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EDITORIAL

Change of guard at the helm of Higher Education has been seen by academicians and other stakeholders of education, as a need on time. Prakash Javdekar, a seasoned politician has taken over the reigns from Smriti Irani.

During her tenure, a number of Universities in the country went into turmoil for one reason or the other. Instead of promoting higher education, the Ministry was blamed for a number of uncalled for issues like Rohit vemula, Kannaiah Kumar and others.

The most important factor of National Policy on Higher Education was never looked into. Over the years, higher education sector in India, has never been given the importance it rightfully deserves. Improving quality of education, upgrading syllabi, industry tie-ups, advanced infrastructure, change in teaching methodology, etc; are the requirements that needs to be given a cutting edge importance in framing the National Education Policy.

In fact, the HRD Ministry has to think of framing a Policy in such a manner that it helps the students to compete with the students of the developed countries. An Indian student should not feel at a loss when he/she faces the rest of the world. Moreover, the teaching methodology across India is almost obsolete. We have to redefine the methodology of teaching-learning process; create a self learning atmosphere for student growth; promote technology usage and help students to be on par with the rest of the world. Perhaps ,in the next couple of years we can foresee such changes with Prakash Javedkar at the helm of the Ministry.

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To overcome tradition

ANUSHA HEGDE

“**I**ntha maduve beka?” This was the line dominating the “Hold On” campaign on the topic “Education first, Marriage next” held by the group Samvaada with members from different colleges on 25 February 2016 at Shashwati Auditorium. The group has a 25 year history on leading campaigns on different social issues.

The program was inaugurated by Prof. Premalatha. R, HoD, Economics. A play was performed

by the members of Samvaada.

In the feedback session, Dr. Mangalagouri, HoD, Women’s Studies said, “Domestic responsibilities should be shared responsibilities. Women have the strength to do multi-tasking but education is a necessity as she has to transfer the values to the future generation.”

Ms. Kiran, senior member, Samvaada responded by stressing on the need for ‘Economic

independence and re-thinking of general roles of a man and woman.” She also spoke about how a man has been wrongly considered to be the sole breadwinner of the family and the pathetic condition of women who believe this.

Several girls of the college expressed their viewpoints on the topic and the program ended with an oath-taking ceremony. A vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. Mangalagouri.

Investiture Ceremony



The investiture ceremony of the student council members for the academic year 2016-17 was held on 10 Aug, 2016 at Mangala Mantapa presided over by the Principal of the college. The presidents, secretaries and joint secretaries representing various forums were presented with badges followed by the swearing in ceremony.

A Memorable Musical

TEJU BELAWADI



Play 'Thyagaraja Charitha' performed by students of Ninaada troupe.

The Ninaada troupe of the College paid tribute to Thyagaraja and Purandaradasa by performing Thyagarajara Aaradhane on 27th February 2016 at Shashwati Auditorium. The event was inaugurated by Dr. Snehalata G. Nadiger, Principal and Dr. S Ranganath, faculty member, Sanskrit, spoke about the significance of the event. This was followed by the performance of “Thyagarajara Charita”, a play written by Lavanika, III BBM, and directed by Lavanika and

Teju Belawadi, II BA.

The play narrated the moving tale of Thyagaraja’s journey through life as he expresses devotion to Lord Srirama with his music to liberate himself from “samasarika sukha bhoga” at his Lord’s feet.

The next program was a Carnatic Classical Kacheri with Kirtanas of Purandara Dasa and -“Pancharatna Kritis” of Thyagaraja that was performed by all the students of Ninaada with

a few alumni Ninaada students. Kaladhari, II BA, on the flute was joined by artists Shashank and Uttam on the violin and mrudangam respectively.

Dr. S Ranganath recited the versus from all the four vedas for the “Shodhashopachara” pooja offered to Purandara Dasa and Thyagaraja with Purandara Dasa Devaranama rendered by Mr. Nagarajan, of the college office. The program concluded with the felicitation of all the artists by the Principal.

Stepping Towards Equity

ANUSHA HEGDE

“Put yourselves first and live life”, were the encouraging words spoken by Ms. Aranyani Bhargav, Bharatnatyam dancer and director of “Vyuthi”.

While talking of women empowerment, she urged the students to strike a balance between professional and personal responsibilities instead of becoming persecutors of patriarchy.

The Department of Women’s Studies celebrated the International Women’s Day on 8th March, 2016 at Mangala Mantapa. The program began with an inaugural song “Stree Andare Ashte sake” by the Ninaada troupe followed by a welcome address by Dr. Snehlata G Nadiger, Principal.

The dignitaries present were Ms. Maya Chandra, trustee RSS Trust, Ms. Aranyani Bhargavi and Ms. Priyam Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Department of Mass Communication in Jagannath Institute of Management Studies, New Delhi. Dr. Manola Gayathri, faculty member of the Department introduced the guests followed



Ms. Aranyani Bhargav, Bharatnatyam dancer, Dr. Snehalatha G. Nadiger, Principal and Dr. Shrimathi, HOD, Women’s Studies light the lamp

by the lighting of the lamp. Dr. S.P. Srimathi, Coordinator, PG, Women’s Studies, gave a brief introduction on Women’s Day. The final year students launched the blog ‘Naarivad’, promoting women empowerment as a part of their final year project.

Ms. Priyam Ghosh made a presentation on the topic ‘Travels of a Woman Archivist’ that gave a gist of an archivist’s work along with pictures and videos of protests in Delhi regard-

ing the Nirbhaya movement. A documentary produced by Ms. Maya Chandra about the martyr families was screened.

