Activities carried out by Goa University and Colleges under Surakshit Bharat to be included in the Quarterly Report for period from 1st January 2024 to 31th March 2024 to be sent to Governor's Office.

Column A	Column B
Description of the	Details of activities held under the Activity Category mentioned in column A
Activity Category	
No. of Programmes	School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology – Goa University
conducted to promote	
Fundamental Duties	1. A one-day seminar on "Advances in waste management for sustainable future" was organized by the Microbiology Discipline, School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology, Goa University on 20 th February, 2024. The focus of the event was to create awareness about the sustainable strategies for waste management among the younger generation that is the students and research scholars across Goa. The seminar was attended by faculties, research scholars and Undergraduate and post-graduate students from various disciplines of life Sciences across Goa. The seminar comprised of four sessions chaired by experts from various fields. Session I was chaired by Mr. Clinton Vaz, waste management specialist, Recycle. Sir delivered a session on "Conscious consumerism and decentralized waste management". Session II was chaired by Prof. Srikanth Mutnuri, Dept. of Biological Sciences, BITS Pilani, KK Birla Goa Campus. Session III was chaired by Dr. Rajath Chitari, Assistant Manager, Goa Waste Management Corporation, Saligao – Goa. Session IV will be comprised of a poster competition on the theme of "waste management in sustainable manner".
	Goa College Of Hospitality &Culinary Education, Goa
	 E-Waste Drive (12th and 13th February 2024): Students organized a drive to raise awareness about e-waste management, promoting responsible disposal practices and environmental stewardship among youth. Yoga Awareness Camp (07th February 2024): Participants were educated about Yoga's relevance in modern times, promoting holistic well-being and encouraging youth to adopt healthy lifestyles.
	DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science Miramar, Panaji-Goa
	 Department of Chemistry, Under the DBT-Star College Scheme, in Association with Goa University, Educational Outreach Committee (EOC), Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhata and Rural Engagement Cell (SES-REC) organised a workshop and training program on the topic "Mushroom Cultivation & Waste Management Techniques", on 23rd February 2024. Mrs. Varsha Virginkar, was the convenor and Dr. Bhanudas Naik, was the coordinator for the Workshop and training program. Participated in the Campaign to save Old Goa Heritage on 1st January, 2024.
	Led successful protests to Save Heritage historic Kadamba era relic in St. Inez, Panaji and two heritage trees. All three heritage trees were saved after meeting Conservator of Forest on 12th, 30th and 31st January, 2024.

- Mr. Prajal Sakhardande was interviewed by Heritage Connect on History of Goa from 1947-1961 on 22nd January, 2024.
- 3. 19 Students of the Department of Psychology attended a 'Train the Trainers 'session organised by Goa Livelihood Forum and Aditya Birla Education Trust on 22nd January 2024.
- 4. A field trip was organised for the students of the Department of Psychology to Caritas Centre for Deaf-blind, Saligao-Goa and Chaitanya Institute for Mental Health— Rehabilitation and Deaddiction Centre, Thivim Goa on 9th February 2024.
- 5. The Department of Psychology in association with the Health and Counselling Cell organised a workshop on 'Understanding Adolescent Mental Health: The way ahead' was organised on 22nd February 2024.
- 6. The Department of Psychology organised a webinar titled "Beyond Stigma:
- 7. Empowering Yourself with Mental Health Laws" on 09th March 2024. The resource person for the same was Adv. Pedro Antonio Rocha. 75 participants attended the same.
- 8. As a part of the outreach program 67 students, 6 faculty, and 1 support staff of Dhempe College of Arts and Science under the DBT Star College scheme attended the public lecture by Shri Somnath S., Secretary of the Department of Space (GoI) and Chairman of ISRO on 24th January 2024 at BITS Pilani, K.K. Birla Goa campus.
- 9. Dr Miskil Naik coordinated the Science Film Making workshop as part of the pre-fest activities for the Science Film Festival facilitated by Vidnyan Parishad Goa held at Dhempe College of Arts and Science, for college students across Goa. The event took place on 18th and 19th January 2024. Renowned filmmaker, Mr. Ashwin Sange, was invited as the resource person.
- 10. The Department of Physics of DCTs Dhempe College of Arts and Science, Goa in association with the National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR) and Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India organized a National Workshop on the theme "Our Dynamic Planet- Climate Change and Navigating the Future" on 5th and 6th March 2024 at NCPOR, Vascoda-Gama, Goa.
- 11. The Department of Biotechnology organized a one-day session on "mental health awareness" supported by the DBT Star College Scheme for the students of DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science at S.V. Hall on 12th February 2024. The resource person was Ms. Ketaki P. Gadekar. Total number of participants were 42 students and 5 Faculty members (males 06 and females 41). The session was coordinated by Dr. Niyati Hede and Mrs. Mrunal R. Phadke.
- 12. Department organized its flagship All-Goa inter- collegiate event "Politika" at the college campus. 11 colleges from all across the State participated, which included events like street play, quiz, essay writing, elocution, and poster making. The team from VM Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar were crowned as "Politika Champions", while St. Xavier's College, Mapusa secured the Runners-Up trophy.
- 13. Visit to the Goa State Legislative Assembly at Porvorim on February 5th 2024 during the Budget Session proceedings: A total of 18 students comprised of FYBA (SEC) and SYBA courses of Political Science, accompanied by one faculty member (SainandanIyer).
- 14. Visit to The Navhind Times office (March 18th 2024): FY-SEC students

- who are studying a paper on political reporting were taken to the editorial newsroom of The Navhind Times office at Panaji on March 18th 2024.
- 15. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & heritage sites organised a Field trip to Goa Science Centre Museum under History-History Forum for the students of FYBA History SEC on 8th January,2024.
- 16. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & heritage sites organised a Field trip to Dharohar Museum under History-History Forum on 16th January,2024.
- 17. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & heritage sites organised a Field trip to Pernem under History-History Forum for the students of TYBA History as a part of their project in collaboration with Department of Indian Languages (Marathi) on 3rd February, 2024.
- 18. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & heritage sites organised a Field trip to Adilshah Palace Museum under History-History Forum for the FYBA History SEC on 6th February,2024.
- 19. In order to sensitise the youth commemorated the Birth Anniversary of great Maratha leader Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj in collaboration with Library. Organised a Talk by Shri Prajal Sakhardande on "Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj" under History-History Forum for the students on 19th February, 2024.
- 20. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & our rich heritage organised a Field trip to old Goa Heritage Walk under History-History Forum for the FYBA History Major on 28th February 2024.
- 21. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & our rich heritage organised an interactive lecture cum "Quiz on Stamps as a repository of Indian and Goan History" by former NIO scientist n philatelist Dr M..R.Ramesh Kumar under History-History Forum for the students of History on 1st March,2024. Mr. Prajal Sakhardande co-ordinated the event. 7 Teachers and 30 students benefitted from the programme.
- 22. To sensitise the students and inculcate the spirit of historical significance of the Historical & our rich heritage organised an Exhibition on Museum on under History- History Forum for the students of FYBA History SEC on 11th March, 2024.
- 23. Ms Sendra Florencia Pereira Coordinated Awareness Street play on 'Hum sabka ek hei Nara Swachh ho Desh Hamara'. Institution Innovation Council organized an extension activity Title Street play on 'Hum sabka ek hei Nara Swachh ho Desh Hamara' on 24th February, 2024 at Miramar Beach.
- 24. On 14th November 2023, Through NGO Uzwaad: The Rays of Hope celebrated Children's Day with the cheerful Children of Margaret Bosco Bal Sadan in Bastora. It began at 4:30 pm with greetings and an introduction. Amreen, a secretary of Uzwaad, explained the significance of Children's Day.
- 25. The students attended "Discussion on Union Budget 2024 (Interim): Decoding an era of AmritKaal" organised by Srinivassa Dempo College of Commerce and Economics on February 3rd, 2024 from 10am to 1pm.
- 26. Two-Day National Conference on Translational Practices in

- Administration, Media and Literature organised by Directorate of Official Language, Government of Goa in collaboration with Department of English, DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science, Miramar, Goa.
- 27. The Two-Day National Conference on "Translational Practices in Administration, Media, and Literature" was organized by the Directorate of Official Language, Government of Goa in collaboration with Department of English, DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science, Miramar, Panaji Goa, at the Goa Science Centre and Planetarium, Miramar-Goa on 16th and 17th of January, 2024.
- 28. A workshop on Editing was organized on January 8, 2024 for the students of SYBA CC English and TYBA English Honours, in room 101. Faculty member from the Department of English and Editor, Ms. Rochelle Fernandes, was the Resource Person for the same. 43 students benefited from the workshop.
- 29. A workshop on Blackout poetry was organized on January 3, 2024 for the students of SYBA SEC English in the Language lab. The Guest Lecturer for the same was Ms. Rochelle Fernandes. 29 students benefited from the workshop.
- 30. Dr. Palia Pandit with TYBA Honours student Vineet Naik was part of the deputation from the College that visited BITS Pilani Goa Campus on January 24, 2024 for a Public Lecture by Dr. S. Somanath, Chairman, ISRO. He addressed the gathering on the topic "India's Space Journey in National and Global Perspectives".
- 31. 32 students from the institution attended the Goa Arts and Literature Festival (GALF) organised by the International Centre Goa (ICG) on February 16 17, 2024. As part of this crossover learning experience, students attended sessions and workshops by noted authors, critics, translators and academics.
 - They interacted with the delegates and got insights into the process of writing and creating literary pieces in different forms.
- 32. Dr. Svetlana Fernandes was invited as a resource person for the workshop on Prezi, the slide presentation creation website, for the students of FYBA C AEC, under the course ENG 152- Digital Content Creation in English in Room 218. She introduced the students to the web interface of Prezi, and acquainted them with the various tools available to make creative presentations. 57 students benefited from the workshop. The workshop was coordinated by Dr. Palia Pandit.
- 33. A One-day Workshop on "Academic Writing and Research Methodology" was organised by the Department on February 13, 2024. Research Scholar in the Department of Social Studies and Humanities, IIT-Bombay, Ms. Tara Saldanha was the Resource Person for the Workshop. 28 students of TYBA English benefited from the workshop. The workshop was coordinated by Dr. Palia Pandit.
- 34. Mr. Prajal Sakhardande, Mr. Mayur Arolkar & Mr. Jarvis Mascarenhas: Attended a Birth Centenary Year National level Symposium titled "Padmashri Vaman Sardesai: Jinn ani Vavr" organised by Department of Indian Languages in collaboration with Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, All India Konkani Parishad and Goa Konkani Akademi at Swami Vivekanand Hall of D.C.T.'s Dhempe College of Arts & Science, Miramar-Miramar-Panaji, Goa on 6th January, 2024.
- 35. Attended a Birth Centenary Year National Level Seminar titled "Pandurang

- Bhangui: Jinn ani Vavr" organised by Department of Indian Languages in collaboration with Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, All India Konkani Parishad and Goa Konkani Akademi, Government of Goa at Swami Vivekanand Hall of D.C. T's Dhempe College of Arts & Science, Miramar-Panaji, Goa on 7th January, 2024.
- 36. Mr. Prajal Sakhardande accepted the invite to be the Guest Speaker to give a presentation for a national level event with Jharkhand students and teachers on "History & Heritage of Goa" under "Ek Bharat Shresht Bharat" organised by Goa College of Engineering, Farmagudi-Ponda, Goa on 9th January, 2024.
- 37. Mr. Prajal Was invited as a Resource Person to speak on the topic "History of Opinion Poll Movement of 1967" organised by Vivenda da Rebellos, Cuncolim, Goa on 16th January, 2024.He was also invited as a Resource Person in the process of declaring Chandor alias Chandrapur as Heritage village of Goa. He was invited as a Resource Person for the inspection of Chandrapur fort and other Historical sites and monuments in Chandor, Goa on 17th January, 2024.
- 38. Mrs Annie Rajan: Audio pustakam to School Audio Pustakam Konkani Textbook for Primary Students was handed over to St, Britto High School, Mapusa Goa on 25/01/2024.
- 39. The Internal Committee of the College in collaboration with the Goa State Commission for Women organised a session on the topic "Awareness of POSH ACT" on 2nd March 2023. Advocate Sonali Kurtikar, Member, Goa State Commission for Women was the speaker for the session. Ms. Deepa Audi was the coordinator for the event.
- 40. In order to commemorate the Birth Anniversary of freedom fighter and first Women Governor of India Sarojini Naidu organised a Talk on "Contribution of Sarojini Naidu, Shashikalatai Kakodkar and Victoria Fernandes" under History-History Forum for the FYBSc History MDC on 9th February,2024. Mr. Mayur Arolkar co-ordinated the event. 3 Teachers and 15 Students benefitted from the programme.
- 41. Organised a programme titled 'Heroines of History' as a part of TYBA paper titled 'History of Women's Movement' as a Role Play -ISA for the students also to commemorate International Women's Day, Lady Faculty members were also been rolled into to become part of the celebration on the eve of the International Women's Day on 7th March, 2024under History-History Forum.

Gomantak Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya & Research Centre Vajem, Shiroda –

- 1. On 2nd February 2024 an awareness programme on the topic One Week for Nation was held in the conference hall of GAM& RC. This programme was conducted by Sevankur Bharat. The details of the programme were brief by Dr. Dnyanesh Gawankar who is the Kokan Palak Prant of Sevankur. He spoke about the work of Sevankur Bharat in Youth building. Dr. Nitin Gadewad who is the National Co-ordinator for Sevankur discussed with PPT presentation on One Week for Nation initiative and the different activities done by the volunteers in tribal areas.
- 2. On the occasion of Ratha Saptami on 16th February 2024 the Department of Swasthavritta & Yoga of Gomantak Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya & Research Centre, Shiroda conducted the "5th Mass Surya Namaskar"

Event". 610 participants from 10 institutions practiced Surya Namaskar followed by quick relaxation technique conducted by the Yoga team headed by Dr. Joy Pereira, Associate Professor & HOD Swasthavritta & Yoga. The same team had previously conducted Yoga sessions for G20 participants in Goa. The present event started with the speech by Shri. Subhash Shirodkar, Hon. Minister for WRD and Sarpanch of Shiroda Village Panchayat Mrs. Mugdha Shirodkar, followed by speeches by Principal Dr. Anura P. Bale and Secretary Bharateeya Sanskriti Prabodhini Shri. Gajanan Bakhale, Shri. Pralhad Joshi, Ex-Headmaster of Kamakshi High School. Vote of thanks was

proposed by Dr. Gandhali Upadhye, Assistant Professor Department of Swasthavritta Yoga. This was one more event conducted by the Department in its continuing effort to popularise Yoga in the State of Goa.

