Council.
- 01.09.2013 – the Rotary Bangalore Diamond District organised a 5K Cancer Awareness Run at Kanteerava Stadium. 12 rotaractors participated and received appreciation certificates.
- 02.09.2013 – under the International District Youth Exchange Programme (IDYE) a team of rotaractors from Ooty visited our college. the club hosted a lunch and organised a visit to Lalbagh.
- 06.09.2013 - The Rotaract District Council organised a lecture cum discussion on Entrepreneurship Development for III BBM students. The club hosted this program.
- 17.09.2013 – change marker programme was held. 70 rotaractors and non-rotaractors participated. The students were trained to conduct a session on Personality Development for Government School Children in Whitefield.
- 24.10.2013- International Polio Day – our rotaractors participated in a rally on M G Road to raise awareness about Polio.
- 26.10.2013 – A Flash Mob was organised in support of Polio Awareness at Orion Mall, Rajajinagar. 03 rotaractors participated.
- 03.10.2013-RTR Rajina Shresta and RTR Nissi Thapa launched the Bangalore Chapter of Holla Back, an online campaign against Street Harassment.
- 12.10.2013- Rotaractors conducted a painting competition on the theme ‘Festivals’ for school children attending the YWCA School in K S Gardens. 45 students took part and prizes were distributed.
- 01.02.2014 & 02.02.2014-Rotaractors volunteered in the ‘Save The Trees’ campaign organised by Neralu an NGO in Cubbon Park.
- 15.02.2014-RTr Pooja and RTr Richa attended an IDYE programme for a visiting Sri Lanka team at the KSCA premises.

- 24.02.2014-a few rotaractors volunteered at the Pulse Polio Immunization Camp organised by the parent club in Banashankari.
- 05.03.2014-rotaractors organised and participated in 'Cleaning the Campus' programme. They were assisted by the NSS Unit of our college.
- 11.03.2014- 15 rotaractors attended the ROTA Conference at BIT-Kuvempu Hall. RTr Pooja was the co-ordinator for Hospitality and the Dance contest. RTr Richa was the RCBCWCC Club Ambassador and in charge of certificates as well as the Youth Icon Contest.
- 02.04.2014- RTr Nissi Thapa and RTr Ragina conducted a Self Defense workshop for 25 students as part of Holla Back. A short PPT presentation preceded the workshop.
- 16.04.2014 – Transform – A Leadership and Communication Workshop for 30 rotaractors was conducted by the Rotaract District Council at the Seminar Hall of the College.

RTr Pooja Singh, President of RCBCWCC was selected as co-ordinator for Professional Services for Rotaract District Council – 2013-2014.

RTr Richa Singh was selected as Member of the Rotaract District Council – Community Service Team and Chairperson of the Polio Campaign.

Dr. Marie Kavitha Jayakaran, Co-ordinator – RCBCWCC.

REMEDIAL CLASS:

Remedial Classes were conducted by various departments during class hours and during the lunch hour by a few classes. Weak students were identified by the respective lecturers and they gave them extra coaching on the basis of their performance in the University Examination and shortage of attendance. Some lecturers gave class test and assignment for the academically weak students. The progress of the students has been satisfactory.

Mrs. Chaya Anilkumar, Convenor

CHAPEL SERVICE:

The academic year started with the Communion Service for the staff and students of the College. Chapel Service was held every alternate Thursdays during the Value Education hour for the Christian students. However, the service is open to all students of other faiths too.

The students of each class took turns in conducting the service. All services began with Praise and Worship, continued with the Bible Reading and an Opening Prayer. Students shared a short reflection with some meaningful skit. Interactive sessions with the students having Bible Games, short video clippings and Quiz were also held. The staff were also given a chance to share the Word of God.

The chapel service has been very helpful in gaining Biblical knowledge and inculcating a sense of responsibility in the students.

Mrs. Rebecca Theodore, Convenor.

COLLEGE CHOIR:

Music enhances the way of life. We have no dearth for music in our college. The Choir is an integral part of the college. The Choir functions throughout the year and they have heard loud and clear in every function of the Choir. They also participate in inter collegiate programmes.

The Choir is trained by Mrs. Esther Prasanakumar and Mrs. Shantha Solomon from the Department of English. Students show special interest and join together for practice session. We also had the privilege of inviting the Maranatha Choir from the Moody Bible Institute, Chicago for a special programme at our college. This motivated our choir for more inspirational singing.

Mrs. Esther Prasanakumar and Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Convenors.