The oath-taking ceremony was administered by Dr. Manola Gayathri followed by a dance performance by the Nupur troupe on “Mahishasuramardhini”. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks by Prof. Roopa.K, faculty member, Department of Women’s Studies.

Feminizing Climate Change

SANIYA TABASSUM



Mr. Niroj Mohanty, Mr. H Shreesha, Mr. Venkatesh Babu, Dr. Ritu Kakkar and faculty members from Biotechnology Department.

The Departments of Women's Studies and Biotechnology jointly organized a one-day workshop on 16th March 2016 at Shashwati auditorium on "Women, Gender Equality and Climate Change" in collaboration with 'Core Carbon X' and SKG Sangha.

The invocation song was sung by Ms. Kaladhari from Ninaada followed by the lamp lighting ceremony. Dr. Snehalata G. Nadiger, Principal welcomed the dignitaries.

Dr. Ritu Kakkar, Director General of EMPRI spoke about the relevance and importance

of climate change by stating examples of the Chipko movement. She said, "Women are very sensitive to the environment and they will be the ones most affected by the changes as they handle domestic responsibilities."

The second session was by Mr. Niroj Mohanty, Managing Director Core Carbon X who spoke about climate finance and its impact by laying emphasis on the extreme climate conditions like the heavy rainfall experienced in UAE and Chennai affecting people.

Mr. H Shreesha, journalist

and social activist addressed the students by referring to the energy each of us carries within to bring about economic empowerment. He spoke about measures to combat environmental ruin with facts and personal opinions and concluded by saying, "Gender equality is the only solution that can only be achieved with knowledge."

Mr. Venkatesh Babu, Trustee, RSS Trust was also present for the screening of a documentary film by Core Carbon X on gender equality and women. Dr. S.P. Srimathi, Coordinator, PG, Women's Studies proposed a vote of thanks.

Exploring New Roots

AISWARYA GANGADHAR



Students from various colleges participated in fest activities.

The Humanities forum, ART-LOBE conducted its first inter-collegiate fest 'Sogadu', meaning 'going back to the roots' on 22nd March 2016 at Mangala Mantapa. The theme of the fest was Make in India : Concepts, Suggestions and Reflections. It was inaugurated by Mr. Sanchari Vijay, Nation-

al Awardee for his film Nanu Avannala Avallu, along with Dr. Snehalata G. Nadiger, Principal.

Various events were conducted with participants from different colleges in Bengaluru. A quiz competition with renowned Quiz Master Thejaswi

Udupa was held. Competitions like Group Singing with a folk theme, Photography, Lecture competition with the theme 'Make in India' and Dumb Charades took place. At the end of the day, winners were awarded with prizes at the valedictory function in Shashwati Auditorium.



Winners were given prizes at the valedictory function.

A launch pad to Success !!!

SHARNEET SANDHU



Dr. Snehalatha G Nadiger, Principal, Dr. Vishnu Bharath, Smt. Madhura Ashok and former Prof. Jayanthi gave away the certificates.

The college Placement and Training Centre DISHA conducted the valedictory function on 2nd April, 2016 at Mangala Mantapa, for the outgoing UG students. The Chief Guest for the day, Dr. A.S. Vishnubharath, Trustee, RSS Trust and Guest of Honor Ms. Madhu-

ra Ashok, President, Vatsalya Mahila Samaja distributed the certificates for the students who completed the following programs :

Pre Placement Training Program* Out Bound Training* Advanced Excel Training* Ger-

man Language Course* Android Workshop* TCS - Affirmation Action Plan Program* Deutsche Bank training*

The Principal, in her presidential address wished all the students success in their future endeavours.

A felicitation amidst stars

ARCHANA R



Mr. Rajesh Krishnan, Smt. Rekha, Smt. Lakshmi Devi, Smt. Mala Rangaswamy, Smt. Veena Sunder, the Principal along with students and other faculty members.

The Association Day and Annual Day were celebrated on 4th April 2016 at Mangala Mantapa. The invocation song was sung by Ms. Anupama MA, faculty member, BBA followed by the lamp lighting. Dr. Snehalata G Nadiger, Principal welcomed the gathering. The guests were introduced by Prof. K.S Nagendra, HoD, Psychology.

Ms. Rekha, actress and sportsperson popularly known as 'Sparsha' Rekha spoke nostalgically, "It is always nice to come back and see the colorful smiles of the students full of spirit." Ms. Veena Sunder, actor, said, "We are students throughout our

lives but it is so much better to be around youth." Ms. Lakshmi Devi and Ms. Mala Rangaswamy, Alumni of the College motivated and wished the students good luck.

Ms. Anupama and members of Ninaada troupe presented a couple of songs sung by Mr. Rajesh Krishnan, playback singer and the chief guest of the day. He in turn entertained the audience with a few of his numbers.

The annual reports of the various associations were presented by the student presidents: Shruthi Gururaj for Vangmaya Vedike, Harsha Priya for Ma-

navika Vedike, Samrajni Bhat for Vignana Vedike, Mayuri P Kumar for Vanijya Vedike and Aishwarya Das for Abhyudaya Vedike.

The NCC student achievers were felicitated by the chief guests and other prizes like Best Outgoing student were given by the guests.

Dr. A.S. Vishnu Bharath, Trustee, RSS Trust, in his presidential address said "East or West, NMKRV is the best!" A vote of thanks was delivered by Prof. K.S. Nagendra, HOD, Psychology, followed by other cultural programs.

A fresh start...

ANANYA K.S.