- 3. Symposium on Susankarit Swasthya Seva (Kokan Prant): Dr. Sumod Khedekar, Assistant Professor Dept. of Kaumarbhritya of Gomantak Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya & Research Centre, participated in a symposium on Susanskarit Swasthya Seva (Kokan Prant) on 18th February 2024 at Lower Parel Mumbai. Social outreach activities done by our college were presented at the symposium.
- 4. Workshop for AYUSH practitioners on Primary Trauma Care AYUSH Cares workshop for AYUSH practitioners on primary trauma care at Gomantak Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya & Research Centre on 2nd March 2024. Life line foundation vadodara and HDFC Parivartan organised this workshop. The workshop started by lighting of traditional lamp by Dr. Sneha Bhagwat Chief Guest, Dr. Dharmendra Prabhudessai Guest of Honour, Dr. Anura P. Bale Principal, Dr. Ismail Shaikh Orthopedic Spine Surgen, South Goa District Hospital, Dr. Dheeraj Jawda from Manipal Hospital Goa followed by Dhanvantari sthavan. The detail of the workshop was bried by Principal Dr. Anura P. Bale, Chief guest and guest of honour address the gathering. Dr. Joy Pereira compared the workshop and Dr. Mithun Bondre proposed the vote of thanks.
- 5. Gomantak Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya & Research Centre recently celebrated International Women's Day organized by Women Cell of Institute. The Chief Guest for the function was Dr. Anita Tilve, Professor, PES College, Farmagudi Goa who shared her views and felicitated the winners of Essay and poster competition. Smt. Laxmi Patil Member B.S.P graced the occasion. The event was chaired by Principal Dr. Anura P. Bale who spoke about freedom of Women while head of Women Cell Dr. Geeta Patki welcomed the Guest and Dr. Bishnupriya Mohanty presented vote of thanks.
- 6. Peripheral Pharmacovigilance Centre of Bharateeya Sanskriti Prabodhinis Gomantak Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya & Research Centre, Shiroda Goa organised One Day National Level Awareness Seminar on Pharmacovigilance of ASU& H Drugs. The seminar stated by lightning of traditional lamp by Chief Guest Dr. Minal Joshi, Dy. Director AYUSH Cell, Guest of Honour Dr. Sujata Kadam, Dean AIIA Goa, Dr. Sangram Keshari Das, Organising Secretary & Deordinator PPvC Goa, and followed by Dhanvantari stavan. The detail of the seminar was briefed by Dr. Sangram Keshari Das, Chief of Guest and Guest of Honour address the gathering. Dr. Pratima Shikerkar, Associate Professor Dept. of Dravyaguna compared & proposed vote of thanks.

MES's VASANT JOSHI COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE Zuarinagar, Goa

- M. E. S College Library in collaboration with the N.S.S. unit celebrated Swami Vivekananda Jayanti in the M.S. Kamat Seminar Hall on 13th January 2024 at 12:30 am. Shri Dattaprasad Shirgurkar, Department of Political Science was the Resource person He spoke on the Life and Legacy of Swami Vivekananda and his contribution to the Nation. A total of 60 students participated. Out of which 15 were males and 45 were females.
- 2. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa celebrated Republic Day and flag Hoisted on 26th Jan 2024 Dr. Sachin Kandolkar Principal MES Higher Secondary school was the Chief Guest. A total of 66 students participated. Out of which 18 were males and 48were females.
- 3. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa organised Voters Awareness Rally on 06th March 2024, at Vidyanagar Colony, Zuarinagar A total of 21 students participated. Out of which 06 were males and 15 were females.
- 4. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa organised AVoters Pledge on 06th March 2024 at our college A total of 21 students participated. Out of which 06 were males and 15 were females.
- 5. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa organised AVoters Pledge 1st March J to 12th March 2024at our college A total of 350 participated. Out of which 100 were males and 250 were females.
- 6. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa organised Voters Awareness E- Quiz from 1st March to 12th March 2024 at our college 30- Male and 60 females.
- 7. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and National Drivers' day by Felicitation of Kadamba Transport Corporation Drivers on 24th Jan 2024 at Principal MS Kamat Seminar Hall A total of 95 participated 35- Male 60- Female.
- 8. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa organised Talk on Road Safety on 24th Jan 2024 at Principal MS Kamat Seminar Hall Shri Shailesh Narvekar, PI Vasco Traffic was the Resource Person A total of 95 participated 35- Male 60- Female.
- 9. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa Attended Inaugural function of National Science Symposium Organised by ISRO in collaboration with Goa University on 26th Feb 2024 at Shyma Prasad Mukherjee stadium, Taleigao Panaji A total of 81 participated 25- Male 56- Female.

Carmel College Of Arts, Science and Commerce for Women, Nuvem-Goa

1. 12th January, 2024 - Inter class Quiz competition to commemorate Opinion Poll Day To commemorate the Opinion Poll Day, an Inter class Quiz competition was organized on Goa's history, literature, Culture, Politics and Administration by the department of Konkani. As well as to promote

- rights and duties of Indian citizens in order to motivate the youth to be dedicated and committed citizens and future leaders of the country.
- 2. 25th January, 2024 Guest Lecture: Career Guidance As part of the celebrations of Republic Day, the NSS Unit of Carmel College of Arts, Science and Commerce for Women, Nuvem, Goa, organised a guest lecture on "Choice of Career for Youth in India" on the 25th of January. The resource person was Dr. Ajay R. Gaude who currently serves as the Senior Scale Officer of the Goa Civil Service, holding the position of Chief Executive Officer at Zilla Panchayat North Goa, Government of Goa. He spoke on choosing careers that will help protect our nations and individual's rights and duties, thus be protectors of our nation.

St. Joseph Vaz College

- 1. 03 Students and 01 faculty attended state level event on the occasion of Voters' Day at Ravindra Bhavan, Margao. The event aimed to celebrate the democratic spirit of the nation and raise awareness about the importance of voting among citizen on 25/01/2024.
- 2. Republic day was observed among staff and student on 26/01/2024.
- 3. The staff and student observed 2-minute silence in their respective places and classroom on 30/01/2024 (Marty's day) in the memory of those who sacrificed their lives during the struggle for India's Freedom from 10:58 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
- 4. As part of the systematic voter's education and electoral participant (SVEEP) program the office of District Collectorate, South Goa will provide EVM demonstration, training and create awareness among staff and students 24/02/2024.

Shree Malikarjun & Shri. Chetan Manju Desai College

- 1. Electoral Literacy Campaign (Voter's Pledge, Posters, Competitions, EPIC Cards) (Nodal Officer Shri. Sandesh Savant)
- 2. POSH (Prevention of Sexual Harassment) TRAINING by Advocate Pooja Naik Gaonkar (Saheli Women's Forum headed by Ms Kshama Desai)
- 3. Participation in Students' Parliament Competition (2024) organized by Goa Legislature Secretariat
- 4. Consumer Awareness: Awareness Material Making for Consumer Welfare (organized by Department of Sociology)
- 5. "SMC Young Economist of the Year 2023-2024" (organised by the Department of Economics) to promote the role of economics in national development
- 6. Pm's Maantaki Baat Screening
- 7. National Science Day Celebration to promote Scientific Temper on 28th Feb. 24.
- 8. Marathi Language Pride Day on 27th Feb. 24 to promote linguistic diversity and respect for mother-tongue.
- 9. Mother-Tongue Day Celebration to promote linguistic diversity and respect for mother-tongue
- 10. Hindi Pakwara (15 Days Event) to promote and propagate Hindi as a unifying factor among Indians.
- 11. Semi-Conductor Indauguration Streaming for promoting national pride.

- 12. Shiv Jayanti Celebration to promote the ideals of Chaptrapati Shivaji Maharaj for building better India
- 13. National Science Day-Vidyan Dhara of Dhe: Dr Mithil gave series of lectures to promote scientific temper in surrounding educational institutions

DCT's Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce and Economics Cujira

- 1. NSS Units Red Ribbon Club in association with Primary Health Center, Chimbel, organized HIV/AIDS awareness talk on the theme "Let Communities Lead". The resource person for the talk was Br. Dilip Satoskar from Primary Health Centre, Chimbel. He highlighted major issues in adolescence, causes of HIV, what precautions can be taken, and so on. A total of 143 students in 2 separate batches attended the session.
- 2. In anticipation of the upcoming Lok Sabha Election 2024, the Electoral Club of the college, in collaboration with the Extra Mural services Club, conducted a Poster competition on January 13, 2024, under the theme "VOTING: A Right and a Duty", aimed at raising awareness about the significance of voting. A total of six teams enthusiastically participated in the competition.
- 3. In anticipation of the upcoming Lok Sabha Election 2024, the Electoral Club of the college, in collaboration with the Extra Mural services Club, conducted a Rangoli competition on January 13, 2024, under the theme "INCLUSIVITY IN VOTING", aimed at raising awareness about the significance of voting. A total of four teams enthusiastically participated in the competition.
- 4. On the occasion of National Voter's Day, 'Voter's Pledge' was administered to NSS volunteers on January 25, 2024. 96 NSS volunteers took the pledge, that was administered by the NSS Programme Officers Incharge- Asst. Prof. Kushal Kerkar.
- 5. On the occasion of 14th National Voters Day, a group of students from Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce & Economics actively participated in a district-level program on 25th January 2024 at the S.Z. Quasim Auditorium, CSIR, NIO, Dona Paula, Goa. The focal point of the program was to inform, motivate, and involve the youth in the democratic process, emphasizing the significance of their participation in the electoral system.
- 6. Video Screening on HIV/AIDS awareness was created by the Red Ribbon Club (RRC) of the NSS Unit of the college by screening 7 videos created by different colleges across Goa on 12th February 2024 in the auditorium. The video screening was organized to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS (acquired immunodeficiency syndrome) among college students. The activity aimed to educate and inform individuals about the transmission, prevention, and stigma associated with AIDS. A total of 111 students participated in the session and 5 teachers.
- 7. The Centre for Equal Opportunities organized a Monologue competition on the theme 'Gender Stereotyping in Society', on 14th February 2024. A total of 5 teams, each comprising of 1 participant, participated in the event.
- 8. The Centre for Equal Opportunities organized a Poster Competition on the theme Equal Opportunities in Education on 16th February 2024. A total of 7 teams, each comprising 2 participants, participated in the event. Posters were impactful in contributing visually thus communicating the importance

- of equal opportunities in education. The event successfully promoted awareness and creativity on this crucial theme.
- 9. The Masters of Commerce (Integrated) M.Com.I. Department organised a session on Constitutional Values and Obligation on 7th February 2024. The objective of this interaction was enlightening the students about the aims and objectives of the Indian Constitution. Dr. Aamod M. Shirali, an assistant professor of law at V.M. Salgaocar college of law was invited as a speaker for the session. The session was attended by 29 M.Com.I. Part I students.
- 10. On 3rd March 2024, NSS volunteers participated in the digital poster creation on the theme 'Mera Pehla Vote Desh Ke Liye', to bring about awareness among first-time voters on the importance of voting. The participants were required to share the digital posters on their social media platforms. 25 posters were created and shared across social media platforms
- 11. The Internal Committee of the college in association with Student Counselling, Mentoring and Value Education Cell organized a Poster Competition, on 5th March, 2024 on the topic "Freedom to Live: Voice Out Against Sexual Harassment" in the college auditorium for students across all programmes. Each team comprised of 2 participants. 13 teams participated in the competition.
- 12. The Electoral Club and NSS unit of the college organized a debate on the theme 'Mera Pehla Vote Desh Ke Liye' on 6th March 2024. The objective was to enlighten students about the importance of Vote and factors influence voting. The debate delved into an understanding the importance of democracy, criteria for voting, and the factors influencing voting. A total of 135 students attended the debate, attaining to a diverse range of perspectives and insights.
- 13. The Centre for Equal Opportunities and Gender Champion cell organised Online Quiz Competition on the theme "Inclusive Education" on 7th March 2024. The competition was organised to know whether the students are aware and have knowledge about Inclusive Education. Total 41 students participated in the quiz.
- 14. On the occasion of International Women's Day, the UBA/CEO/NSS/IC/Alumni Association/IQAC/IIC organised the following on 9th March, 2024 from 10.30 am onwards at the college premises: Book exhibition: & Books written by Women Authors was inaugurated. The book exhibition included 107 books written by women authors, which included 6 books by college faculty.
- 15. Udyojika 2024 Honouring Enterprising Women: Retail Mela for Fostering Women Empowerment was inaugurated in the foyer area. The retail mela consisted of 29 Udyojika stalls set up by Self Help Groups and our Students.
- 16. Panel Discussion: This was followed by a Panel Discussion in the college auditorium with Women Guest Speakers for the event being Ms. Reema Naik, Ms. Mira DSilva, Police Inspectors Pink Force, Panaji-Goa, Ms. Sonia Shetkar, baker by profession, Ms Samruddhi Kunkolienkar Dhond, owner of Samruddhis Studio, Salon Spa, and Ms. Leenata R. Maladkar, owner founder of miles stone Early Development Centre Daycare.
- 17. Farewell function: The day ended with a formal farewell function to former Assoc. Prof. CA Gauri Tamba.

Govt. College of Commerce and Economics, Borda, Margao Goa.

- 1. The Electoral Club of the College organized a series of activities to create voter awareness on EVM and VVPAT on
- 2. Special Screening of AV Content, voters pledge administration and sharing of informational material on the theme Desh ka Garv, Vote for Sure and Mera Pehla Vote Deshk e Liye campaign on 16th March 2024.
- 3. Organised slogan writing competition for the students on the theme "Chunav ka Parv, Desh ka Garv" on 18 th March 2024.
- 4. Students actively participated and won the first place at the District Level Youth Parliament Festival 2024 Programme organized by NYKS and also participated in the Youth Parliament organized by the Legislative Assembly, Goa.
- 5. The IQAC of the college organized an FDP on Gender Sensitization through the POSH Act on 20th January 2024.

Swami Vivekanand Vidyaprasarak Mandal's College of Commerce Bori – Ponda

- 1. On 14th February 2024 NSS unit of Swami Vivekanand college of commerce Bori proudly celebrated Deworming Day in collaboration with the Primary Health Centre in Shiroda. Around 50 students attended this programme This initiative aimed to raise awareness about the importance of deworming, promote overall health, and contribute to community wellbeing.
- 2. On the 18th of January 2024, NSS unit of Swami Vivekanand College of Commerce Bori-Goa in collaboration with Directorate of Youth and Sports Affairs, Directorate of Higher Education, Directorate of Technical Education, Directorate of Planning Statistics, Directorate of Information and Publicity celebrated National Youth Week in remembrance of swami Vivekananda. The inaugural ceremony began with the lighting of the lamp and floral tribute to swami Vivekanand. Around 200 students participated in Youth Day Program.
- 3. NSS cell of our college in collaboration with PHC Shiroda undertaken distribution of deworming tablet to all the students at our college on 17th August 2023 at 11.30 a.m. The main aim behind distribution of deworming tablet is to make aware students about the Deworm Tablet, which is used to treat infections, enhance body's immune system and to inhibit the growth of cancer cells.
- 4. On Thursday, 7th March 2024 at 10:30 am the Institute of swami Vivekanand College of Commerce Borim -Goa along with the departments of the Counselling cell and NSS unit organised an educational visit at Sneha Mandir home for the aged. Around 40 students participated in this programme. The visit aimed to explore the physical set-up, organisational structure, services, and general functions offered at the facility.
- 5. on 11th March 2024 at 10.30.a.m. The departments of Economics in collaboration with the NSS unit and Rotary Club Ponda celebrated

- International Women's Day 2024 on the theme "Invest in women: accelerate progress" in SVVM College. Which focused on addressing economic disempowerment and focused to inspired inclusion.
- 6. On 28th February 2024, NSS volunteers of our college undertook a campus cleaning initiative aimed at fostering a clean and hygienic environment conducive to learning and well-being. The primary objective of the campus cleaning initiative was to promote a sense of responsibility towards maintaining cleanliness and hygiene among students while enhancing the aesthetics and functionality of our college campus.
- 7. As per the directives to conduct a campaign "Mera Pehla Vote Deshk e Liye "from 28th February to 06th March 2024, our college organized a comprehensive campaign comprising a poster-making competition and an online pledge-taking initiative to promote voter awareness and civic engagement among students. The primary objective of the voter awareness campaign was to educate and motivate students to exercise their democratic right to vote responsibly and actively participate in the electoral process.
- 8. On 21st March 2024, the National Service Scheme (NSS) cell of Swami Vivekanand Vidyaprasarak Mandal's College of Commerce Bori Ponda, in collaboration with the Forest Department, organized a vibrant celebration to mark World Forest Day. The event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of forests and promote environmental conservation among students and the wider community.
- 9. On 21st March 2024, the National Service Scheme NSS Cell at our college, in collaboration with Haqdarshak, organized an enlightening talk on "Digital Financial Awareness and Literacy" aimed at empowering female students at our college. The event was designed to provide valuable insights into digital financial services and promote financial literacy among young women.

Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics, Margao-Goa

- 1. To commemorate National Youth Day, the Red Ribbon Club of the college organized a Face Painting Competition on the topic HIV/AIDS on 12th January 2024. The purpose of this competition was to showcase our student's artistic talents and to spread awareness about a critical health issue that affects millions of lives globally. A total of 4 teams participated in this competition
- 2. To celebrate National Youth Day, the NSS Unit of the college organized a session on 'Remembering Swami Vivekananda on National Youth Day' on 12th January 2024. The session aimed to inspire and motivate our youth, fostering a sense of purpose and social responsibility. The resource person for the session was Prof. Sushila Sawant Mendes, History Researcher. The session began with the welcome address delivered by Principal Prof. Prita D. Mallya. After the welcome address, Ms. Abigayle Rodrigues, a student from SY B. Com introduced the resource person to the audience.
- 3. The National Service Scheme (NSS) unit in collaboration with the Directorate of Sports & Youth Affairs, Directorate of Higher Education, Directorate of Technical Education, Directorate of Planning Statistics &

- Evaluation, and Directorate of Information and Publicity, marked the celebration of National Youth Week on 19th January 2024. The event commenced at 10.00 am with an enthusiastic participation of 112 students. The event aimed to enlighten and empower the youth on various aspects crucial to their development. The celebration commenced with the lighting of the lamp and the garlanding of the Swami Vivekananda photo.
- 4. Financial Management as a Youth: The first orientation session on "Financial Management as a Youth" was led by the esteemed resource person, CA Mitali Talawadker. The session delved into crucial aspects of financial literacy, empowering the youth with essential knowledge to manage their finances effectively.
- 5. Mental Fitness: The second session, focusing on "Mental Fitness," was conducted by Dr. Veena Kantak. Dr. Kantak, an expert in the field, provided valuable insights into maintaining mental well-being, addressing challenges, and fostering resilience among the youth.
- 6. Mera Youva Bharat- My Bharat Portal and Opportunities for Youth: The final orientation session shed light on "Mera Youva Bharat My Bharat Portal and Opportunities for Youth." Smt. Celina Rodrigues, the resource person for this session, explored the various avenues and opportunities available for the youth through the My Bharat portal. The session aimed to guide students in making informed choices for their future endeavours.
- 7. To celebrate International Education Day, a bookmark-making competition was organized by the Department of Economics & Banking from 24th January to 5th February 2024. The event aimed to promote creativity, artistic expression, and the significance of education. 25participants enthusiastically took part in the competition. The competition witnessed participation from students across different programs.
- 8. The TIP Cell of the College conducted training sessions for students to improve their interpersonal skills on the 12th, 13th, 14th, 22nd, and 27th of February 2024. The sessions were planned across 5 days for 2 hours each day. The trainer for the sessions was Ms. Nandini Kunde.
- 9. The Cultural Council and Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat (EBSB) Club of the College observed International Mother Language Day on 21st February 2024 to promote awareness of linguistic and cultural diversity. The event commenced with an address on the importance of the Day and glimpses of the Goan language and culture. This was followed by a short video on folk tales in Konkani via YouTube video. Thereafter the videos made by four students for the competition on the occasion were streamed.
- 10. The NSS unit of the college has conducted the following activities under the Campaign on Mera Pehla Vote Desh Ke Liye:
 - a) The students and staff administered an online voter awareness pledge from 28th February to 06th March 2024. The pledge serves as a tool for raising awareness about the importance of voting and the role that individuals play in shaping the future of their society.
 - b) The students used various social media platforms to disseminate information and raise awareness about the importance of voting. Students have shared informative posts on Facebook, updated statuses on WhatsApp, and shared reels and videos highlighting the significance of participating in elections. The voter awareness content was also displayed on the college's digital display board.

- c) A voter awareness photo booth was set up in the college premises to provide an interactive and engaging experience for students and staff. Students and staff were invited to take photos and share them on social media to create awareness among others. The Voter Awareness Campaign received a positive response from the students and staff that helped to achieve the desired outcomes.
- 11. The NSS unit of VVM's Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, in collaboration with NYK (Nehru Yuva Kendra) and NSS unit of Goa University organized District level Neighbourhood Youth Parliament on 12th March 2024. Shri Digambar Kamat, MLA of Margao Constituency, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest, adding significance to the event with his presence. Shri Kalidas Ghatwal, Deputy Director of Nehru Yuva Kendra addressed the gathering.

Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance and Public Policy

- 1. One-day national seminar on the rights of the elderly citizen held on 27th March 2024.
- 2. One-day national seminar on advancing public administration and law: Governance and legal perspective was organised on 15th March 2024.
- 3. Sensitisation Programme on HIV/ AIDS: Laws and Policies organised on 12th March 2024.
- 4. Parrikar National Moot Court Policy Hackathon 2024 was organised on 11th and 12th January 2024.
- 5. Training on Health, Hygiene and Sanitation for Sanitary Workers of Goa University was conducted on 11th March 2024. The training session began at 2.00 p.m with Registration of all the participants. Ms. Mamata verlekar, Assitant Professor Hindi, compered the program. Ms. Sulochana Pednekar, Asst. Prof Women's Studies and coordinator Sanitation and Hygiene committee of SES-REC, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan welcomed the resource persons and their team by presenting a potted plant. She then welcomed the gathering and introduced the resource persons. Ravindra Wasnik conducted the session on safety measures and how to take care of self and others as a sanitary worker. Mr. Balaji Kendre briefed the team on the issues of segregation of waste and type of waste and also, demonstration of managing Waste at Source. After the sessions, Dr. Amavel Murty, Chairperson of Sanitation and Hygiene Committee also spoke briefly about maintaining hygiene during work hours and take adequate nutrition supplements in food and rest. Dr. Amavel and Ms Sulochana presented Token of Appreciation Souvenier of Goa University to both the resource persons. Two sanitary workers shared their feedback on the training sessions. Dr. Amavel and Resource persons alongwith the other team members presented the certificates and Kits to the sanitary workers. Mr. Wasnik presented the Sanitation Preamble to the Coordinator –Ms. Sulochana Pednekar for taking the initiative to organize this training programme and book of success stories of sanitation workers. Ms. Sulochana

Pednekar expressed the Vote of Thanks to the resource persons, organizing team and the participants for attending the programme.

PES's College of Education, Farmagudi, Ponda - Goa

- 1. Ponda Education Society's College of Education, Farmagudi, Ponda Goa, celebrated the 'Vishwa Hindi Divas' on 12th January 2024 at the college auditorium. The program started at 11 o'clock by welcoming dignitaries, Faculties, and all Students of the college. The welcome song is sung by S.Y.B.Ed Students as the part of formal function. The Chief Guest of the program was in-charge Principal Mr. Ratnadeep Khade Sir and the Guest of honour was Assistant Professor Ketan Kamble Sir IQAC Co-ordinator; Assistant Professor Mr. Malhari Gaikwad was the event in-charge of the program.
- 2. Research Development Cell (RDC) and Science Club had jointly scheduled a guest lecture under Vidynan Dhara 2024 on 13 th February 2024. The said programme was conducted as per the instructions received by the Goa State Higher Education Council (GSHEC) and Directorate of Higher Education (DHE). An interactive session was conducted on the topic "Globesity: An Impending Pandemic" by the eminent speaker Varsha Alias Swetal Naik Assistant professor, Goa College of Home Science. All the faculty members, F.Y.B.Ed. and S.Y.B.Ed. students actively participated in the said programme. The report is worded by RDC Coordinator Dr. Sachin Salgar.
- 3. Ponda Education Society's College of Education's Library Committee under IQAC organized a guest lecture on "Awareness on how to identify UGC CARE listed journals, fake/predatory/cloned journals in academics" for teachers and students on Wednesday 21st February 2024, from 3.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. in college auditorium. The Guest Speaker for the program was Mr. Milind Gauns, College Librarian of P.E. S'S R.S.N. College of Arts and

Science, Farmagudi Ponda Goa.

Goa College of Music, Altinho, Panaji

- Conducted Individual Counselling sessions and group counselling sessions.
 Every day sharing e-posters on College Students' group. 5th January –
 Hosted Quiz competition on the theme of Awareness about Elections and voting.
- 2. 10th January- State Level Collage making competition on the topic –Intergenerational solidarity: creating a world for all ages, organised by Government College, Borda.
- 3. 12th January- i) Attended elocution competition and poster competition at Home Science College, Campal. ii)Attended Sparsh Antarmanacho, Statelevel programme.
- 4. 20th January- Moderator of Panel Discussion for CONVERGE- 2024-Shiksha Udyojak Meet.
- 5. 23rd January- Inter -collegiate state level Street play competition at Azad Maidan students secured 2nd consolation prize.
- 6. Conducted Individual Counselling sessions and group counselling sessions.
- 7. Every day sharing e-posters on College Students' group.
- 8. 15th February Established Consumer Awareness Cell –JAGRUTI; inauguration of the JAGRUTI banner, Awareness talk was conducted by Mr. Dhananjay Jog, Member of Consumer Court, Goa.
- 9. Conducted Individual Counselling sessions and group counselling sessions.

- 10. Every day sharing e-posters on College Students' group.
- 11. 15th March –Attended a workshop on World Consumer Rights Day on the them fair and responsible AI for consumers.
- 12. 18th March- Organised mental health awareness sessions for students conducted by Goa Institute of Management team.
- 13. 21st March- Attended a workshop on healing the trapped inner child at GVMs' college, Ponda.
- 14. 27th March-Shri. Prakash Desai sir & I Conducted a Career Orientation session for BPA 4th year students.

P.E. S's R.S.N College of Arts & Science, Farmagudi

- 1. On the occasion of National Voters Day, PES' R.S.N College of Arts and Science organised a programme to celebrate the National Voters Day and participated in the 'Namo Navmatdata Sammelan' on 25th January, 2024 in the Swami Vivekananda Hall at 10.30 am. Live telecast of Honorable Prime Minister Narendra Modi's speech was screened.
- 2. Consumer Welfare Cell (PES Grahak Jagruti Manch') of our college in association with Curti Khandepar village Panchayat organised a talk on 'Rights Of Consumers' on 27.01.2024 in the Panchayat Hall of Curti Khandepar at the community level. The resource person Dr. Sonal Sardesai, Assistant Professor at V. M. Salgaonkar. The department of philosophy college of Law highlighted the importance of consumer awareness, various rights of Consumers, protection given to consumers by Consumer Protection Act, with illustrations explained how adulterated, unhygienic consumable products are sold and how consumers can file a complaint to Consumer court. Since the talk was very informative, Villagers also got some issues clarified from the Resource person.
- 3. The department of philosophy organised a guest lecture on the topic titled, "Uniform Civil Code in Goa" on February 28, 2024, from 11.00am to 12.30pm in Room Number F5. The lecture was delivered by Mr. Vinod Kankonkar (Assist. Professor in History, D. D. Kosambi School of Social Sciences and Behavioural Studies, Goa University) who kept the students engaged with his in-depth knowledge on the subject and a lively presentation. The lecture ended with a round of questions from the audience. Students from all three levels of the undergraduate philosophy program attended the lecture along with some member of the Arts teaching faculty.

School of Physical and Applied Sciences, Goa University

- 1. Night sky observation was conducted by SPAS on 16th February 2024 from 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm at the Parking lot of faculty block A. Nearly 90 participants gathered near faculty block A to view celestial object through telescope. Visitors were excited to see the craters on moon, satelites of Jupiter and birth places of star (nebulae). The observation through telescope was followed by identifying constellations in the sky and how to locate directions in the sky.
- 2. The faculties from School of Physical and Applied Sciences (SPAS) Goa University Prof. Jivan Parab, Dr. Reshma Raut Dessai, and Dr. Aniket Gaonkar along with phd student Krishna visited Orchard Avenue

Bamanbhat Cujira Santa Cruz Goa ob13th Feb 2024 for Astronomy awareness Programme. Dr Reshma delivered audio visual talk on Observational Astronomy and Space Tourism. In her talk she urged the audience to appreciate our tiny presence in this Universe having 100 million Galaxies. She also explained how to observe various astronomical various phenomenon that occurs during day and night like day and night, eclipses, transits, occultation etc. She showed them some photographs of different phenomenon taking place in space/sky during eclipse. Quiz for students and teachers on the talk delivered was conducted by Dr. Aniket Gaonkar and the

prizes were presented to the winners. After the talk everyone gathered near the 6 inch reflector telescope and enjoyed the beauty of moon and its craters through telescope. The participants also enjoyed the view of Jupiter and its moons as well as orion nebulae through telescope.