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT OF INDIA- SCM:

This unit was able to register 47 students during the academic year. The students actively participated in the following programmes held throughout the year, viz.,

- 19 students participated in the International Youth Day on 12th August 2013 held at Bishop Cotton Academy for Professional Management, Yelahanka, Bangalore. The programme was held in collaboration with the National Council of Churches in India (NCCI). The theme for this year was "Youth Migration: Moving Development Forward" and the speaker was Rev. Ch. Sweetly Helen, Executive Secretary, Commission on Youth, NCCI.
- The SCM Inaugural session was held in our college on 3rd October 2013. The programme was attended by Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Principal-in-charge, Mrs. Esther Prasanakumar, faculty, department of English and members of the SCM Karnataka Region – the Programme Secretary Mr. Immanuel Simon and Ms. Aesonla and Ms. Masophy along with Mr. Premkumar Mark of the SCM Unit, Gulbarga were present. A brief history of SCM and its activities around the world and in particular Karnataka was shared.
- An Ecumenical Fellowship was conducted on 26th September 2013 at the SCM House for the Observance of World Week for Peace in Palestine Israel. The problems faced by Palestinians in Israel and how as Christians in particular and Indians at large we could empathize with them was discussed. A worship service in this connection was also held. Eminent pastors from the Karnataka Central Diocese and United Theological College attended the same. The Convenor of the SCM unit of our College attended the same.
- A Time for Creation 2013 Service was conducted on 3rd October 2013 with the Order of Worship for the Sea Sunday being used. All Christian staff and students participated and Mr. Premkumar Mark of the SCM Unit, Gulbarga shared his reflections from God's Word and the SCM team assisted him in the Sea Sunday Service.

- The SCM Bulletin Board was updated by the SCM team of students and a power point presentation of its activities from 2008 to date was presented by the convenor of the unit, Mrs. Sonu Sujit David to the NAAC Peer Team which visited the College on 6th March 2014.
- An informal meeting with Rev. Winnie Varghese, Rector, Episcopal Church of New York on issues against homophobia was held on 17th March 2014 at the SCM House. 18 students participated and expressed their views for and against the subject.
- Universal Day of Prayer for Students (UDPS) worship service was conducted in the chapel during the value education hour by the unit on 27th March 2014. Rev. Raj Bharath Patta, General Secretary, SCM, India gave an exposition on the theme 'We are Many, We are one, United in one God's Love'. Ms. Aesonla, Communications Secretary, Mr. Shibi Peter, the Human Rights Secretary, Mr. Immanuel Simon, the Programme Secretary also participated in the service. During the service, the inaugural release of the SCM India's Student Manifesto was done by the President of the Student Council of our College, Ms. Priyanka, BBM and a copy was handed over to Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Principal-in-charge. On this occasion, song books for use in the chapel services were donated by Mrs. Shantha Solomon, Principal-in-charge and the same were released by Rev. Raj Bharath Patta.

The Unit would like to thank our Almighty God for the various avenues provided for the staff and students through the services of the Unit to draw closer to Him.

Mrs. Sonu Sujit David, Convenor.

THE Y UNIT OF THE YWCA - YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION:

On 14th February 2013, a street play was held in Cubbon Park on the topic 'One Billion Rising – No More Violence Against Women' – Delhi Rape Case. This was a programme was called all over India.

Ms. Anitha Clarin, Convenor.

PARENT TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION:

This association had an eventful interaction with the members of the NAAC Peer Team which visited the College on 6th March 2014.

This year, one of the parents, Dr. Chaya Alfred, who is working at Dayanand Sagar Dental College brought her team and conducted a Dental Screening for the students in the month of February 2014.

Mrs. Sowmini Sebastian, Convenor

PLACEMENT CELL AND CAMPUS RECRUITMENT:

On 21st January 2014, Mr. N V Vijay Kumar, MBA, CAIIB, Sr. Faculty, Wellingkar Education conducted a session on 'How To Face Interviews and Group Discussions'.

On 29th January 2014, the American Consulate General, Chennai, Mr. Eric Swinn, Vice Consul, US Consulate General conducted a session on "Demystifying the Visa Process" and "Higher Education Opportunities in the US".

NIIT conducted an Aptitude Test to evaluate and grade students based on their strengths.

During the months of January 2014 to April 2014, over ten companies from different sectors like IT, Education, Banking and Health and Hospitality came in for campus recruitment. Our leading recruiters were big names like Amazon, KPMG, HP, ITC Gardenia, Cyrobanks India International, Nispana Innovative Platforms, Test Yantra Software Solutions, Artech Infosystems, IBM and ING Vysya.