“The end of curiosity marks the end of learning and knowledge. So, be inquisitive, be curious and be a student forever” said Dr. A.S. Vishnu Bharath, Trustee, RSS Trust. He inaugurated the first year degree classes which was held on 28th June, 2016 at MangalaMantapa and addressed the students and gave a glimpse of the college’s culture and tradition of four decades.

The programme began with an invocation by Ms. Kaladhari Bhavani of II B.A. followed by a welcome address by Dr. S.N. Srimathi, vice-principal, who recalled the legacy of late Dr. C.N. Mangala and spoke highly of the motto of the institution, ‘Educate-Enrich-Empower’.

Dr. UshaVastare, founder of ‘Yogakshema’ rehabilitation and wellness centre, was the guest of honour who addressed the students on the neuro-scientific perspectives. She said, one needs to develop neuro scientific perspective in order to transform oneself from a piece of rock to a precious diamond. Her speech brought together the best of the



Dr. Usha Vastare speaking to the new students.

eastern and the western worlds with her quotes from Freud, Aristotle, Swami Vivekananda and Bruhadaranyaka Upanishad. Emphasizing on the importance of positive thoughts, feelings and actions and the power of automaticity, Dr. Vastare motivated the students with her conclud-

ing note, “ Befriend your mind, create your own destiny and be a neurosculptor”. Ms. Ramya, a student of R.V. Group of Institutions, shared her experiences with the R.V. family and spoke about the dreams and aspirations of students, followed by a vote of thanks.



A New wave

ARCHANA R



‘**E**ducate a man and you educate one; Educate a woman and you educate an entire family.’ –said Mr. Prakash Belwadi, Actor, Director and Journalist, as he was speaking about the importance of women’s education. He inaugurated the first year Post-Graduate degree classes on 2nd August, 2016, at Shashwati Auditorium.

The programme began with an invocation song by Ms. Chandrakala followed by the lighting of the lamp. Dr Snehalata G. Nadiger, Principal welcomed the gathering.

Dr. Vani M. N, Coordinator, PG Journalism and Mass Communication presented a brief profile of all the five PG departments. The second year students from each of the Department spoke about their experience in the college while extending a warm welcome and support to the freshers.

Ms. Maya Chandra, Trustee, RSS Trust welcomed the students by saying, “Let us evolve into a better society with better education.” Prof. Manoj B A, faculty member, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication proposed a vote of thanks.



Udta Punjab, a crime-drama by Abhishek Chaubey needs no introduction for all its issues with the censor board and leak before release as it brings out the reality of Punjab, known to all as the land of five rivers or happy Sikhs or the source of Santa-Banta jokes. Hugely popular even before release from the controversies that raised a bigger movement about censorship, political interference, pop star trend and of course, drug abuse, the film set itself a high bar without running any promotion campaign.

Sure enough, when the film saw its release in theatres, each viewer acknowledged that all the hype did indeed lead up to something. Even to the most aware citizen, issues like the partition and Operation Blue Star may occur as an event in history. Both decisions made by Indian leaders before and after independence, the film throws light on the effects Punjab has been left to deal with in the dark.

Four tales are interwoven in apt Bollywood style as the journeys of Pinky, Tommy, Balla and Preet

proceed. Pinky, a young girl driven from one misery to another until drug addiction envelops her completely is played brilliantly by Alia Bhatt who comes inspires a beau in Tommy Singh, the pop star played by Shahid Kapoor. His own tragedy that entails being turned into a movement he never intended. Through him, the film explores the trend-setting power that is the strongest influence on the country's youth. Balla, a teenager is a victim along with others who receives all the special treatment most others do not as his brother and police officer Sartaj

A bitter pill to swallow

ASHWINI HEGDE

Film Review : Udda Punjab

Director : Abhishek Chaubey

Cast : Alia Bhatt, Shahid Kapoor, Kareena Kapoor Khan, Diljit Dosanjh

played by Diljit Dosanjh tries to rehabilitate. Preet, an activist and doctor played by Kareena Kapoor is his partner and romantic interest as they gear up to legally fight the unspeakable level of crime in their homeland.

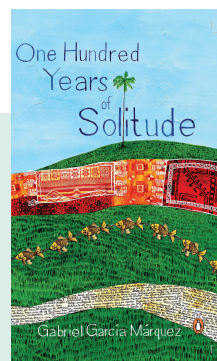
The film has done well in fighting the urge to glorify drugs as a means of ‘escape into momentary ecstasy’ as seen by most. Widely acclaimed for the music and its Punjabi lingo throughout, it is enough entertainment to consider it into mainstream cinema while holding on to the message it prom-

ised to deliver. It is no flick one can watch with a family but one that each must watch individually in order to know and introspect the rampant issue. While drugs may not be as big an issue for the rest of the country, it stands true that it is an imposition of a nation’s decisions on one state. The trend-following situation holds true to every youth as social media grows wider and stronger. The ban on the film followed by the outrageous cuts is proof of political influence on every aspect – including cinema, one of the most prominent art forms.

Dark, tragic, vulgar and full of danger that gives the film a very serious edge is nothing but a dose of truth. The film is a representation of innocent Ballis, helpless Pinkys with dreams, the Sartajs among corrupt police officers, the Preetis who are doing every bit they can and even the Gabrus we idolize and follow blindly. As Pinky in her moment of rage screams her resolve with “toote nahi hum”, Udda Punjab has given leg to a movement to the victim and the fighter to persist.

That space between time

ARCHANA R



“It’s enough for me to be sure that you and I exist at this moment.” As we read, so do we question. And the questions that come up while slipping through the story of the Buendia family in Garcia’s fictional place Macondo clash startlingly well with the questions asked by a husband to his psychopath wife in Gillian Flynn’s contemporary novel *Gone Girl* – “Who are you? What have we done to each other? What will we do?”