Zantye College, Bicholim

- 1. Research and Development Cell has organized a Lecture session on "Law of the Sea" in association with Directorate of Higher Education on Monday, 15 th January, 2024. The session was a part of "Vidnyan Dhara, 2024", a mega science series programme in educational Institutions by DHE and Goa State Higher Education Council.
- 2. On February 10th, 2024, hosted a stimulating session on the topic 'Grant and Academic Writing Approach, Research Ethics, Low Energy Computation' for faculty members and Post Graduate students of the College.
- 3. The IQAC of our college organized a class level seminar on Banking and Finance for students on Friday 23rd February 2024. Mr. Rupesh Maulingkar, Proprietor of Vision Academy, Mapusa Goa and Ex-student of our college was the resource person for the seminar. He informed regarding examinations conducted in the field of banking and finance. Total 36 students attended the seminar.
- 4. In collaboration with the 'Sahakar Bharati' Bicholim Branch Sahakar week programme was organized. The programme was held on 18th January 2024. Total 85 students participated in the session.
- 5. In association with Gryphon Academy organised a session on 'Career in Aviation and Hospitality' for the students of T.Y.B.Com. on 27 th January 2024. 35 students attended this session.
- 6. In association with Vision Academy conducted a session on Carrer in banking and finance by Vision Academy for the students of T.Y.B.COM. on 14th February 2024. Through the session students were also given an orientation about how the Vision Academy helps in coaching and guiding students for various competitive exams like Bank PO/ Clerical, MBA entrance, UPSC-CSAT, staff selection and Railways Recruitment Exams. The session was attended by 39 students.
- 7. The students secured the 2nd prize for the reel making competition on the topic "Power of one vote". The competition was organized by the office of the District of Election Officer (DEO-North) in collaboration with the Directorate of Higher education Porvorim Goa on 23rd January 2024.
- 8. 2 students from SY.B.Com. 'B' class Ms. Shruti Vasudev Gad and Ms. Vaishnavi Pradeep Bhide participated in the All Goa Inter College Quiz Competition organized by Mamlatdar of Tiswadi Taluka at Institute

- Menezes Braganza Hall on 26th January 2024
- 9. 18 students participated in Inter college cultural event "Avishkar" organized by M.E.S Vasant Joshi College of Arts & Commerce on Saturday, 27th January 2024 at Vasco-Goa.
- 10. NSS Unit of College organized "plastic pet bottle collection drive." NSS volunteers collected 50 plastic bottles or 100 plastic bottles and submitted12 NSS volunteers, 10 boys and 2 girls participated in program. This activity was conducted to create awareness of ill effects of using plastic.
- 11. As a part of National Youth Week from 12th to 16th January 2024, NSS unit in collaboration with Directorate of Sports & Directorate of Higher Education, Directorate of Planning Statistics and Evaluation and Directorate of Information and Publicity conducted programme on 16th January, 2024. Dr. Pravin Sawant delivered talk on Life of Swami Vivekanand.
- 12. 17 Students worked as volunteer for Republic Run organized by Lion Club of Bicholim on 28th January 2024 at Bicholim.
- 13. The NCC unit in collaboration with the NSS unit, celebrated Republic Day on 26th January 2024. Lt. Vaibhav Dhuri welcomed the gathering. Total 37 NCC cadets (Male: 25, Female: 12) participated for the programme.
- 14. The NCC unit, NSS Unit and Rotaract Club of Zantye College in collaboration with Rotary Club of Panaji Riviera and Blood Bank, Goa Medical College organized a voluntary blood donation camp on 27th January 2024, in the college premises.
- 15. Alumni Association of our college felicitated Ex-students passing CA/CMA/CS Final, NET/SET or those awarded Ph. D. during Annual Prize Distribution Function held on 22nd March, 2024.

Fr. Agnel College of Arts and Commerce

- 1. Republic Day was celebrated in the college on 26th January 2024 at 8.30 a.m. in the presence of the Administrator, Principal, NCC Officer, NSS Volunteers, teaching and non-teaching staff and the College students. Guests were welcomed by the NCC cadets through their march past the parade. The Unfurling of the national flag was done in the hands of Fr. Anthony D'silva, Administrator of the college. The quiz was conducted to check the knowledge of the students based on the Constitution of India followed by a Republic Day message and Patriotic Song sung by the students of the Political Science Department of the college. The Programme ended at 9.30 a.m.
- 2. NSS Unit of the college organized the Vote for Sure Campaign programme for the college students in the classroom on 2nd March 2024 to encourage youth especially first-time voters to vote for interested candidates and to understand the importance of voting for the larger good of the nation. The awareness was created through the screening of the short film on the theme 'Meara Pehla Vote Desh ke Liye'. 11 students participated in the awareness programme.
- 3. The NSS Unit of the college also organized the Vote for Sure Campaign programme for college students through Selfie on 5th March 2024 to encourage youth especially first-time voters to vote for any interested candidate. The awareness was created by clicking selfies and uploading on their WhatsApp, Facebook and Instagram as status. 37 students took part in

the awareness programme.

4. NSS Unit of the college in association with Women's Development Cell and the Department of Political Science commemorated National Voter's Day on 27th January 2024 at the Heritage Hall by organizing a mine to create awareness on the importance of voting. 51 students participated in the programme.

No. of Programmes conducted to promote Gandhiji's thoughts and values

Goa College Of Hospitality & Culinary Education, Goa

- 1. E-Waste Drive (12th and 13th February 2024): Emphasized sustainability and responsible consumption, aligning with Gandhiji's principles of simplicity and environmental stewardship.
- 2. Guest Lecture on Waste Management (14th February 2024): Highlighted the importance of sustainable living and community involvement, reflecting Gandhiji's emphasis on self-sufficiency and community empowerment.
- 3. Guest Lecture on Sexual Harassment (05th February 2024): Addressed issues related to gender equality and social justice, aligning with Gandhiji's vision of a just and equitable society.

DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science Miramar, Panaji-Goa

- 1. Ms Siddhi Parsekar, in charge of the Consumer Welfare Cell (CWC) in collaboration with the NSS Unit of DCT"s Dhempe College of Arts & Science organized a session on "LPG Consumer Rights and Safety Demonstration" on Thursday, 4th January 2024 at 11 am. Mr. Roland Martins, Coordinator, GOACAN, and his team member Mrs. Lorna Fernandes conducted the session.
- 2. Ms Siddhi Parsekar, in charge of the Consumer Welfare Cell (CWC) and Department of Economics of DCT"s Dhempe College of Arts & Science organized a session on "Legal Metrology Act and Rules" on Thursday, 18th January 2024 at 11 am. Mr. Vikas Kandolkar and Mr. Satish Gauns, inspectors from the Department of Legal Metrology conducted the session.
- 3. Ms. Siddhi Parsekar, incharge of the Consumer Welfare Cell & NSS Unit of DCT"s Dhempe College of Arts and Science, Panaji-Goa organized a "ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC AWARENESS ACTION" on 1st March 2024 from 9:00 am to 11:00 am at the Miramar Circle.
- 4. Students of FY- SEC (ArshiyaInamdar and Sania Khan) along with faculty member Mr. SainandanIyer participated in a one-day State Level Consumer Mediation Workshop organized by VM Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar-Goa and Department of Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs (Govt. of Goa) on January 30th 2024.
- 5. Sardar Unity Trinity Quiz-Swabhimani Bharat: Faculty member Mr. Sainandan Iyer participated and successfully completed the online "Sardar Unity Trinity Quiz", hosted 24 on the MyGov platform to celebrate the life, ideals, and accomplishments of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.
- 6. National Seminar on the Indian Democratic Prospect on February 24th 2024: The department hosted a National Seminar on the Indian Democratic Prospect on February 24th 2024.
- 7. The Department of Philosophy organized a Langar Seva at Gurudwara Shri
- 8. Guru Singh Sahib, Betim on 15th January 2023. The faculties in charge were Ms.Sendra Pereira, Mr. Sanket Revankar and Mr. Akash Naik

Salgaonkar accompanied Philosophy students from SYBA and TYBA to the Gurudwara. 31 students were present for the Visit.

Carmel College Of Arts, Science and Commerce for Women, Nuvem-Goa

1. 30th January, 2024 – Martyr's Day. The Department of History, Carmel College organised a programme on 30th January, 2024 to commemorate the 76th death anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, widely celebrated as Martyr's Day / Peace Day. Gandhi as an apostle of peace, strongly believed that without inner peace and spirituality, there can be no tranquillity at the global level. He was able to unite the teeming millions of India in the struggle for India's independence, by using his powerful techniques of Satyagraha and non-violence. As a mark of respect, a floral tribute was offered to the Mahatma. The popular bhajan, 'Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram' was sung and poster highlighting the seven principles of Bappu was put up.

St. Joseph Vaz College

1. Department of Library conducted an essay competition for the B.Sc. Students on the topic Gandhi views on Women Empowerment on the occasion of National Girl Child Day on 24/01/2024.

Shree Malikarjun & Shri. Chetan Manju Desai College

- 1. SCREENING OF MOVIE 'Gandhi'.
- 2. POSTERS to promote Gandhian Ideology
- 3. BOOK EXHIBITION ON GANDHIJI (organized by Book Worm Library)

MES's Vasant Joshi College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar, Goa

- 1. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa organised an Awareness Rally to stop use of plastic on 26th Jan 2023 at Vidyanagar Colony, Zuarinagar, A total of 66 students participated. Out of which 18 were males and 48were females.
- 2. The T.B. Cunha Information Centre of M.E.S Vasant Joshi college of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar in association with IQAC and in Collaboration with N.S.S. unit and NDLI Club commemorated the Birth Anniversary of Chhatrapati Shivaji on 19th February 2024 from 11:30a.m.
- 3. 'Professional Ethics for Teaching Staff' and 'Employee attitude and work ethics' for administration and non-teaching staff organised by the Value Education Cell on 12th and 14 March, 2024 49 Teaching staff & 29 non-teaching and administrative staff.
- 4. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa Self Defense Workshop on 16th March 2024 at Swami Vivekanand Hall, Mr. Shihan Suraj Paradkar, was the Karate Instructor, Mr. Gauresh Kamat, PE Instructor, Department of PE of our College.
- 5. The N.SS. Unit Cell of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa, organized National Youth Week Celebration

- And talk on Financial Literacy, Mental Health and Schemes of Government for Youth, on 20th January 2024 at the Prin. M.S.Kamat Seminar hall. The resource persons for the above session were C.A Anis Sikanar Sayani, Ms. Mita Arora and Ms. Manik D. Patil. A total of 124 participants attended. 43 were males and 81 were females.
- 6. The Certificate Course on Counselling Techniques, organized by the Counselling Cell, aimed to equip participants with fundamental skills and knowledge necessary for effective counselling practice 7th September 2023 to 12th March 2024 our college. The primary objective of the course was to provide participants with a comprehensive understanding of counselling techniques and equip them with practical skills to face emotional or psychological challenges. The total No. of participant 105 (08 were males, 99 were females).
- 7. Department of Information Technology, Department of Mathematics &Statistics and IQAC of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar collaboration with Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Goa organized an 'One day State Level workshop on LaTeX' on16th February 2024 between 9:30 am to 4:00 pm at Principal M.S. Kamat Seminar Hall of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa. The resource person for the workshop was Dr. Mamta Kumari, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Mathematics, Dhempe College of Arts & Science, Panaji Goa. All together 58 participants attended the workshop which included 11 Males and 47 Females.
- 8. Workshop on Soft Skills and Personality Development organised by the Departments of Psychology and English and sponsored by DHE on 16th February 2024. 109 total participants.

DCT's Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce and Economics Cujira

- 1. Cleanliness Drive undertaken by the NSS Unit of the College in the surrounding areas of the college campus on 12th January 2024 on the occasion of the National Youth Day celebration and to commemorate the birth anniversary of spiritual leader Shri Swami Vivekananda who played a crucial role in shaping modern India. A total of 61 NSS Volunteers took part in the cleanliness drive along with three NSS Program Officers.
- 2. As a community engagement activity in the village Mirabag, Sanvordem village clean up drive was taken up by the NCC cadets of S S Dempo College of Commerce & Dempo Economics. 12 bags of waste were collected from the village and created awareness about the importance of cleanliness. A total of 31 NCC cadets and 5 members from the local panchayat participated in the event. Mr. Sanjay Naik assisted in organizing the event.
- 3. 17 cadets of our college participated in cleaning and painting the statue of Abbe Faria near the old secretariat, Panaji. The cleaning and painting of the statue was carried out by NCC unit of our college in association with 1 Goa Bn NCC, Panaji. Abbe Faria was part of the French Revolution, Pinto Revolt against Portuguese and was a scientific hypnotist. Cadets started the cleaning and painting activity at 5 am and cleaned up the entire vicinity of statue.

Govt. College of Commerce and Economics, Borda, Margao Goa

- 1. Students enacted a street play on the theme 'Waste Management: Health and Hygiene"at Davorlim Village Panchayat.
- 2. The Counselling and Welness Cell of the College in association with the Student Council and the Nehru Yuva Kendra, Margao organized a State Level Collage Making Competition on the theme "Inter-Generational Solidarity- Creating a World for all Ages."
- 3. The college in an attempt to promote assimilation of cultures, invited Japanese students to the college and facilitated their interaction with our students on the 13 th of February 2024.
- 4. A field trip to Solid Waste Management Plant at Curchorem on 1 st March, 2024
- 5. Publication of a book on "Millets in my Kitchen".

Goa Business School

1. The Finance Services Discipline of Goa Business School, GoA University organised a Value-Added Course on "Yoga for Physical and Mental Wellbeing" from 29th January 2024 to 29th February 2024 (Every Monday to Thursday 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM) at Faculty Block F, Goa Business School. Goa University. The total duration of the course was 30 hours. Total of 9 students participated in the course.

Efforts to include vocational education and training in the University system

Goa College Of Hospitality & Culinary Education, Goa

- 1. E-Waste Drive (12th and 13th February 2024): Provided students with hands-on experience in organizing and executing community initiatives, enhancing their vocational skills and civic engagement.
- 2. Guest Lecture on Waste Management (14th February 2024): Educated students and faculty members about sustainable practices, contributing to their vocational education and professional development.

DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science Miramar, Panaji-Goa

- 1. Ms. Siddhi Parsekar was the organizing member of a workshop on "Entrepreneurship Skill, Attitude, and Behavior Development" organized by the Institution"s Innovation Council of the college on 27th February 2024. Mr. Pravin Sabnis, Head Coach, Unlearning Unlimited was the resource person.
- 2. Department of Zoology under DBT Star College Scheme Organized a hands-on training workshop on "Fabrication and Setting up of an Aquarium" on 6th January 2024. Shri. Abhishek Tari, Prop. Aquasonics, Marcel- Goa was the resource person for the workshop. A total of 28 students attended the training.
- 3. Department of Chemistry, Under the DBT-Star College Scheme, in Association with Goa University, Educational Outreach Committee (EOC), Social Entrepreneurship, 27 Swachhata and Rural Engagement Cell (SES-REC) organised a workshop and training program on the topic "Mushroom Cultivation & Waste Management Techniques", on 23rd February 2024.
- 4. Department of Botany in association with Mycoasia journal of modern mycology organized a national seminar and hands-on training titled

- "Fascinating world of fungi" under DBT star college scheme on 19th and 20th January 2024. Seminar was organized in a hybrid mode and was attended by 226 participants.
- 5. A seminar was organized by Dr. Preethi Pandit and Mr. Edwin Cortez faculty members- of Team IIC, entitled "My Story Innovators on 15th February 2024 in Classroom 223, from 10:30 am to 11:30 am.
- 6. Philosophy department coordinated a 'Session on Problem Solution fit and product Market Fit' On February 29, 2024, the Institution Innovation Council orchestrated an enlightening session on 'Problem Solution Fit and Product Market Fit' from 1pm to 2pm For SYBA and TYBA Philosophy Students.
- 7. Session for Institution Innovation Council Dr. Shilpa Samant conducted a session on "Problem Solution Fit and Product Market Fit" on 29th February, 2024 for the students of SYBA as a resource person under IIC of the college.
- 8. The Department of English in collaboration with the Digital Language Laboratory and Skill Development Center offered a 30-hour Skill Development Course in Introduction to Translation for the academic year 2023-2024. The course commenced on August 28, 2023 with 20 students, both from the college and general public. The course is being coordinated by Dr. Palia Pandit.
- 9. The Department of Zoology, under the DBT Star College Scheme, organised an Inter-
- 10. Collegiate Event, "Zoo- Odyssey: Where Zoology Comes Alive" on 27th February 2024. The event celebrated the wonders of the animal kingdom and promoted academic engagement. 4 colleges participated in the event. In total 36 participants showcased their talent in 8 different competitions.
- 11. Dr. Bhanudas Naik, along with nine students attended the Sakura Science Exchange Program and short-term joint research program arranged by Meijo University, Nagoya, Japan, as a host organization in Japan from 5th January to 21st January 2024. The Sakura science exchange program is fully funded by JST.
- 12. Dr. Pratibha Prabhugaonkar conducted a skill development course entitled "Fungi as food, bio-fertilizers and Bio-control agents" from 3rd to 16th January 2024. Thirteen students from the college participated in the programme. Dr. Purnima Ghadi and Dr. Ashish Prabhugaonkar were resource persons for one of the sessions.
- 13. Dr. Purnima Ghadi was organizing member of symposium titled' Exploring Frontiers: Students Research Symposium organized by IQAC in association with Research and Development Cell of the institute on 16th March 2024.
- 14. The Department of Computer Science organised an Industrial visit to HDSoftech, Mayem, Goa on 15th March 2024. A total of 26 students of TYBSc and SYBSc Computer Science visited HDSoftechaccompanied by three teachers.
- 15. The Department of Mathematics conducted a Skill Development Course titled "Latex Mathematical Typesetting" from 5/12/2023 to 15/3/2024 for the T.Y.B.Sc Maths students of the college. The resource person and the coordinator for the course is Mr. Vitendra Mhatonkar. The course was of 30 hrs duration. The students successful typed their TYBSc projects using the Latex software. 13 students were benefitted from this course.