Based on a survey conducted by the Placement Officer of the College, Dr. Vijayshri R, over 50% of our graduating students plan to pursue posat graduate studies in India and abroad. Out of the 25% keen on seeking jobs immediately, more than half of them have been successfully placed through campus recruitment.

The college has been able to attract top notch companies because of its accreditation as an 'A' Grade institution and also due to the relentless efforts of its Placement Officer.

The placement record definitely enhances the brand image of our college and we are sure that our brand ambassadors will do us proud.

Dr. Vijayshri R, Placement Officer

THE BULLETIN BOARD:

Various Departments displayed Bulletin Boards during the year. The judges for this were Mrs. Sujata Dutta, faculty, Department of Physics and Electronics (PUC) and Ms. Rita Josephine Eve K, faculty, Department of English (PUC).

This year the award for the Best Bulletin Board went to the Department of Psychology.

Mrs. Jai Laxmi R, Convenor.

NATIONAL CADET CORPS – NCC:

The youth are the future architects of India on whose shoulders lies the responsibility of conserving all the best that is in the country. Having started in a humble way, the National

Cadet Corps Unit of the College has grown step by step with a target of preparing our NCC cadets in becoming responsible Indian citizens.

The regular NCC parades, activities and the camp details are listed below:

- Enrolment: regular activities of the NCC unit began with the enrolment. This was held on 26th July 2013 on the college lawns. There was an enthusiastic response from both the PUC and the Degree students but only 38 students could be accommodated. Mrs.Pushpanjali (GCI) and PI staff from 1 Kar Girls BN NCC were present for the selection. The Principal-in-charge, Mrs. Shantha Solomon presided over the programme.
- Independence Day Celebration – on 15th August 2013 along with the NSS students, the NCC Cadets celebrated the event. Dr. Esther Malini, Principal-in-charge of the PUC Section of the college addressed the gathering.
- Basic Leadership Camp – was held from 20th to 29th August 2013 at Mysore. Cadet Pooja Bisht (SGT) participated from our college.
- Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) – was compulsory for all the cadets. 25 cadets attended this camp which was held from 18th to 27th September 2013 at Doddaballapur Besant Park.
- Trekking and Map Reading – all the NCC cadets undertook a trek to Shivagange Hills with PI staff from 1 Kar BN NCC on 11th December 2013.
- National Integration Camp (NIC) – was held from 16th to 27th December 2013 at Madikeri. Cadet Yogitha Yadav (CUO) and Sonal Yadav(L/CPL) attended this camp.
- Hospital Attachment Training Camp (HATC) – this camp was held from 13th January to 24th January 2014 at Command Hospital for 10 days. Cadet Sangeetha (CPL) participated from our college.
- Local Republic Day Parade – Cadet Yogitha Yadav (CUO) participated in the RD Parade on 26th January 2014 at Manekshaw Parade Ground.
- Republic Day – on 26th January 2014, all NCC cadets gathered to celebrate the Day. The Student Council President, Ms. Priyanka began the programme with the welcome address and Dr. Esther Malini, Principal-in-charge of the PUC Section of the college addressed the gathering.

The Unit completed the 17 allotted parades and Cadet Aashika (SGT) secured the Best NCC Cadet Award.

Lt. Bhavya NP, Associate NCC Officer.

ANNUAL INTER-COLLEGIATE LITERARY AND CULTURAL FEST – DISHA

“GLOBAL GRAFFITI” – ‘Around the globe in 02 days’ was the theme for the most grand cultural event called DISHA which was held on 30th September and 1st October 2013.

The theme emphasized on the celebration of various cultures and art i.e, spread across the world which enabled the youngsters to celebrate the difference and not see it as a barrier.

DISHA brought alive a spectrum of colours. This annual event which was held at the inter collegiate level attracted the students of various colleges to participate. More than 29 colleges of Bangalore City participated in over 30 events. DISHA began in a formal way with a inauguration by the Chief Guest Dr. Elizabeth Thomas, our former Principal (Mother of DISHA) and by the vibrant actress.

The various events held were Beat Boxing, Dance, Battle of Bands etc. with the Rock Bank performing live.

On the whole, DISHA was a grand success. All though there were many events the wonderful finale was the Fashion Show which was a visual treat.

Mrs. Esther Prasanakumar, Convenor, Student Welfare Committee.

UGC SPONSORED CERTIFICATE COURSE: conducted by the department of Computer Science.