The story is a long, detailed and a specific one that follows a timeline. What should be tedious is broken down by the author’s unique style of writing that has an unstoppable flow. Disregarding all assumption that any fantastical creation in history must be detached from reality, Garcia tells a story that is every bit as real and is magical.

What starts with Jose Arcadio Buendia seeking a new beginning with his wife Ursula flourishes into an extraordinary land with no death. The legendary strength of a woman is displayed by Ursula who remains unbowed, unbent and unbroken to all things

Book :	One Hundred Years of Solitude
Author :	Gabriel Garcia Marquez
Publication Date :	1967
Publisher :	Harper & Row (US) Jonathan Cape (UK) (New Edition)

but one – the truth. She bears witness to over a century of her family history to testify the cyclical nature of time. One could even agree that for a novel that boasts of unimaginable adventures, creations, bouts of disease, war, incest, stories of love and hate, unending passion and everything human and inhuman, this is the greatest find of all, is this – “Time does not move forward.. it moves in a circle.”

In this novel, Garcia’s characters have a freedom unparalleled by any work of art. Every emotion, situation and occurrence is driven to the utmost extreme in the most natural sense. The blessing of a long life is almost a harsh punishment for the fierce passion, each has in them. Long, tragic lives lost in the ones they loved or did not love, lost in fighting and making peace, lost in amassing wealth and seeing it all,

turn into nothing, suffering disease and weather and ultimately surviving themselves, one comes to ask the questions - “Who are you? What have we done to each other? What will we do?”

To the end, the answers to these questions are obvious. As the last of the family discovers the invisible knot holding their circle together, the futility of trying to escape becomes clear. The questions require no answer, life needs no clarification as the will of the prophecy precedes individual decisions. And as Garcia reveals the truths of humanity in all its shame and glory reflected in Macondo’s mirrors, the reader will understand. Tragedy and doom may fall, chances may never come again and maybe there is another image, but races condemned to one hundred years of solitude did not have a second opportunity on earth.

Departmental Activities

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

The legacy of the College in bringing out the Vartha Vahini is continuing undeterred although there are some bottlenecks. The College has completed three cycles of accreditation by NAAC; a year has passed by and we are continuing to innovate and become a College for Excellence as recognized by the UGC.

In another couple of years, the College will celebrate the Golden Jubilee and the legacy of the College as thought of by its founding members will continue.

UG – COURSES

SANSKRIT

Dr. B. Vishwanath Bhat, HoD, presented a paper on Vyasa-Mahabharatha in the National Conference organized by ISKCON and Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan on 17th June 2016. He also delivered a series of lectures on 'Anugeete' at Meditation and Study circle in Jayanagar in March, 2016.

Dr. S. Ranganath, faculty member, Presented a paper on recensions of Rigveda at Karnataka State Open University, University of Mysore, on 31st January 2016. He also presented a paper on Upanishads in SDM Women's College, Mysore, on 9th March 2016. He presented a paper on Science of Mind Control in JSS College, Ooty on 17th April 2016. He presented a paper on Charuvasanthiyam at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan in Mysore on 17th July 2016.

He published the following books:

1. 'Tagore in Sanskrit literature' published by RV

Institute of Sanskrit studies on January 26th 2016 during the Platinum Jubilee Celebrations of the RSS Trust.

2. Edited a book titled "Message of Mahapuranas" published by Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Bangalore in 2016.
3. His book 'Tagore in Sanskrit literature' was released by Dr.Soumitra Chakravarthy, Tagore Scholar and Professor of English at RV Institute of Management on 22nd March 2016.
4. His books "Guruvani" and "Bhagawan Shridharaswamy as Sakshi" were released at Varadapura, Sagar on 23rd April 2016.
5. His books on "Subhashithas in Mahabharatha" was published by Dr.Geetha and Dr.Ramakrishna in the month of June,2016, in Bangalore.

Also, his review on 'Ullanghanam,' - Sanskrit translation of Sri S.L.Bhyrappa's 'datu' is published in sambhashana sandesha, a Sanskrit Magazine in the month of May, 2016.

KANNADA

ನವರಿ 21 ರಂದು ಭಾಷಾ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆಯನ್ನು ಆಚರಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ಕನ್ನಡ, ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತ, ಇಂಗ್ಲೀಷ್, ಹಿಂದೀ, ಉರ್ದು ವಿಭಾಗಗಳು ಸೇರಿ 'ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸ ಆಯಾಮಗಳು' ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯದ ಮೇಲೆ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಪ್ರೊ. ಎನ್. ಮನು ಚಕ್ರವರ್ತಿ, ಡಾ. ಚಿರಿಯನ್ ಅಲೆಗ್ಸಾಂಡರ್, ಡಾ. ವೈ. ಬಿ. ಪ್ರಭಾವತಿ, ಡಾ. ಟಿ. ಜಿ. ಪ್ರಭಾಶಂಕರ್ ಪ್ರೇಮಿ ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಚಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಮಂಡಿಸಿದರು. ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಸೃಜನಶೀಲ ಬರವಣಿಗೆಯ ಪುಸ್ತಕ 'ಕನಸು' ವನ್ನು ಬಿಡುಗಡೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಯಿತು.