- 16. The institution organized in beyond-curriculum skill development viz. Biospectrum series. Under the aegis of the DBT Star College scheme, the Department of Biotechnology organized the "Biospectrum Lecture series" for students of DCT"s Dhempe College of Arts and Science at S.V. Hall held on 13th-15th February 2024.
- 17. Goa University Policy Hackathon (January 12th 2024): Zanaida Braganza (SYBA) and Torshan Bhattacharya (SYBA) participated and won the 2nd place at the National Level- Policy Hackathon competition organized by the Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance, and Public Policy at Goa University.
- 18. The Department of Political Science also organised a National Conference on Micro-Financing on February 19th, 2024.
- 19. Students' Parliament (February 13th, 2024): 30 students from the college participated in a student's" parliament competition organised by the Goa Legislative Assembly. The team got a participation trophy and certificates for their performance. The students were mentored by Mr. Siddhesh Kalekar.
- 20. FY.BSc SEC (17 students 15 female, 2 male), SY.BSC SEC (14 students 5 female, 9 male) and TY.BSc Project students (6 students 3 female, 3 male) have carried out Water Quality Assessment of Panjim City where physical, chemical and biological parameters were tested. Students worked in Geology, Chemistry and Biotechnology laboratories to do the testing.
- 21. The F.Y. B.Sc., S. Y. B. Sc and T.Y. B.Sc. students of the Department of Zoology visited the Cotigao Wildlife Sanctuary, Marine turtle nesting site at Galgibag, Cancona as a part of syllabus and extension of the Project work. Total 56 students and 04 faculty members visited the sites on 04/02/2024.
- 22. Geology Department organized Science Exhibition "Prithvi 1.0" which was held on 31st January 2024 from 10 am to 4pm. Various models, minerals, rocks and instruments were displayed in the departmental laboratory. A documentary was screened on "Introduction to Geology". Total 222 visitors witnessed the science exhibition.
- 23. The annual Science Exhibition on the theme "Fun with Matter" was organised on 30th January 2024 as an Outreach program under DBT Star College Scheme to make concepts in Optics, Mechanics, and Electronics simpler. Students from FYBSc, SYBSc, and TYBSc put together the exhibits on the theme "Fun with Matter."
- 24. Department of Zoology under DBT Star College Scheme Organized a Talk and Workshop on "Vector Borne Diseases and its Control" on 8th January 2024. Dr. Ajeet Kumar Mohanty, Scientist & Officer in Charge, ICMR-National Institute of Malaria Research, Campal, Panaji, Goa, was the resource person for the session. A total of 73 students attended and benefited from the session.
- 25. The Department of Zoology organized science exhibition with the theme Fauna Fiesta: "Exploring Zoological Discoveries" on 29th January, 2024. The exhibits for the exhibitions were prepared by F.Y. BA. (Multidisciplinary Course), S.Y. B.Sc. and T.Y. B.Sc. Zoology students. Total 10 exhibits were presented. A total of 158 visitors visited the exhibition in the zoology laboratory.
- 26. Department of Chemistry organised an exhibition "Rasayan.... connecting bonds inspiring minds" as a part of the annual Science exhibition under the

- DBT Star College scheme on 30th January 2024. Dr. Durga Timble was the coordinator for the exhibition.
- 27. The Annual Science Exhibition was organised by Dhempe College of Arts and Science on 30th January 2024. The theme of Department of Computer Science was "Gamification" (Integration of game elements in non-game contexts). A total of 107 students and faculty visited the exhibition.
- 28. The Department of Mathematics organized a workshop on "Computational Thinking" for the school students on 23/2/2024 under Star DBT College Scheme. The objective of the workshop was to sow the seeds of the aspects of Computational Thinking in the young minds of the students. Two schools, Musti fund High School, Cujira and Dr. K. B. Hedgewar High School, Cujira participated in the workshop. 53 students were benefitted from the workshop.
- 29. Chiasma 9.0 2024 is an annual departmental Exhibition and Event organized by the Operon Club of Dept. of Biotechnology, DCT"s Dhempe College of Arts and Science Panaji Goa for Students of High School and Higher secondary schools on 29th and 30th January 2024.
- 30. Five students of department of Biotechnology were taken to IIT Delhi to participate National Championship, which was a scientific event by Mrs. Mrunal R. Phadke on 16th and 17th March, 2024.
- 31. A TYBSc student of Biotechnology, Mr. Ganatej Kolamkar, under the guidance of Mrs. Mrunal R. Phadke presented a poster of hisTYBSc research work on "Development of Bio packaging material for waste cooking oil using Bacillus subtilis" at International Conference on Trends in Chemical, Energy and Environmental Engineering (ChemEEE-2024) organized at Indian Institute of Petroleum and Energy, Vishakhapatnam on 19th, 20th and 21st February 2024.
- 32. Dr. Miskil Naik organised a Bootcamp on Entrepreneurship in association with the Department of Biotechnology and the Department of Economics for students of Dhempe College on 26th February 2024.
- 33. Department of Chemistry, Under the DBT-Star College Scheme, in Association with
- 34. Goa University, Educational Outreach Committee (EOC), Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhata and Rural Engagement Cell (SES-REC) organised a workshop and training program on the topic "Mushroom Cultivation & Waste Management Techniques", on 23rd February 2024.
- 35. Under the aegis of the DBT Star College scheme, the Department of Biotechnology organized a one-day seminar on "Meet the Bioentrepreneurs "on 17th February 2024, in the auditorium of the Science Centre, Panaji Goa.
- 36. Ms. Sendra Pereira organized an insightful workshop and hands-on training session for students pursuing FYBA Major Philosophy on February 24, 2024, at 12pm, outside the Anx building, the workshop delved into various aspects of the "Art of Communication and Awareness through the Ancient Medium of Street Play".

Shree Malikarjun & Shri. Chetan Manju Desai College

- 1. Cinematography Workshop (organized by Dept. of Konkani)
- 2. Compeering Skills Training (organized by Dept. of Konkani)

- 3. Public Speaking Workshop (organized by Dept. of English)
- 4. DIGITAL STORY CREATION WORKSHOP (organized by Dept. of English)
- 5. PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF MUTUAL FUNDS & SHARES by CA Srinivas Prabhu (organized by Dept. of Economics)
- 6. "Insights into Running Commentary" by Dr Savio Leitao (organized by Dept. of Konkani)
- 7. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN THE FIELD OF HINDI SEMINAR in association with Konkan Railway Corporation (organized by Department of Hindi)
- 8. "KATHA NIRMITI PRAKRIYA" with Dnyan Pith Awardee Shri. Damodar Mauzo for insights into the profession of Literature Creators.
- 9. COSMETIC CHEMISTRY WORKSHOP (organized by Department of Chemistry) to develop entrepreneurial spirit by learning to prepare Soaps, Handwash and Mouthwash, Organic Rangoli.
- 10. INCOME TAX RETURNS FILING 30-Hours Certificate Course (organized by Department of Commerce)
- 11. COLLEGE BAZAAR (ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN ACTION).

School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University

- 1. Placement Committee of School of Chemical Sciences along with School of Physical and Applied Sciences (SPAS) in collaboration with Directorate of Student Placement and Alumni Relations, Goa University, organized a talk on Career opportunities at Bhabha Atomic Research Centre on 24th January 2024. Dr. Veerendra K. Sharma, Scientist, Solid State Physics, Division Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai and Shri J. S. Dubey Scientific Officer (H), Post Irradiation Examination Division, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai were invited as resource persons. A total of 81 students and 3 teachers attended the talk. The objective of this talk was to explore the promising opportunities for professional growth available to M.Sc. graduates in the field of chemical and physical sciences. Dr. Rupesh Kunkalkar welcomed attendees and introduced speakers, who were greeted with flowers. Prof. Verenkar Dean, SCS delivered opening remarks, followed by Shree J S Dubey discussing the significance of jobs in DAE for students. Later, Dr. Veerendra K. Sharma highlighted DAE's role in India's defense and growing energy needs in India. He elaborated on career opportunities, detailing job vacancies in different sectors and required qualifications for those jobs. The seminar concluded with Q&A session where students clarified their doubts and with a vote of thanks from Dr. Marlon Sequeira.
- 2. The School of Chemical Sciences in association with the Goa State Higher Education Council and Directorate of Higher Education, Goa organised a talk as a part of the Vidnyan Dhara 2024 lecture series on 13th February 2024. Dr. Prachi Torney was the SCS coordinator for this event. A total of 134 MSc students and 12 faculty members of SCS attended the talk. Prof. Tilvi explained to the students the process of origin and evolution of the universe which began 13.8 billion years ago from the big bang process and

- elaborated on the process of how stars are born, the production of various elements like H_2 , H_2 , H_3 , H_4 , $H_$
- 3. The School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University organised a talk on 14th February 2024 at 3.30 pm in Lecture Hall to introduce the CTR-Series IndiRAM Raman Spectrometer to the MSc and research students, and faculty members of SCS. The CTR-series IndiRAM is an indigenous "Make in India", research-grade, high-resolution Raman Spectrometer, developed by TechnoS Instruments (a Jaipur based company founded by IITians) in collaboration with CSIR-AMPRI, under the GoI's NIMITLI initiative. The talk was coordinated by Dr. Digamber Porob.
- 4. Placement Committee of School of Chemical Sciences in collaboration with Directorate of Student Placement and Alumni Relations, Goa University organized a campus placement drive conducted by Deccan Fine Chemicals at SCS, Goa University on 1st March 2024. A total of 37 students participated in the placement drive. The objective of the placement program was to facilitate the successful transition of students into the workforce by providing them with practical experience and employment opportunities. The placement activity started in the morning at 9:15 am with Deccan Fine Chemicals' Senior Vice President and Site Manager, Mr. Kiran Desai, introducing the company's operations, financials, and key aspects. This was followed by a Q & A session. Later, a screening exam was conducted, and selected students proceeded to twopart interviews: an HR round and a technical interview, with separate sessions for Analytical and Organic students. The day concluded at 5:30 pm with the HR department presenting offer letters to successful candidates and with a group photo session.
- 5. The School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, organized a lecture on the topic, 'Applications of Cyclic Voltammetry in Research', delivered by Dr. B. E. Kumara Swamy on 15th March 2024. Dr. B. E. Kumara Swamy is a Professor at Department of Industrial Chemistry, Kuvempu University. Dr. Diptesh Naik of SCS coordinated the talk. A total of 15 faculties and 83 students (Masters and Research Scholars) attended the talk. Students and faculty members gained a deeper understanding of the principles and applications of cyclic voltammetry in scientific research. Attendees became familiar with the wide-ranging applications of cyclic voltammetry, including its role in studying electrode kinetics, characterizing materials, and analyzing biological molecules. The event facilitated knowledge exchange and discussion among attendees, providing a platform for sharing insights, experiences, and perspectives related to cyclic voltammetry. Attendees had the opportunity to connect with peers and faculty members, fostering collaborations and networking within the academic community.
- 6. The School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, organized a lecture on the topic, 'Organic and Hybrid Ferroelectrics for Piezoelectric Energy Harvesting Applications' on 21st March 2024. An interesting and

informative talk was delivered by Prof. R. Boomi Shankar, IISER, Pune. Dr. Kanchanmala Deshpande coordinated the talk. The faculties of SCS, research scholars and MSc students attended the talk. Prof. Bhoomi Shankar apprised the audience on current research work in the field of Hybrid Ferroelectrics and its applications in energy harvesting. Prof. BhoomiShankar discussed about his research area which is a broad interface of structural inorganic and materials chemistry with emphasis on synthesis, physical properties. The brainstorming interactive session after the talk was helpful to students. The event successfully enlightened the Ph.D students towards various research ideas and inspired them to understand the insight of the research. Discussion on various gadgets developed by invited speaker illuminated the students on how research work could be extended as a new start-up idea.

DCT's Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce and Economics Cujira

- 1. NSS volunteers and Students of Event management subject volunteered for Purple Fest Event which was held from 8th January 2023 to 13th January 2023. Total 79 volunteers were part of the event.
- 2. The Training, Internship, Placement Career Guidance Cell (TIPC) of the college organised an orientation session for students with Ingenious faces on 15th January 2024 in the college AV Room at 10.45 a.m. The session was delivered by Mr. Apoorv Bamba and Ms. Sapna Shahani. Ingenious Faces has a clear and ambitious objective to introduce an outcome-based learning approach to Goan institutions and youth. The focus is on nurturing essential soft skills in entrepreneurship and future-oriented skills, Sales and Marketing including full-stack development, artificial intelligence/machine learning and data science. The pedagogy will be entirely project-based, with a strong emphasis on creating a robust internship and employability ecosystem within the state. The session had an attendance of 39 students from the T.Y.B. Com and B.B.A departments.
- 3. 16th January 2024- Government of Goa, Directorate of Higher Education and Directorate of Sports and Youth Affairs in collaboration with Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce and Economics is organising a Programme as a part of National Youth Week Celebration, on the theme 'It's all in the mind'. Training sessions were conducted on Financial Management, Mental Health, Opportunities with and for Government. A total of 113 NSS volunteers participated in the event that was held in the college auditorium.
- 4. The Training, Internship, Placement & Decathlon Sports India organised a Campus Presentation- Pre-Placement Talk on 13th February 2024 at 9.15 am in the college auditorium. The resource person for the session were Ms. Alisia Fernandes and Mr. Nitesh Negi recruiters at Decathlon. The session was informative and engaging and covered the culture and career opportunities at Decathlon Sports India. Students were appraised of the opportunities to be employed at Decathlon, Goa branch at full time, part time and internship positions the program was coordinated by the Training, Internship, Placement &; Career Guidance Cell (TIPC) of the college. A total of 74 B. Com and B.B.A. students attended the talk.

Govt. College of Commerce and Economics, Borda, Margao Goa.