Add– on Certificate Courses, Sponsored by the UGC

Networking with Netsim sponsored by the UGC

Embedded System sponsored by the UGC

Certificate course in J2EE for the III BCA students

Certificate course in Web development for III B.Sc. students

UGC CENTRE FOR WOMEN’S STUDIES, EMPOWERMENT AND SOCIAL RESEARCH:

The Centre published the Journal of Women’s Studies (Vol.5, No.1) in the month of August 2013. The journal has many contributions which highlight the role and status of women in various social situations.

The staff and students of the department of sociology attended a workshop on “Gender Sensitization” organised by the Womens’ Unit of Indian Social Institute, Bangalore in collaboration with the centre on 31st January and 1st February 2014.

In association with department of sociology, the centre organised the celebration of International Women’s Day 2014 on 13th March 2014. The chief guest was Ms. Aasha Ramesh, Gender Consultant and Social Activist spoke on “Inspiring Change” the theme of the year while the Special Guest Dr. Fr. George Mutholil, Director, Indian Social Institute, Bangalore delivered a motivating address emphasizing the role of young women towards their less privileged fellow women and empowering them.

Dr. Sowrabha C, Coordinator

BANGALORE UNIVERSITY PRIZES:

RANK AND GOLD MEDALS FOR THE YEAR 2012-2013.

- **MS. ANUSHA G – I RANK IN B.A. – HEP**

Ms. Anusha G has secured the following Gold Medal/ Cash Prizes:

- Sri M Srinivasa Iyengar & Smt. Doreshallamma Gold Medal to a final year B.A. degree student securing highest marks in Political Science and Economics.
- 37th Indian Political Science Conference Commemoration Gold Medal to the best student securing highest marks in Political Science in B.A. Examination.
- Sri Rajathantra Praveena Sri S D Rajagopalachary Memorial Prize to the student securing highest marks in Political Science in B.A. Examination of BU.
- President John F Kennedy Memorial Gold Medal to a final year degree student securing highest marks in I attempt in any subject in the University Examination for B.A. degree course.
- Sri N Ananthachar Memorial Gold Medal to a distinguished student securing highest marks in the aggregate of all 3 years passing the Examination for B.A. degree course.
- MES College Silver Jubilee Prize to the successful candidate obtaining highest marks in aggregate including language under Part – I and passing B.A. degree in 1st attempt in all 3 years.
- The Central College Diamond Jubilee Commemoration Prize (University of Mysore) to the best student who passes the B.A./B.Sc. Examination.
- Late Sri Chikkalingappa and Smt. Gowramma Cash Prize to B.A. student securing highest marks in History.

- **MS. SAIRA BANO – B.A. HOME SCIENCE**

- Smt. Saroja Bai Keshava Vittal Gold Medal to a girl student in Home Science in B.A. Degree Examination.

ENDOWMENT PRIZES
LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS 2013-2014

| PRIZES | NAMES |
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| J Balamani Krishnappa Memorial Prize: Instituted by (Late.) Mrs. Supriya Steele (well-wisher of the College) for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination: I B A II B A III B A | Ms. Preksha. K Ms. Monica Paul Ms. Anusha G |
| Mrs. Grace Moses Prize: Instituted by Mr. Davis Moses for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination: I B Sc. II B Sc. III B Sc. | Ms. Hafsa Noorain Ms. Sharmada M V – CHP Ms. Fasiha Sultana - CBBT |
| Rt. Rev. & Mrs. Wharton, Bishop of New Castle, UK Prize for the student securing highest marks in the University Examination: I B Com II B Com III B Com | Ms. Sadiya Nazeem, Ms. Pooja S and Ms. Shweta N Ms. Archana N and Ms. Vishaka A Jain Ms. Nikhat Afshan and Ms. Rishika J Marlecha |
| Department of Sociology Prize for the best Degree student in Sociology – University Examination | Ms. Athira T P – III B.A. - SPE |
| Mrs. Elizabeth Joseph Prize: Former Principal of the College and School for the Degree student in Optional English University Examination | Ms. Raghavi B |
| Department of Kannada Prize: Mrs. Maya Devi Gabrani Memorial Prize: | |