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ಶ್ರೀ ಸಿದ್ದವ್ವನ ಹಳ್ಳಿ ಕೃಷ್ಣಶರ್ಮರ ಸ್ಮಾರಕ ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠಾನ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಭಿನವದ ಸಹಭಾಗಿತ್ವದಲ್ಲಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ 04/07/2016 ರಂದು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಪ್ರಬಂಧ ಸ್ಪರ್ಧೆಯನ್ನು ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ವಿಜೇತರಿಗೆ ಬಹುಮಾನವನ್ನು ನೀಡಲಾಯಿತು. 26/02/2016ರಂದು ವಿಭಾಗಕ್ಕೆ ಯು.ಜಿ.ಸಿ. ಅಧ್ಯಾಪಕರಾಗಿ ಬಸವರಾಜ್ ಅವರು ನೇಮಕಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ದಿನಾಂಕ -29/03/ 2016ರಂದು 'ಮಹಿಳಾ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ' ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ನ್ಯಾಷನಲ್ ಪದವಿ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ "ನಾನು ಮತ್ತು ನನ್ನ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ" ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯದ ಮೇಲೆ ಜರುಗಿದ ಒಂದು ದಿನದ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಮಹಿಳಾ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಧ್ಯಾಪಕರುಗಳಾದ ಡಾ.ಬಿ.ಟಿ.ಅನುರಾಧ, ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಲೀಲಾವತಿ.ಪಿ, ಹಾಗೂ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಸಂಧ್ಯಾ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀ ನಾರಾಯಣ ಹೆಗಡೆ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಮಾರ್ಚ್ 15, 16 2016ರಂದು ಎ.ಪಿ.ಎಸ್ ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ "ಸಮಕಾಲೀನ ಸನ್ನಿವೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಭೋಧನೆ : ಆಯಾಮಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಸವಾಲುಗಳು" ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯದ ಮೇಲೆ ನಡೆದ ಯುಜಿಸಿ ಪ್ರಾಯೋಜಿತ ಎರಡು ದಿನಗಳ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ವಿಚಾರ ಸಂಕರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಲೀಲಾವತಿ.ಪಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಸಂಧ್ಯಾ ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀ ನಾರಾಯಣ ಹೆಗಡೆಯವರು "ಆಧುನಿಕ ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಮೀಮಾಂಸೆ: ಕಾವ್ಯ" ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯದ ಕುರಿತು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ ಮಹಾಪ್ರಬಂಧಕ್ಕೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಧಾರವಾಡ ಡಾಕ್ಟರೇಟ್ ಪದವಿ ನೀಡಿದೆ. ಇವರು ಉಪನಿಷತ್ತಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ "ಅರಿವಿ ನೆಡೆಗೆ ..." ಎಂಬ ಪುಸ್ತಕವನ್ನು ಸಂಪಾದಿಸಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಮಾರ್ಚ್ 15, 16 ರಂದು ಎ.ಪಿ.ಎಸ್ ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ಎರಡು ದಿನಗಳ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ವಿಚಾರ ಸಂಕರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿ "ತರಗತಿಯ ಬೋಧನೆಯ ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಪಠ್ಯದ ಸ್ವರೂಪ" ಎಂಬ ಪ್ರಬಂಧವನ್ನು ಮಂಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಲೇಖನ ರೂಪದ ಈ ಪ್ರಬಂಧ ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಶ್ರೀ ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠಾನದ ಷಾಣ್ಮಾಸಿಕ ವಿದ್ವತ್ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆ 'ಲೋಚನ'ದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟವಾಗಿದೆ. "ಅಪ್ಪನ ಬದುಕೆಂಬ ಉಪನಿಷತ್" ಹಾಗೂ "ಕಾಸ್ಮೋಪಾಲಿಟನ್ ಯುಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಹಿಳೆ" ಎಂಬ ಲೇಖನಗಳು ಉದಯವಾಣಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಪ್ರಜಾವಾಣಿ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಗಳಲ್ಲೂ ಪ್ರಕಟವಾಗಿವೆ.

ENGLISH

Prof. Beena Manohar attended a workshop on Film Studies in Indian Institute of Science, Education and Research from 21st to 24th June 2016 at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.

HINDI

The Department conducted the annual Inter-Class Competition on 03rd August 2016; the events were Pick & Speak and Group Song.

JOURNALISM

The Department released 'Prajwala' and Varthavahini in the month of January 2016 and 'Suprabha' in March 2016. It also organized a visit to Indian Express for the second year students on 03rd March 2016 where they learnt the nuances of newspaper printing. In recognition of the contribution to journalism education, Dr. M.N. Vani, HoD was honoured with 'Daughter's Day Award' by the Public Relations Council of

India, Bangalore Chapter on 23rd July 2016.

On 03rd and 04th August 2016, Jingle Bells and Pot-Pourri events for the Inter-Class competitions were conducted. Ms. Archana R and Ms. Divya, students of second year BA completed a summer internship with Network-18 CNN News.

Along with the students of V Semester BA (Journalism) students, Dr. M.N.Vani, HoD, Ms. Sharada T, Ms. Akasmitha attended a talk on 'Cinema, Electronic Media and Digital Media' at UVCE, Bangalore on 09th August 2016 organised by Young Communicators Club.

SOCIOLOGY

The Department organized a guest lecture by Dr Krishne Gowda on 'Research methods and techniques in social research' for IV semester students on 17th March, 2016.

PSYCHOLOGY

The Department is a part of Humanities Forum, under the banner of the forum it organized the Inter-Collegiate fest SOGADU on 22nd March 2016. It also organized Inter-Class competitions on 03rd August 2016.

WOMEN'S STUDIES

The Department celebrated the International Women's Day on March 8th 2016. to understand the functioning of a Biogas plant, the students visited a Biogas Plant in Ramanahalli, Ramana-gar Taluk on 12th March, 2016.