- 1. Courses conducted in association with the ITI, Margao under the Chief Ministers Kaushalya Path Scheme. These courses include:
 - a) Sewing technology
 - b) COPA
 - c) Beautician Couse
- 2. A workshop on Basics of Baking in association with the JCI, Margao
- 3. First Responder First Aid training to students in association with the JCI, Margao.
- 4. Workshop on 3-D Printing Technology for students in collaboration with the Goa State Innovation Council.
- 5. Conduct of a 30 Hours short term certificate course on General Principals and Rules of Drafting Legal Documents.
- 6. MEET THE ENTREPRENEUR SERIES: Conducted three sessions in the
- 7. month of January, February and March (29th Jan; 26th Feb and 27th March 2024) wherein Entrepreneurs from Goa addressed students on entrepreneurship and shared their entrepreneurial journey. The activity is organized by the Dept. of Economics and the Institution's Innovation Council (ICC) to promote the idea of entrepreneurship.
- 8. CONVERGE: An Industry-Academia Connect Programme was organized by the TIP Cell on the 18th of January in association with the Directorate of Higher Education.
- 9. Talks organized on various themes such as Secretarial Audit
- 10. Orientation on Preparing for UPSC and GPSC examinations on the 19th of February 2024.
- 11. Talk on Startups on the 17th of January for students.
- 12. To promote an entrepreneurship culture and facilitate internships the college has signed MoU with the Directorate of Skill Development on the 4 th of January 2024.
- 13. FDP organized on Document searching techniques for Research.

Any Other Community Engagement Activity

Goa College Of Hospitality & Culinary Education, Goa

- 1. E-Waste Drive (12th and 13th February 2024): Encouraged community participation in promoting environmental sustainability and responsible waste management practices.
- 2. Guest Lecture on Sexual Harassment (05th February 2024): Raised awareness about social issues and legal rights, fostering community dialogue and empowerment.

DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science Miramar, Panaji-Goa

1. Academic Engagement with secondary school students through VidnyanDhara: Dr. Raghav Gadgil delivered a lecture on "Earth"s history in deep time" in Azmane High School, Neura, Ilhas, Goa under Vidnyan Dhara 2024 Program on 31stJanuary 2024. Dr. Raghav Gadgil delivered a lecture on "History of the Earth in deep time" in Xavier Afonso Memorial Institute Royale Secondary School, Taleigao, Goa under Vidnyan Dhara 2024 Program on 05th February 2024. Ms. Vinita Mayekar delivered a talk on "Geology in our Backyard" in Government High School, Shirgao, Bicholim, Goa under Vidnyan Dhara 2024 Program on 15th January 2024.

Ms. Vinita Mayekar delivered a talk on "Geology in our Backyard" in Siddharth Bandodkar Higher Secondary School, Velguem, Goa under Vidnyan Dhara 2024 Program on 20th January 2024. Ms. Vinita Mayekar delivered a talk on "Geology in our Backyard" in Dnyanjyoti High School, Karapur, Sankhali, Goa under Vidnyan Dhara 2024 Program on 25th January 2024. Dr. Miskil Naik, under 3rd Addition of Vidnyandhara, a Mega Science Series to celebrate National Science Day by DHE delivered sessions on Physics and Everyday life at Union High School, Chimbel Goa on 17th February 2024 and Kirti Vidyalaya Siolim on 26th February 2024. Dr. Durga Timble conducted a session on "Introduction to Green Chemistry" organised under the Vidnyan Dhara, a mega science series, an initiative of Goa State Higher Education Council and Directorate of Higher Education, for the class IX and class X High School students of GHS Kirlawada, Chimbel, Goa on 1st February 2024. She also conducted a session on "Introduction to Green Chemistry" organised under the Vidnyan Dhara, a mega science series, an initiative of Goa State Higher Education Council and Directorate of Higher Education, for the class IX and class VIII students of Shree Mahalaxmi English High School, Talauli, Goa, on 3rd February 2024. Dr. Shilpa Bhonsle was invited resource person for Vidnyan Dhara 2024 lecture on "Rice diversity and conservation" at DM"s PVS Sarojini Madhusudan Kushe Higher Secondary School, Bardez on 17th January 2024. Dr. Salma Begum Mujawar was invited as a Resource Person at Government High School Ambedem Nagargao, Valpoi Sattari Goa, Our Lady of Lourdes Higher Secondary School Valpoi Sattari Goa, Government Higher Secondary School, Valpoi Sattari Goa, Government High School, Morlem Goa, on the title Recent Biotechnological Applications in India on 16th January, 20th January,1st February and 7th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Amara Begum Mulla was invited as a Resource Person at Government High School, Mangor Hill, Vasco Goa on the title "colours of Biotechnology" on 2nd February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organised by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Amara Begum Mulla was invited as a Resource Person at Our Lady of Perpetual Succor High School, Cortalim, Goa on the title "Ace your game"" on 6th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Amara Begum Mulla was invited as a Resource Person at RK Government High School, Vasco- main, Goa on the title "Ocean Science & Biotechnology" on 12th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organised by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Mrs. Mrunal R. Phadke was invited as a Resource Person at Gananath High School, Ponda Goa on title Applications of Biotechnology in Environment on 3rd February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organised by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Mrs. Mrunal R. Phadke was invited as a Resource Person at PES Higher Secondary School, Pondai Goa on title Applications of Biotechnology in Environment on 5th February

2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organised by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Mrs. Mrunal R. Phadke was invited as a Resource Person at MEF Higher Secondary School, Pondai Goa on the title Applications of Biotechnology in Environment on 6th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of Higher Education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Amara Begum Mulla mentored Ms. Dravya Sawant & Ms. Assimah Saiyed, students of FY BSc. Biotechnology for a presentation on "Fueling the future: a dive into clean energy" as part of Conclave 4.0, Students seminar series organised by IQAC, Dhempe College of Arts & Science on 17th February 2024. Mr. Kamlesh Korgaonkar was invited as a Resource Person at Dona Lorna High School (ACDIL), Porvorim on the title "Microplastics and global climate change" on 1st February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Ms. Pratibha Tripathi was invited as a Resource Person at Ramanata Crisna Pai Raikar School of Agriculture Savoi-verem -Goa on the title "Animal Value Added Products" on 6th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organised by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Mr. Kamlesh Korgaonkar was invited as a Resource Person at Corner Stone High School, Mapusa, on the title "Microplastics and global climate change" on 19th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organised by the Directorate of higher education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Ms. Pratibha Tripathi was invited as a Resource Person at Fatima Convent High School Margao-Goa on the title "Human Health and Lifestyle Related Disease" on 21st February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of Higher Education and Goa State Higher Education Council (Government of Goa). Dr. Preethi Pandit was invited as a Resource Person at GHS Khumbarjua High School on the title "Animal Value Added Products" on Scope &Colours of Biotechnology 5th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of Higher Education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Preethi Pandit was invited as a Resource Person at Dayanand High school, Chorrao on the title "Nanotechnology" on 7th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of Higher Education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Preethi Pandit was invited as a Resource Person at Don Bosco College, Panaji on the title "Genetics and Epigenetics on 15th February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of Higher Education and Goa State higher education council (Government of Goa). Dr. Preethi Pandit was invited as a Resource Person at Vidhya Prabodhini High School, Porvorimthe title "Mind-boggling experiments in biology' on 23rd February 2024 as a part of Vidnyan Dhara 2024, a Mega Science series organized by the Directorate of Higher Education and Goa State Higher Education council (Government of Goa).

2. The members of team IIC organized a session on Entrepreneurship and

- Innovation as a Career Opportunity for the students of Mary Immaculate High School, Mala Panaji on 2nd March 2024. Mr. Edwin Cortez on Saturday delivered a talk on Entrepreneurship, Dr.PreethiPandit spoke about Women Entrepreneurs and Dr.Snehal Harmalkar spoke on Innovation and encouraged students to think out of the box.
- 3. Academic engagement with higher secondary schools for session on sustainability: Academic engagement with school students for awareness in mangroves: Dr. Shilpa Bhonsle was invited as Resource person for Vidnyan Dhara 2024 a mega science series lecture on Rice diversity and conservation at Vidya mandir higher secondary education Chicalim Goa, on 15th February 2024. Dr. Preethi Pandit Dr. Preethi Pandit was an invited resource person to mentor the students of the Govt. High school Kumbarjua on the topic of Bioentrepreneurship on 14th February 2024.
- 4. Training students in community engagement: The members of Institution's Innovation Council IIC organized a session on Entrepreneurship and Innovation as a Career Opportunity" for the students of Mary Immaculate High School, Mala, Panaji on Saturday, 2ndMarch 2024 with an aim of making the young students curious about innovation and entrepreneurship.
- 5. Participation in Purple Fest and launch of Audiopustakam: Dr. Mukta Karamadi along with 04 TYBA students attended a seminar on "How Neurodiversity can build a better India" organised as part of the International Purple Fest Goa 2024 at Goa University on 09th January 2024 Dr. Joslyn Henriques and Ms. Sweta Matonkar attended the purple Fest event at Kala Academy Panaji on 10th January 2024 at 2:00 pm. Ms. Vinita Mayekar and Ms. Karuna Suralkar participated as volunteers. T.Y.BSc Geology (6 students – 6 female) participated as volunteers. Faculty member from the Departments of Biotechnology participated in Purple Fest, organized by the State Commissioner for persons with Disabilities in association with the Directorate of Social Welfare and Entertainment Society of Goa from 6th to 8th January 2024. International Purple Fest 2024 (January 10th 2024): Students of SY-GE were taken to International Purple Fest, festival that celebrates persons with disabilities, as part of their Human Rights Movements in India paper. The students were taken to the event by Mr. Sainandan Iyer, Assistant Professor in Political Science. Mr. Prajal Sakhardande, Mr. Aditya Watve & Mr. Mayur Arolkar attended the "International Purple Fest 2024" organised by Office of the State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Government of Goa, Directorate of Social Welfare, Government of Goa & Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, MSJE, Government of India at Kala Akademi-Panaji, Goa on 12th January, 2024. The Department of Philosophy, in collaboration with NGO Uzwaad - The Rays of Hope, showcased a compelling street play for the International Purple Fest 2024. The event, held on 12th January 2024, revolved around the theme "Humanity as the Greatest Religion."
- 6. Academic Outreach Conclave 4.0 A Students' Webinar Series: Mr. Yash Pravin Naik (21163) and Ms. Siddhi Gad Kerkar (21026) from T.Y.BSc Geology presented on the topic "Continental Drift" for CONCLAVE 4.0 Students Seminar Series organized by IQAC on 10th February 2024. Ms Neeleema Das mentored the students. Dr. Miskil Naik mentored first-year students, Mr.Omkar Dhuri and Mr. Sumukh Kamat for Conclave

presentation held on 10th February 2024. Mr. Anand Kumar Madar and Ms. Maffi Kumari Prajapati, TyBSc. Chemistry students were the speakers for the third session of Conclave 4.0, a student seminar series organised by IQAC, DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science, on 17th February 2024. Mr. Snehal Harmalkar mentored two TY students to present their project "an IoT Based System to Measure Choice response time" at Conclave 4.0 on 17th February 2024. 02 students of the department of Psychology participated as presenters in Conclave.

- 7. Academic Outreach: Dr. Amara Begum Mulla &Dr. Salma Begum Muzawar organised a one-day Hands-on training on "microbes through the lens" for students and faculty of high schools across Goa, as an outreach
- 8. program on 16th February 2024 in the Department of Biotechnology. Total number of participants were 28 (14 Males & 14 Females). Dr. Preethi Pandit was the resource person for the training and delivered a lecture on "Basics of Microscopy".

Rosary College of Commerce and Arts, Navelim.

- 1. Donation and Distribution of stationery items at Anganwadi, Navelim (27th February 2024)
- 2. Cleanliness Drive at Navelim (19th March 2024)
- 3. Donation of daily use articles at the Lar de Santa Terezina orphanage, Margao (20th March 2024)
- 4. Road Safety Awareness Drive at Navelim (20th March 2024)
- 5. Visit to Nazereth Old Age Home, Navelim (23rd March 2024)

Carmel College Of Arts, Science and Commerce for Women, Nuvem-Goa

- 1. 4th January, 2024 The NSS Unit in collaboration with the EPC Cell of Carmel College for Women organised a guest lecture for the NSS volunteers and neighbouring community local people relating to wild life titled "Coexisting with Wildlife". The objective was to create an awareness of wildlife and snakes commonly found in local habit areas in Goa, dispel myths and reduce conflict with nature. The resource person for the guest lecture was Mr. Benhail Antao, Honorary Wildlife Warden, Govt. of India.
- 2. 15th February, 2024 to 24 th February, 2024- The Departments of History, Konkani and Mathematics of Carmel College of Arts, Science and Commerce for Women, Nuvem- Goa, in collaboration with Tiatr Academy of Goa organized a free 8-day workshop for the students and local youth (voluntarily) on "Different aspects of Tiatr". The speakers for the workshop were Fr. Doel Dias and Mr. Senon D'Souza.
- 3. 20th of February, 2024: Mr. Gary Logan, an esteemed resource person in the field of mental health, delivered an insightful lecture on Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT). Mr. Gary Logan provided a thorough overview of the foundational principles of Acceptance and Commitment Therapy. Key concepts, such as mindfulness, values, and psychological flexibility, were explained with clarity, offering valuable insights into the theoretical framework of ACT.
- 4. 22nd February, 2024: As part of an extension activity, the Department of Commerce in collaboration with the Extension Activity Committee screened the movie "12th Fail" for the college students. The objective of

- screening the movie was to inspire students to achieve their goals despite life hurdles. In spite of all the adversities faced, it is possible to achieve the goals, if there is commitment and perseverance. Also to be aware of the hardships faced by the financially poor section of our society and monetary assistance was given from the money collected.
- 5. National Science Day: As a part of the National Science Day celebration 2024, following competitions / activities were organized- Paper Bag Making Competition on the theme 'Viksit Bharat' on 23rd February, 2024. These were distributed to the students Reel Making Competition on the topic 'Grandma's Herbal Pouch - Culinary herbs with medicinal value' on 24th February, 2024. The students of Botany displayed various exhibits such as terrariums, coir sticks, herbal soaps, organic holi colours, resin art and scented bags. The students also demonstrated techniques of plant propagation and composting of wet waste learnt by them. Rangoli Competition for the students based on the theme "Green Energy Systems and Sustainable Developments" Participants showcased their creativity and innovation through rangoli artworks, incorporating elements related to green energy systems and sustainable development. 2nd March, 2024 - Breaking Barriers and Building Future the Women's Cell of Carmel College of Arts, Science and Commerce for Women, Nuvem celebrated the International Women's Day with a symposium on Women's Safety and Empowerment. The panel consisted of four distinguished women from diverse fields addressing the core topic, Ms. Sayonara Tellis Laad, President of the Children's Court for the State of Goa, Ms Sunita Sawant, Superintendent of South Goa Polics. Professor Dr. Sangeeta Sakhalkar, Principal of Smt. Parvatibai Chowgule College and Ms Usha Sardesai, President of Fatorda Women Welfare Association. The speakers addressed the twin pivotal topics of women's safety and empowerment.
- 6. 19th March, 2024-The Department of Zoology and the NSS Unit of Carmel College of Arts, Science and Commerce for women in collaboration with WWF- Goa and Saahaas organized an awareness session on Waste Management and Circular Economy. Lisha Dcosta, Programme Officer, WWF-Goa spoke on the mandate of WWF and the importance of such events involving youth. Mr. Gaurav Chauhan and Ms. Riya Rajan Raul of the Saahaas NGO spoke on waste segregation, its significance and ultimate outcomes achieved through it. The speakers highlighted the need of switch to circular economy and our role in waste segregation.