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| Best performance in I Degree Kannada – University Examination Mrs. Maya Devi Gabrani Memorial Prize: Best performance in II Degree Kannada – University Examination | Ms. Swathi K I – II B.Com. Ms. Shwetha P J – III BCA |
| Department of Hindi Prize for the students securing highest marks in Hindi: University Examination Mr. Suresh Jain Prize – I Degree Mr. Shyam Gabrani Prize – II Degree | Ms. Sadiya Nazeem, Ms. Sonal S and Ms. Sonal Yadav Ms. Monica |
| Dr. Elizabeth S Thomas Prize: Former Principal of the College for the best Degree students in Home Science – University Examination | Ms. Saira Bano – III BA – EPH |
| Mr. SD Mark Memorial Prize: For the student who has scored highest marks in Botany – University Examination | Ms. Cehrin Elyas |
| Mrs. Geetha Dua Prize: Former Commerce student (I Batch) for the best III Degree B Com student – University Examination | Ms. Nikhat Afshan and Ms. Rishika J Marlecha |
| Former Students’ Association Prize: For the student who has studied both PUC and Degree in the College and has been consistent in studies | Ms. Anusha G |
| Mrs. Meenakshi Ramamurthy Memorial Prize: For the best Psychology Degree student of III Degree – University Examination | Ms. Raghavi B |
| Department of History Prize: (Late) Ms. Sanghita Sen Memorial Prize for the student who has secured the highest marks in History – University Examination | Ms. Anusha G |
| Department of Economics Prize: Instituted by Ms. BG Jyothi, Head, Dept. of Economics of the College for the best Degree student in III B A Economics. | Ms. Anusha G |

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| Department of Commerce Prize: Instituted by Mrs. Sujatha Purohith, former faculty member of the College, for the top scorer in Income Tax | Ms. Nikhat Afshan |
| (Late) Mr. Mathew Philip Memorial Prize: For the student securing highest marks in III BBM | Ms. Krupa Joshi |
| Mr. Mehboob Shariff Memorial Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in III BCA | Ms. Soumita Chandra |
| Dr. & Dr. (Mrs.) Gemson Prize: For the best degree student in Mathematics University Examination. | Ms. Afshan Anjum |
| Picasso Animation College, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in B Sc Computer Science – University Examination | Ms. Pooja H S |
| Universal Coaching Centre, Bangalore for IAS/KAS aspirants Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Political Science – University Examination | Ms. Anusha G |
| CITO Infotech Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Chemistry – University Examination | Ms. Cehrin Elyas - CBBT |
| IBS, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Advanced Financial Accounting – University Examination | Ms. Rishika J Marlecha |
| Supreme Universe International Travel Agent & Tour Organizers Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Journalism – University Examination | Ms. Raghavi B |
| GEMS – B School and MMIHE, Bangalore | |

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| Special Prize for BBM students: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Accountancy (BBM) – University Examination | Ms. Krupa Joshi |
| M N Sports, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has scored the highest marks in Biotechnology – University Examination | Ms. Fasiha Sultana |
| G S Holidays, Bangalore Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in Physics – University Examination | Ms. Afshan Anjum |
| Sri Raksha Special Prize: For the student who has secured the highest marks in Auditing – (B.Com.)University Examination | Ms. Chandini B |

SPECIAL AWARDS – 2014

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| Best Outgoing | BA – Ms. Sharon Alfred - SPE B Sc – Ms. Kashifa Sultana - CBBT B Com – Ms. Ranjana S B C A – Ms. Shanthi Priya B B M - Ms. Amita Karki |
| Best All Rounder | BA - Ms. Megan Antonia Fernandes - PyEJ B Sc - Ms. Sharmada M V - CHP B Com - Ms. Pavithra H BBM - Ms. Varma Neha Manmohan BCA - Ms. Anisha G |
| Best in Co-curricular Activities | Ms. Pavithra H – III B.Com. B |
| Best Prefect | Ms. Deepali H Talreja – III B.Com. A |
| Leadership Award | Ms. Pavithra H – III B.Com. B |
| Best Sports Achiever | Ms. Keerthika M – III B.Com. C |
| Best NCC Cadet | Ms. Pooja Bisht – II B.Com. B |
| Best SCM Student | Ms. Feleena Sudarshan – III B.Sc. |
| Chapel Prefect | Ms. Anisha G – III BCA |
| Best News Board | III B.Com. A |
| Best Bulletin Board | Department of Psychology |
| Best E – Leader | Ms. Apeksha Rajpurohit – III BBM |

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| Best Y – Unit Member | Ms. Abhinethri B – III B.Sc. |
| Best Eco – Leader | Ms. Neha Rauniyar – III BCA |
| Best Class | III B.Com. C |
| Best Rotaractor | Ms. Pooja Singh – III BBM |
| Best NSS Volunteer | Ms. Geetha G – III B.Com. C |
| Best Youth Red Cross Society Volunteer | Ms. Rekha R – III B.Com. C |