The Department organized a two day seminar on "Climate Change and Gender Equality" with Carbon X and the Department of Biotechnology on 16th March, 2016.

Dr. Mangalagowri presented a paper "Transcending the binary opposition between the public and private sphere through feminine aesthetic in classical dance form" in an International Conference organised by Bangalore University on 29th March, 2016.

Dr. Mangalagowri and Dr. S.P. Srimathi participated in a national seminar on "Gender inclusive Policy initiatives in higher education system in India" organized by Bharathidasan Women's University at Trichy, Tamil Nadu on 30th April, 2016.

Dr. Mangalagowri delivered a lecture on "Population Dynamics" at Bijapur Women's University Extension Center, Mandya.

On 14th June 2016, the Department conducted a one day discussion on National Policy for Women 2016, in the College.

CHEMISTRY

Ms. Divyashree and Ms. Sunitha Kumari attended a one-day workshop on 29th January 2016 conducted by JNCASR on the occasion of centenary celebration of chemical bond.

Prof. B S Nirmala Shankar was a judge for model making competition at Jain College, Bengaluru. Prof. G K Chandrika delivered a lecture on 'Discover the Self' for the students, conducted by Red Cross Society on 29th March 2016.

Dr. S N Srimathi visited the Scott Christian College, Nagarcovil, Kanyakumari district as a part of UGC team in connection with the autonomy renewal. She was a subject expert for PG staff selection at BMS College for Women, Bengaluru.

BOTANY

Ikebana and Quiz was conducted as a part of Inter-class Competitions on 5th Aug,2016.

The students attended a Seminar,topic- "Genetically modified foods" on 6th Aug.2016.The speaker was Dr. Vageesh Babu,Principal Scientist,IIHR.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

The Department conducted Lecture Competition and Dumb Charades for the Inter-Class competitions on 04th August 2016.

ZOOLOGY

The Department visited KSIC and KMF, Mysore as a part of an educational trip on 27th Feb 2016, organized by Vignana Vedike.

PHYSICS

The Department organized a one day industrial visit to Mysore (Ace components and KMF) for all the science students on 27th February, 2016.

Prof.H. Nalini was a judge for the Karnataka State Science Exhibition, Bangalore South Zone jointly organized by the Department of Science and Technology, Karnataka State and the Department of Collegiate education at Dayananda Sagar College on 26th March, 2016. She also presented a paper titled "Cathode material for aqueous rechargeable Li-ion battery" at the International

conference on Advanced material and technology (ICMAT-16) on 26th-28th May, 2016 at Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering, Mysore.

On 16th and 17th May, 2016, Prof.H.Nalini and Ms. Ramyashree G V attended a two day faculty development programme on "Educational Leadership and Creative Teaching Techniques" in the college.

BIOTECHNOLOGY

The students were taken for an industrial visit to IIHR, Hesaraghatta, Bengaluru on 29th January, 2016. As a part of Vignana Vedike, the students visited KSIC factory, Mysore Milk Dairy and Mandya Sugar Factory.

Ms. Suman Prasad, faculty member, attended a one-day UGC- sponsored National Seminar at St. Joseph's College of Commerce on "Strengthening Transparency in Higher Educational Institutions" on 29th January, 2016.

A guest lecture was delivered by Dr.Vageesh Babu, Principal Scientist, Indian Institute of Horticultural Research on the topic "Issues associated with transgenic plants" on August 6th, 2016 for biological science students.

Chaitra R, Sindhu P and Vinutha M A from the Department won second prize in 'Catch me if you can' event in the Inter-College Fest on 10th August, 2016 at Jain University, Bengaluru

COMMERCE

All the members of the Department participated in a two-day UGC sponsored program on "Educational Leadership and Creative Teaching Techniques" on 16th and 17th May 2016. They

also attended a week-long faculty empowerment program at St. Joseph College of Commerce, Bengaluru from 23rd to 28th May 2016. The faculty members attended a faculty study circle as an initiative for knowledge sharing on “Recent Trends in Banking Sector” at SSMRV College on 16th March 2016.

Dr. S V Shridhara Murthy directed a play “Padaka” staged by the students of final year B.Com as a part of ‘Rangotsava’ conducted in the memory of Late Dr. C N Mangala. He was honored by Rangashree Foundation at Ravindra Kalakshetra on 20th July 2016, in recognition of his contribution to Natya activities in the College.

Ms. Pushkala and Ms. Minu Subramanya presented a paper at the National Conference on “Corporate Social Responsibility – The Challenges Ahead” at BMS College for Women, Bengaluru on 04th April 2016. Ms. Pushkala also presented a paper at the National Conference on “OBS and Profitability of Foreign Banks in India” at Azhagappa University on 10th February 2016.

Ms. Vindhya B Prasad participated and presented the following papers in various National Conferences:

“Issues and Challenges in Corporate Social Responsibility under Companies Act 2013” at BMS College for Women on 4th and 5th February 2016

“An Overview of Corporate Governance under Companies Act 2013” at KLE’s Nijalingappa College on 10th March 2016

“Implications of Implementing GST in India” at Tumkur University on 7th May 2016.

Ms. Divyashree I.R attended a one-day workshop on IFRS at NITTE School of Management on 19th February 2016.

Ms. Radhika presented the following papers at various National Conferences:

“Rural Tourism Entrepreneurship and Women Empowerment with special reference to Banavasi, Karnataka” at Jyoti Nivas College on 23rd February 2016

“Inventing a vacation to a Location – with special reference to historical destinations of Karnataka” at Christ College.