St. Joseph Vaz College

- 1. Department of Botany in collaboration with Nature's Club conducted a collection drive of empty milk packets as part of Waste Management Programme to spread awarness among students about the need to dispose them off responsibly on 13/01/2024.
- 2. The Women Development Cell in collaboration with the counselling cell oraganized a street play "Save Girl Child" in the Cortalim Market for the General Public, the street play was to sensitize the public about girl child rights and gender-based biases, and promote education for girls on 24/01/2024.

- 3. The Department of Botany in collaboration with Nature Club of the College organized a cleanliness drive on 17/02/2024.
- 4. The IQAC of the college and the Department of Chemistry in collaboration with Village panchayat, Cortalim and You We Can Foundation organized Breast Cancer Screening for the General public of Cortalim on 24/02/2024 and 25/02/2024.
- 5. Department of Mathematics and women Development Cell of the College organized a visit to Holy Family Convent Boarding, Sancoale on 14/03/2024, the visit aimed at engaging fun activities and interaction with the inmates.

School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology, Goa University

 Dr. Meghanath Prabhu and Dr. Milind Naik from SBSB and Dr. Diptesh Naik from SCS, conducted a workshop on "Mushroom Cultivation & Waste Management Techniques" as a part of Outreach Activity by GOA UNIVERSITY EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE (EOC) and Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhata and Rural Engagement Cell (SES-REC) in Association with Department of Chemistry under DBT-Star college scheme DCT's Dhempe College of Arts and Science, on 23.02.2024, and Dhempe college, Miramar Goa.

Shree Malikarjun & Shri. Chetan Manju Desai College

- JOB-ED INITIATIVE: To connect Job Seekers with Job Providers in the state of Goa through College Social Media Platform: FACEBOOK GROUP.
- 2. CONSUMER AWARENESS in association with Department of Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Govt. of Goa: i) Poster Making Competition on Consumer Rights ii) Consumer Rights and Responsibilities as per the new Consumer Workshop (organized by Department of Sociology)
- 3. SANGAM FESTIVAL: Respecting Diversity. Celebrating Togetherness
- 4. CLEANLINESS DRIVE in association with Konkan Railway and Lions Club of Canacona
- 5. RABIES AWARENESS by Shri. Akshay Pal Education Officer, Mission Rabies.
- 6. FELICITATION OF SILENT WORKERS ON WOMEN'S DAY in association with Rotary Club of Margao Sunrise and JCI Canacona
- 7. INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY
- 8. SHIV JAYANTI: Felicitation of Committed Citizens who have given their best in various fields for nation-building.
- 9. HALDIKUMKUM by SAHELI CELL to promote Indian Culture and Values.
- 10. EFFECTIVE COPING STRATEGIES FOR A HEALTHY WORK-LIFE BALANCE (organized by Counselling Cell).
- 11. FELICITATION OF DR SAVIO LEITAO BY KHOLA PANCHAYAT: for coaching Modern Pentathlon team of Goa which won 8 medals at 37 National Games.
- 12. SOLID WASTE-MANAGEMENT PLANT VISIT: for understanding the role of waste-management in the life of citizens.

MES's VASANT JOSHI COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE Zuarinagar, Goa

- 1. The IQAC and NSS Unit of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar-Goa in collaboration with the Lion's Club of Cortalim organised the Blood Donation Drive on 5th Feb 2024 in Swami Vivekanand Hall. A team of medical staff led by Dr. Sanjay Korgaonkar had come to conduct the blood donation. A total of 46 people including the students, staff and the community members donated the blood, out of which 21 were females and 25 were males.
- 2. The Nature Club and Resource Management Cell for Sustainability organized a session titled 'Spreading Happiness, the GOONJ way' as a part of its KASTURI LECTURE SERIES on the issues concerning you and me on 12th February 2024. The session was conducted on 12th February 2024 at 12.00 pm in Prin. M.S. Kamat Seminar Hall. The resource person for the session was Mr. Anshu Gupta, Founder Director at Goonj and Ramon Magsaysay Awardee.
- 3. Internal Quality Assurance Cell (1QAC) and Health Centre of M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar- Goa in collaboration with Lions Club of Cortalim and Government Cottage Hospital, Chicalim-Goa had organized Breast Cancer Awareness and Screening Camp for Staff, Students, Parents and General Public was organized on 17th February 2024. Dr. Nikita and Dr. Maria offered clinical breast examinations to eligible women, The, screenings aimed to detect any signs of breast abnormalities and facilitate early intervention. A total of 51 women underwent the screening. (students-35 Staff-13, General Public-03).
- 4. The Nature Club and Resource Management Cell for Sustainability organized a session titled 'People, Planet and Profit' as a part of its KASTURI LECTURE SERIES on the issues concerning you and me. The session was conducted on 12th March 2024 at 11.00 am in Prin. M.S. Kamat Seminar Hall. The resource person for the session was Dr. Divya Singhal, who spoke on the perspective of three main dimensions, economic, social and environmental.
- 5. On the Global Recycling Day which falls on 18th March an e- waste collection drive was held for the students and faculty of the college and the local community. This event was organised in collaboration with the IQAC of the college and Global E-Waste Management Systems, Goa. The things that were collected included electronics, appliances, chargers, batteries, and lights to name a few. The drive managed to generate 65.3 kgs of e-waste. The drive saw the active participation of students, faculty members and community. The collected material was hand over to members of Global E-Waste Management Systems, Goa for recycling.
- 6. The Department of Psychology organized an educational visit to the EL Sheddai Charitable Trust a beacon of hope for underprivileged children and a pillar of support for women & empowerment in Goa on 16 th March 2024. The visit aimed to provide students with practical exposure to the psychological aspects of child development and welfare. It also sought to instil a sense of empathy and social responsibility in the future psychologist. A total No. of Students Participated 36. (07 were Male & 28 were Females).

7. The Department of Psychology organized an educational visit to New Dawn Ashadeep School, Vasco-Da-Gama on 20th March 2024. The visit aimed to provide students with practical exposure to the psychological aspects of child development and welfare. It also sought to instill a sense of empathy and social responsibility in the future psychologist. A group of students took the initiative to serve food, further enhancing the communal spirit of the visit. A total No. of Students Participated 20. (02 were Male & 18 were Females).

School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University

- Institutional visit of faculties and students of CES's Parvatibai Chowgule
 College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Margao- Goa to School of
 Chemical Sciences (SCS), Goa University was arranged on 12th January
 2024. A total of 28 undergraduate students and 2 teachers visited SCS.
 Assistant Professor Dr. Kedar U. Narvekar welcomed the students and the
 teachers. Faculties and the students of the visiting College were made
 aware of the Ph. D. opportunities at SCS, various funding agencies,
 Collaborative research, Material Characterization Laboratory, the CDFAA
 activities etc, during the discussion. The instrumentation facilities available
 at SCS were shown to the visiting students. MSc laboratory facilities,
 research labs and sophisticated instrumentation facilities like XRD, NMR,
 Raman, LC-MS, TGA, UV visible spectroscopy etc. available at SCS were
 also shown. Instrument in-charge along with the other research scholars
 explained the instrumentation facilities to the students.
- 2. Institutional visit by MES Mampad College, Malappuram, Kerala to School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University was facilitated on 30th January 2024. A total of 38 undergraduate students and two teachers visited the school. Dr. Shrikant Naik welcomed the students and teachers to the school. During the discussion, faculty and students of the visiting college were made aware of the PhD opportunities at SCS, various funding agencies, Collaborative Research, Material Characterization laboratory, CDFAA activities, etc. The instrumentation facilities of SCS were shown to the visiting students.
- 3. Institutional visit of faculties and students of Smt. Kasturbai Walchand College of Arts and Science, Sangli Maharashtra to the School of Chemical Sciences (SCS), Goa University was arranged on 30th January 2024 at 14:00 hrs. A total of 15 postgraduate students and 3 teachers visited SCS. Assistant Professor Dr. Kedar U. Narvekar welcomed the students and the teachers and briefed them about programs available at SCS and achievements of SCS. The instrumentation facilities available at SCS were shown to the visiting students. MSc laboratory facilities, research labs and sophisticated instrumentation facilities like XRD, NMR, Raman, LC-MS, TGA, UV visible spectroscopy etc, available at SCS were also shown. Instrument in-charge along with the other research scholars explained the instrumentation facilities to the students.
- 4. Institutional visit by Government College of Arts and Science College,

Trichy to School of Chemical Sciences (SCS), Goa University was facilitated on 9th February 2024. A total of 41 undergraduate students and three teachers visited the school. Dr. Shrikant Naik and Dr. Amrita Khaganate welcomed the students and teachers to the school. During the discussion, faculty and students of the visiting college were made aware of the PhD opportunities at SCS, various funding agencies, Collaborative Research, Material Characterization laboratory, CDFAA activities, etc. The instrumentation facilities of SCS were shown to the visiting students.

- 5. On the eve of National Science Day on 28th February 2024, School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University arranged an Open day at SCS from 10.00am 04.00 pm. Government High School, Dabem, Goa, visited the School of Chemical Sciences (SCS). A total of 30 students and three teachers visited the school. SCS school visit committee coordinated this activity. Dr. Kedar Narvekar welcomed the students and the teachers to the school. During the discussion, teachers and students of the visiting school were informed about the instrumental and laboratory facilities at the SCS. The instrumentation facilities available at SCS were shown to the visiting students. MSc laboratory facilities, research labs, and sophisticated instrumentation facilities like NMR, LC-MS, UV visible spectroscopy, etc., available at SCS were also shown. The instrument in charge and other research scholars explained the instrumentation facilities to the students.
- 6. As a part of Extension and Outreach program, the events committee of School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University organized a cleanliness drive at Advai-Peddyem junction with involvement of 20 SCS faculties and 3 research students on 21st March 2024 at 11 am. Dr. Prachi Torney coordinated the event with the help of events committee members of SCS. Gloves, garbage bags and sticks were provided to the participants by Goa University. Area around Advai-Peddyem junction was cleaned by the volunteers. About 5 bags full of plastic waste and glass bottles, were collected. The village panchayat then arranged to clear the collected waste and took the responsibility of disposal of the waste. The Sarpanch of Advai village Mr. Uday Rane addressed the volunteers and appreciated the efforts of the school in organizing such outreach activities.

DCT's Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce and Economics Cujira

- 1. On 12th January 2024 in compliance with the instructions received from the NSS Cell, Goa University on 11/01/2024, the NSS Unit of the college organized a talk on 'Health and Fitness awareness' on the occasion of the National Youth Day celebration and to commemorate the birth anniversary of spiritual and National leader Shri Swami Vivekananda who played a crucial role in shaping modern India. The resource person for the same was the College Physical Education Director Dr. Michael Dias. A total of 30 NSS Volunteers attended the talk.
- 2. In compliance with the instructions received from the NSS Cell, Goa University on 11/01/2024, the NSS Unit of Our College conducted a Special Registration Drive for all NSS Volunteers on My Bharat Portal on the occasion of the National Youth Day celebration and to commemorate the birth anniversary of spiritual and National leader Shri Swami

- Vivekananda on 12th January 2024. Asst. Prof. Ms. Aarti Popkar was the resource person who explained the registration process on the My Bharat portal and also highlighted the significance of the My Bharat account to all NSS volunteers present for the drive. A total of 30 NSS Volunteers attended the talk.
- 3. In compliance with the instructions received from the NSS Cell, Goa University on 11/01/2024, the NSS unit of the college facilitated the Live Telecast of the speech of our Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi on the occasion of the 27th National Youth Festival Inaugural Function, held at Nashik in Maharashtra on 12th January 2024.
- 4. The UBA cell of the college organized a Community Engagement Activity & Joy of Giving on 15th January 2024 as a philanthropic endeavour aimed towards distributing everyday essentials to school students in need of assistance for the students of Government High School, Dona Paula, Tiswadi -Goa. This activity involved a donation of stationery, books, toiletries and food beverages (non-perishable) to the Primary and Secondary students of the school. The arrangements for organizing conducting the donation (a part of community enragement activity) with the Rotary Club of Dona Paula and Government High School, Dona Paula were coordinated by the faculty and four student volunteers accompanied the faculty members for the activity.
- 5. The UBA cell, NSS Unit and Department of IT of the college organized a 'E- Waste Awareness & Collection Drive' as a community engagement activity on 26th January 2024 in collaboration with Santa Cruz Village Panchayat and MOU Partner Group Ten Plus. This awareness and collection drive was undertaken in two segments. Firstly, the faculty members in charge of this activity along with 4 student volunteers and Mr. Ashley Delaney, Founding Member of Group Ten Plus addressed the Members of St. Cruz Panchayat at their office. The second part of this drive was successfully completed by the faculty members and total 44 student volunteers by going door to door in Cujira ward with the Guidance of the Ward Panch Mrs. Perpetua Desouza and talking to residents about types, effects and safe disposal of e -waste at centres like our college and panchayat. The student volunteers collected significant amount of e-waste during this drive from about 29 houses.

Govt. College of Commerce and Economics, Borda, Margao Goa.

The NSS Unit of the college organized the following extension and outreach activities

- 1. Visit to the orphanage wherein essential commodities were distributed to the inmates on 21st March 2024
- 2. Distribution of essential commodities to street children in and around Pajifond and children of construction workers on 22nd March 2024
- 3. Student volunteered in medical camps conducted Lions Club, Ravan fond, Margoa on February 11th 2024.
- 4. An e-waste collection drive in association with Karo Sambhav. by the Dept. of Economics and the NSS Unit in January 2024.
- 5. Students of the college delivered informative talks on 'Health and Hygiene" to students of Multipurpose High School, Margao and Our Lady of Snows, Raia, South Goa.

- 6. Awareness session on road safety and traffic management on the 26th February 2024 organised by the NSS and the Consumer Welfare Cell of the College.
- 7. Women's Day celebration wherein the College in association with the Lions Club felicitated women achievers from Margao under the Abolim Program.
- 8. In association with Nave Marg, the Diabetes Club of the College organized medical camps for the community every month.
- 9. A programme on "Meditation as Medication was organized on 11th February, 2024.

Shenoi Goembab School of Languages and Literature, Discipline of Hindi

1. The programme on Effortless Weight loss and Diabetes Prevention was held on 5th February 2024, 2.15 PM at Physical. At Block E, Chemistry Auditorium. The resource person was Dr. Jagannath Dixit, a renowned Indian Professor who is known for propounding a diet plan (Dixit Diet) to reverse obesity and type 2 diabetes. He is currently working as a Professor in the Department of Community Medicine at B. J. Government Medical College, Pune. He has teaching experience of more than 32 years in various medical colleges. He has published 63 Research Articles in National and International Medical Journals. Total 145 participated in the said programme.

Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance and Public Policy

- 1. Students of the MSW programme were placed in the following organisations for their fieldwork practicum. Where they engaged with the organisation and conducted activities in the field.
 - a) Office of State Commissioner for Persons with Disability
 - b) Central Jail, Colvale
 - c) State Family Welfare Bureau
 - d) Blood Bank, South Goa District Hospital
 - e) Urban Health Centre, Margao
 - f) Blood Bank, Goa Medical College
 - g) CDPO, Ponda
 - h) CDPO, Salcete
 - i) CDPO, Quepem
 - j) CDPO, Canacona
 - k) Apna Ghar- Boys Section
 - 1) Apna Ghar- Girls Section
 - m) Institute of Human Behaviour and Psychiatry
 - n) Jeevan Vikas Samajik Bahuudeshiy Panlot Saustha- Keri Ponda Goa (PMKSY 2.0 Project implemented by ICAR)
 - o) Jeevan Vikas Samajik Bahuudeshiy Panlot Saustha- Keri Ponda Goa (PMKSY 2.0 Project implemented by ICAR)
 - p) Community Health Centre, Canacona
 - q) Aasara Orphanage- Benaulim
 - r) Mineral Foundation of Goa- Margao Project
- 2. Lecture series on Public Administration conducted at Goa University and affiliated colleges under the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Chair in Leadership and Governance from 26th to 28th March 2024.