“Indian tourism and Entrepreneurship: A Comprehensive analysis of emerging opportunities and challenges” at St. Joseph’s College for Commerce. B.Com students participated in various events like quiz, sports, group song and group dance at many colleges across the city.

MANAGEMENT

Ms. Anupama M. A, faculty BBA presented a paper on “Quality assurance through value based education” in IQAC National conference held at St. Joseph College of commerce and management(autonomous) on 29th January 2016. She is the BOE member for St. Joseph College of Commerce and Management (autonomous).

She attended the following Seminars and Conferences :

Faculty development program on “corporate expectations from new entrants” in RNSIT first grade college on 31st January 2016

Two-day international conference at XIME,

Bengaluru and presented a paper on “Need for acceleration of employability skills among undergraduates business students through Incubators/accelerators- with special reference to selected colleges in Bangalore” on 21st and 22nd March 2016.

Ms. Anupama and Ms. Darshini V attended a seminar on “HR trends“ along with the students (HR specialisation) conducted by Jain University on 3rd March 2016.

Ms. Vaishnavi M, final year student won II place in the Quiz ‘Lord of the Ents’ at IIM Bangalore on 07th August 2016.

A lecture was delivered by Prof. Mala Shridhara, faculty member, Department of Psychology on “Locus of control in corporate work life” on 14th July 2016. The Department conducted Fresher’s Day at Shashwathi Auditorium on 28th July 2016.

PG - COURSES

WOMEN’S STUDIES

Dr. Manola Gayathri and Dr. Mangalgowri along with the UG & PG students visited Bengaluru-Kanakpura Hermitage on 20-21st February, 2016 wherein a workshop was conducted by NGOs Aikya and Sakti on feminist collective activate. Practical exposure to Janapada Geetha and medicinal herbs were also part of this workshop.

A Gender Sensitization Programme was organized by PG & UG wing of the Department for the PUC students of NMKRV College on 10th February, 2016.

Dr.S.P.Srimathi, PG Coordinator and Dr. Mangalgowri were resource persons for “Gender and Legal Awareness” Programme by KLE College and Panchakshari Gawayi Music College, Gadag on 21st March, 2016.

Dr.S.P. Srimathi and Ms.Roopa jointly presented a paper on ‘Queen– A feminist analysis’ and Dr.Mangalgouri presented a paper on ‘women councilors of BBMP Bangalore’ which received the best paper award at the International Conference on “Women’s Empowerment across the continent” held at Kanyakumari and organized by EAST.

CHEMISTRY

Dr. Y. Venkataramanappa participated in a workshop on “100 years of chemical bond” on 29th January 2016 organized by JNCASR (Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research) Bangalore.

The students of II semester M.Sc., attended a one day workshop on “Social Responsibility of youth to fight against cancer” on 04th February 2016 conducted by KIDWAI Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore.

The Department organized a study tour during 18th - 21st Feb 2016 to CIPET (Mysore), Supreme Pharmaceutical Ltd. Nanjungudu, Mysore, and Kommveri weares sowets Kozhikode.

A Guest Lecture on “NMR Spectroscopy” by Prof. Suryaprakash, NMR Centre, IISc, was conducted for IV Sem M.Sc., students. Dr. Sudha Angadi gave a presentation in an International Conference on Materials Science & Technology, held from 1st -4th March, 2016 at the University of Delhi, Delhi.

Prof. Vijeth R Shetty presented a paper on “Melamine; an anode material for aqueous rechargeable lithium ion batteries” in the UGC sponsored National Level Seminar on Emerging Trends in Analytical Techniques (ETAT – 2016) Organized by Dept. of P G studies in Chemistry, Government Science college (Autonomous) Hassan held during 28 -29 March 2016.

He also presented a paper on “Electrochemical activities of Melamine and its application in aqueous rechargeable LI-ION batteries” and was adjudged as the Second best paper in an International Conference on Advanced Materials and Technology (ICMAT- 2016) Organized by JSS Mahavidhyapeetha and Sri jayachamarajendra College of Engineering Mysuru (TEQIP – II Initiative) during 26-28 May 2016. In the same Conference Dr. Sudha C Angadi did a poster presentation and got the second best paper award.

Prof. Vijeth R Shetty gave a presentation on “Electro-activities of Curcumin: a flevonoid which serves as an anode material for Rechargeable lith-

ium ion batteries” at The National Symposium on Electrochemical Science & Technology (NS-EST-2016) Organized by The electrochemical Society of India, Indian Institute of Science campus Bangalore-12 on 15 and 16 July 2016.

Dr.D.L. Roopa, Asst. Professor, attended a one day National Symposium on “Fundamentals of drug discovery procers: Industrial perspective” (FUNDIP – 2016) held at BMS college of Engineering on 5th August 2016.

JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

The Department organized a field visit to Radio Mirchi for all the PG students in the month of April 2016. Along with the students of I & II year MA JMC, Prof. Manoj B A attended a talk on ‘Cinema, Electronic Media and Digital Media’ at UVCE, Bangalore on 09th August 2016 organised by Young Communicators Club. The students released ‘Pheonix’ an online newsletter for the year 2015-16.



NSS students field activity.



NSS team organized a blood donation camp.

Annexes

NUPUR

The Nupur troupe participated in several inter collegiate competitions and won prizes in 7 events :

- BIMS Geetha Education Trust - II prize
- SSMRV - II Prize
- T John College - I Prize
- Seshadripurum College - II prize
- Maharani Ammanni College - III prize
- Bandari Jain College - II Prize
- Jain College - II prize

DISHA PLACEMENT AND TRAINING CENTER

The center organized a seminar on ‘Bombay Stock Exchange Capital Market’ on 27th January, 2016 conducted by Lotus Knowledge Wealth Pvt Ltd.

An awareness on pharmaceutical companies was conducted by TAKE Academy of Life Science and Leadership Pvt Ltd, Bangalore for BSc Life Science students on 30th January, 2016.

Special training for 80 hours was provided to the final year students by TCS through Affirmative Action Plan from 31st December, 2015 to 4th February, 2016, which was free of cost. Nine out of the 19 students who underwent the training were selected for job by the TCS.

A seminar on Career Opportunities in Clinical Research was conducted by ICRI for BSc Life Science and MSc students on 5th March, 2016.

The final year B.Sc Computer Science students attended a free training on Technical Aptitude on C, Data Structures and C ++ provided by Q Spiders for 90hours. Final year students successfully completed German Language classes conducted by Inlingua in the College. An awareness program on Banking was conducted by BRET Solutions on 29th March, 2016.

NCC

Seventeen cadets from the college appeared in the NCC “B” Certificate Exam and seven appeared in “C” Certificate Exams which was held at Army Public, School Bangalore in the month of February 2016 and obtained a 100% pass result.

The NCC Bangalore Group “A” cadets celebrated the International Yoga Day in the college. Over 150 students participated in the selection for the college NCC wing, out of which 38 were selected on 14th July 2016. Five cadets attended army attachment camp held at Goa in the month of April 2016 and one cadet attended the TSC shooting Training held at Para Regimental Centre.

NSS

The NSS Wing took 200 students to the Global Wellness Meet held at Palace Grounds on 27th January, 2016.

IQAC

The wing organized a two-day Faculty Develop-

ment Programme on “Educational Leadership and Creative Teaching” by Academy for Creative Teaching (ACT) on 16th and 17th June 2016.

YOUTH RED CROSS WING

The Youth Red Cross Wing organized a collage competition on the topic “Women’s Entrepreneurship” on 8th March 2016. They also organized a lecture on the topic “Discovery of Life” on 29th March 2016.

NATYA

The Natya troupe participated in ‘Dr. C.N. Mangala Memorial Drama Competition’ organized by Rangashree Kala Samsthe held between 20th and 21st July 2016 at Raveendra Kala kshethra. ‘Antigone’, a play directed by Lahari, student of III BA, won I best play and ‘Kuni Kuni navile’ directed by Teju Belawadi student of II B A bagged second best play award among the 28 teams that participated.

NINAADA

The troupe held Thyagaraja Aradhane and Purandaradaasa Aradhane, in which a play and a

musical concert were conducted and coordinated by Ms Anupama. The play ‘Thyagaraja Charitha’ was written and directed by Lavanika and Teju Belwadi. The Troupe presented a medley of Rajesh Krishnan’s songs on the college day. They presented the invocation song for Women’s Day, Health Camp and many other events.

UTKARSH

The members of the quiz club participated and won prizes in various competitions. They represented the college in IIT M Saraang 2016 fest, and other quizzes held at IIM-B, RVCE, PESIT, SSMRV, Mount Carmel, Surana, Sheshadripuram College, Jain College, St.Joseph’s College, Christ University, MES College, Global Institute of Management and Sciences, Atria College and Dayanand Sagar College and won numerous prizes. They also organized quiz as part of Artlobe-2016 with Quiz Master Tejaswi Udupa on 22nd March 2016.

SPORTS

The Department conducted ten events as Inter-Class competitions from 12th to 22nd July.



Mr. Niroj Mohanty, Mr. Venkatesh Babu, Dr. Ritu Kakkar and The Principal in a workshop on “Women, Gender Equality and Climate Change”

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End Semester Examination Result Analysis of II/IV & VI Semeste UG Courses held during April/May 2015								
Course Wise								
Sl.No	Course	Appear	Ab sent	Distinction	I Class	II Class	Total Pass	% of Pass
II SEMESTER								
1	II Semester BA	124	8	13	35	4	52	44.83
2	II Semester B.Sc	85	7	10	31	3	44	56.41
3	II Semester B.Com	289	15	32	96	24	152	55.47
4	II Semester B.Com (Vocational)	53		11	13	4	28	52.83
5	II Semester BBM	69	5	8	24	6	38	59.38
IV SEMESTER								
1	IV Semester B.A	96	2	20	38	5	63	67.02
2	IV Semester B.Sc	120	1	23	49	2	74	62.18
3	IV Semester B.Com	255	6	33	132	21	186	74.70
4	IV Semester B.Com (Vocational)	46		3	16	2	21	45.65
5	IV Semester BBM	50	2	10	14	5	29	60.42
VI SEMESTER								
1	VI Semester B.A	140	2	46	79	11	136	98.55
2	VI Semester B.Sc	110	1	31	47	2	80	73.39
3	VI Semester B.Com	252	0	67	127	17	211	83.73
4	VI Semester B.Com (Vocational)	50	0	6	20	2	28	56.00
5	VI Semester BBM	47	1	25	18	2	45	97.83

Photo Gallery



Prof. K.S Nagendra, HoD, Psychology received the Bharath-Gaurav award from the Indian Solidarity Council in collaboration with International Business Council in New Delhi in recognition of Research, Contribution and Outstanding Achievements in the field of psychology.



In recognition of the contribution to journalism education, Dr. M.N. Vani, HoD, Journalism, was honoured with 'Daughter's Day Award' by the Public Relations Council of India, Bangalore Chapter on 23rd July 2016.

Disha, the training and placement centre distributed certificates to the final year students who finished various courses and training programmes.





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