- 3. Making Equality a Reality (MEAR 2024), an intercollegiate event was organized to commemorate International Women's Day on 19th March 2024
- 4. Legal awareness program: Empowering women through legal awareness was organised on 09th March 2024 at Marcel, Goa
- 5. A one-day workshop on the evaluation of Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao scheme in Goa under the research project funded by ICSSR was organised on 20th February 2024.
- 6. Legal awareness: Legal services for the empowerment of tribals and tribal sub-plan was organized on 17th February 2024 at Kalem, Goa
- 7. Workshop on Empowering Justice: Legal Aid Awareness for Disabilities and vulnerable Groups organized on 11th February 2024.

PES's College of Education, Farmagudi, Ponda - Goa

- 1. The Annual Sports Meet of PES's College of Education was held on 5th and 6th January 2024, under IQAC and Sports Committee, marking an exciting day of camaraderie, competition and celebration. The event took place in the spacious playground of the college. The Annual Sports Meet commenced with a grand welcome extended to the esteemed Chief Guest Shri. Ravi Naik- Ex Former Chief Minister of Goa, Minister of Agriculture, Handicraft and Civil Supplies, MLA of Ponda Constituency and President of Ponda Education Society's, a renowned personality. His presence added prestige and motivation to the event. The participating students of all twelve groups performed an impressive March Past, showcased their discipline, coordination, and team spirit through synchronized movements. Followed by the march past the event was inaugurated by hoisting the college flag by the Chief Guest Shri. Ravi Naik.
- 2. Parikrama 0.6 that is the 6 th edition (Knowledge Terminus) was held on 20 th and 21 st of January on 2024 at Marcel Goa. Where students of Ponda Education Society's College of Education, Farmagudi, Ponda, Goa had participated in the event with full enthusiasm and showcased their hard work both onstage and offstage under the guidance Asst. Prof Rohit Bhosle Asst. Prof Shashikannt Pawar. The students telecasted their talents wonderfully at different events and achieved various prices.
- 3. Ponda Education Society's College of Education's Physical Education and Sports Committee and Ponda Education Society's Rajaram and Tarabai Bandekar College of Pharmacy, Farmagudi in collaboration organized Two Days 1st Inter- Collegiate Light Ball Cricket Tournament under IQAC on 26 th January and 27th January 2024 at PES College Ground, Farmagudi, Ponda- Goa. All together 23 colleges Men Teams participated in the tournament. The ground was attractively decorated to welcome the Guest and participants. The format of the matches was decided to be a knock out tournament with 4 overs per innings.
- 4. The Student Parliament Competition 2024, organized by the Goa Legislature Secretariat, took place at the esteemed Goa Legislative Assembly on February 21, 2024. It provided a platform for students to engage in
- 5. parliamentary procedures and debates, fostering their understanding of democratic principles and governance. The delegation from Ponda Education of Society's College of Education comprised 33 dedicated B.Ed.

- trainees who showcased exceptional enthusiasm and commitment throughout the event. They actively participated in various parliamentary activities, including debates, discussions, and legislative simulations.
- 6. Ponda Education Society College of Education under science club organized an online National level Science Day poster making competition 2024 on 28th Feb 2024 with the theme science for sustainable future.
- 7. Ponda Education Society's College of Education under Gender Champion Club celebrated International Womens' Week from Friday, 1 March 2024 to Thursday, 7 March 2024. All groups of F.Y.B.Ed. of contributed in celebration through their respective assemblies.
- 8. On 14th March 2024 Ponda Education Society's College of Education, Farmagudi, and Ponda, Goa organized a World Mathematics Day under the IQAC & Day English Placement Cell from 10.00 a.m. to 11.30.a.m. Anchoring of the program was done by Member, Mathematics Club, and ShanayaGail Mascarenhas. Welcome Song Video presented by Member, Mathematics Club, Siya Amonkar. For the celebration 106 students were present from F.Y.B.Ed and S.Y. B. Ed At the end the vote of thanks was proposed by Member of Mathematics Club Miss. Valencia Fernandes. This report is worded by Dr. Prakash R. Ahire.

P.E. S's R.S.N College of Arts & Science, Farmagudi

- 1. Extension Cell and IQAC in collaboration with Veling Priol Kunkolim Gram Panchayat organized an Upskilling workshop under Viksit Bharat@2047 on 'गोों यच्यो रोंगयाळ्यो फाोंतयो on 15th February 2024 from 3pm to 5:30pm at Shree Betala Grampanchishth Devasthan Sabhamandap' Gauthan Priol. The resource persons for the workshop were our students Ms. Prapti Gurav, Ms. Shreya Kolekar, Ms. Mitisha Satarkat and PES Alumni Ms. Sankita Naik.
- 2. The NSS volunteers crafted paper and cloth bags and designed posters to be displayed outside shops. With permission from the panchayat secretary, they initiated the campaign, visiting every shop to educate locals about the environmental impact of plastic use. The community responded positively, appreciating their efforts. Posters were displayed, and shopkeepers received paper and cloth bags. At the campaign's conclusion, the group felt a sense of satisfaction, having successfully raised awareness and taken a step towards reducing plastic usage in Dhondshi Wado.
- 3. On the occasion of National Science Day 2024, National Space Science Symposium, ISRO and Goa University organised public lectures from 26th February to 1st March 2024 at three different places in Goa. As a part of lecture series, Ponda Education Society's Ravi S. Naik College of Arts and Science hosted lecture at Rajiv Gandhi Kala Mandir, Ponda on 29th February 2024 from 4:30pm to 5:30pm. The public lecture on 'Indian Lunar Missions' was delivered by Shri. A. S. Kirankumar, Chairman-APEX Science board and Former Chairman, ISRO. The talk was attended by more than 700 people, including the distinguished researchers; students from schools, higher secondary school and colleges across Ponda along with teachers and general public.
- 4. As a part of extension activities of our college, the P.E.S. Extension cell in collaboration with Inner wheel Club of Ponda conducted a workshop on

- "Crafting Sustainable Solutions: The Paper Bag Making" on 9th March 2024 (Saturday) for the students of your M.E. F's Fatima High School, Curti Ponda. The objective of this workshop was to provide hands on training to the students to learn the craft of paper bag making, which offers an ecofriendly sustainable solution for packaging and carrying material. A total of 124 students were present.
- 5. Training and placement cell of our college organised an awareness session on Career guidance on Aviation and Hospitality industries on 6th Jan. 24 in Swami Vivekananda Hall. The resource person was Shri Sujay Rao, personality development trainer at Gryphon Academy, Fatorda, Margao Goa. The session was attended by 59 students of T. Y. B. A. and B. Sc.
- 6. On the occasion of Makar Sankranti, Swachh Bharat Student Internship Unit and Institution Innovation Council of the college organized a sale on "Makar Sankranti Delights" on 15th January 2024. This entreprenerial activity was conducted by the SBSI Interns as a part of their internship. The sesame-based delicacies were purchased by teaching/non-teaching staff and the students thus making the Makar Sankranti delight sale a grand success.
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- 8. Directorate of Youth and Sports Affairs, Directorate of Higher Education, Directorate of Technical Education, Directorate of Planning and Statistics and Directorate of Information and Publicity in collaboration with NSS Unit and Students' Council of P.E.S' R.S.N College of Arts and Science, celebrated the National Youth week 2024 on 17 January, 2024 in the Swami Vivekananda Hall of the college.
- 9. A talk by Marathi poet shri Dattaprasad jog -: marathi kavita: lay aani aashay, at swami vivekanand hall, on 18/02/2024 orgnised by Dept of Marathi, vachak sallagar samiti ponda and RDI (language).
- 10. Gymkhana Committee in collaboration with Students Council of P.E. S's Ravi S. Naik College of Arts & Science, Farmagudi organised Zumba Fitness Masterclass for teaching and non-teaching staff and students on 13th January 2024 in Auditorium Hall of P.E. S's College of education at 2.30 pm onwards.
- 11. SBSI and Institution innovation council in collaboration with IQAC jointly organised a workshop on "Entrepreneurship and Innovation" as career opportunity on 24th January 24, attended by students and faculty members. Mr. Dheeraj Shenoy, Assistant officer, Solid Waste Department of Zoology Management, Hilldari Group, was the resource person for the workshop.
- 12. As a part of Pre-festival activities of 7th Bird Festival 2024, Goa Forest Department organized a talk by Dr Pranoy Baidya, Head of research division at Arannya Environment Research Organisation (AERO), a Goa based Non-profit organisation.
- 13. The Department of zoology of our college under the auspices of Zoology Study Forum released the second edition of biannual wallpaper MAYUR on the ocassion of 75th Republic Day. The theme for the wallpaper was Biomimicry animal inspired designs It is a practice that learns from and mimics the strategies found in nature to solve human challenges to offer

- time tested solutions to all our problems.
- 14. The Department of botany of our college under Botany colloquium released the annual wallpaper Pravardhan on the ocassion of 75th Republic Day. The theme for the wallpaper was Ecosystem Diversity of Goa the wallpaper focused on Goa's rich ecosystem diversity, encompassing coastal areas, Western Ghats, and diverse wetland ecosystems.
- 15. On the Occasion of 75th Republic Day on 26th January 2024, Department of Zoology released its first desk calendar. The calendar showcases the prize winners and participants of photography, sketch and collage competition held under the auspices of Zoology Study Forum and Survival Nature Club.
- 16. The Department of History organised a workshop on 29th January 2024 from 10 am to 1pm on the theme "Goan Divinities in Metal and Stone: A study of religious sculpture through the ages" The resource persons were Dr.Rohit Phalgaonkar, Asst Professor.SSA Govt.college of Arts and Commerce, Virnoda-Pernem Goa who spoke on sculptures in Metal and Dr.Indra Prabhu shastri, Research Assistant, Goa State Museum, Panaji Goa who spoke on Sculptures in Stone. Dr.Rohit spoke about the Gramdevatas being the centre of the Gaunkari system and how the artisans of the village were connected to the temples and where it's sevekaris and not it's servants as the Portuguese named then in their works on Communidades
- 17. Botany Colloquium' the subject association of botany Department organised 'Pebble painting competition' on the theme Fruits on 27th January 2024 Total of 33 participants participated in the competition.
- 18. On the occasion of republic day, Department of Information Technology and SBSI unit jointly released e- wall paper entitled TechKriti under the theme "India's leap towards digital transformation.
- 19. Department of Microbiology, P. E. S's Ravi S. Naik College of Arts and Science, Farmagudi organised a 30 hours Certificate course on "Probiotic Foods and Beverages" from 15thJanuary to 29th January 2024 which was funded by Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Goa. The Certificate course was open for UG and PG students of P.E.S.R.S.N. college and included demonstration and preparation of different types of Probiotic foods and beverage products. A total of 38 students registered for the certificate course.
- 20. World Wetland Day is celebrated on 2nd February throughout the world. On the eve of WWD, Mangrove unit of Department of Botany, in collaboration with Mangrove Society of India organised a guest lecture on the topic Wetlands: The Respiratory Guardians of Earth by Dr. Pradip Sarmokadam, Member Secretary of Goa State Biodiversity Board on 1st February 2024 in Swami Vivekananda Hall.
- 21. The Department of English organised its annual intra-collegiate Shakespeare festival, titled "The Globe," on February 27th, 2023. The event received a total of 111 registrations across the seven events floated for the day.
- 22. The U.G. and P.G. Department of Microbiology, organised an intercollegiate event Micronova 2K24, on 3rd February, 2024 for B.Sc and M.Sc. Students. A total of 85 students from 6 colleges participated in the event.
- 23. With the aim of encouraging budding entrepreneurs, Department of Microbiology in collaboration with Institution Innovation Council

- organized an Entrepreneurial venture "Food for thought at "MICRONOVA 2K24" on 3rd February 2024, at P.E.S. Cafetaria from 9.30 am to 4.30 pm.
- 24. The Department of Zoology organized a One-day workshop on "First Aid and Emergency Medicine Learning" for the students of our college on 8th February 2024 (Thursday) from 9.00 am to 5.00 pm. The objective of the workshop was to provide hands on training on First aid techniques and basic lifesaving skills to the students.
- 25. The Post-graduate Department of Microbiology of P.E.S.'s Ravi S. Naik College of Arts and Science, organised an Orientation Programme on "Formats and Structure of Dissertation/Internship/Fieldwork Report" for MSc Microbiology part II students, on 19th February 2024 from 11.30-12.30pm. 18 students and 9 faculty members participated in the orientation programme.
- 26. The Institution's Innovation Council of the College in collaboration with the Goa State Innovation Council organised a workshop on 'Design Thinking, Critical Thinking, and Innovation Design' on 16th February 2024 from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm. The workshop dealt with the core principles of innovation, the concept and importance of prototyping in the design process, 3D printing, the use of 3D pen and Laser cutting technology. A total of 22 students took the benefit of this workshop. Mr. Alex Philip, Assistant Professor in Economics and Ms. Anuja Naik, Assistant Professor in Chemistry accompanied the students for the workshop.
- 27. P.E. S's R.S.N College Alumni Association had organised an inspirational talk on "Success is a journey not a Destination" by Dr. Ajay Gaude, Chief Executive Officer, North Goa, Zilla Panchayat and esteemed aluminus of P.E.S.'s Ravi S. Naik College of Arts and Science, Farmagudi on 17th February 2024.Mr. Shubham Gaonkar, Secretary of P.E. S's R.S.N College Alumni Association introduced the Guest Speaker. Dr. Ajay Gaude spoke on the importance of dedication and perseverance in education. In his address, Ajay Gaude emphasized the importance of family, teachers, and society as the three main pillars of support, urging everyone to be dedicated and sincere in their endeavours.
- 28. The Department of Philosophy along with the Research and Development Cell of our college organised a guest lecture on the topic "Neurological Singularity and the Future of Philosophy, Religion and Ethics". The speaker, Fr. Augustine Pamplany (Director of the Institute of Advanced Interdisciplinary Studies, Cochin and Research Dean of the Institute of Interdisciplinary Studies at Loyola College of Social Sciences, Trivandrum) enlightened the audience with his scholarship on the subject. The lecture ended with a round of questions from the audience. The lecture was held on February 12, 2024 from 11.00am to 12.30pm in room number F11. The lecture was attended by students, Arts faculty members and the Vice Principal of the college, Prof. Satish Keluskar.
- 29. The NSS Unit of the College in collaboration with RTO Office, Ponda-Goa organized a talk for the students on "Road Safety" on 15th February 2024 from 11am to 1pm at Swami Vivekananda Hall of P.E. S's R.S.N College of Arts and Science, Farmagudi, Ponda-Goa. The Resource Person for the talk was Dr. Anna Neena George, Associate Professor, G.V. M's Dr. Dada Vaidya College of Education, Farmagudi, Ponda-Goa. RTO Officer Mr.Bhargav Korde was also present.

- 30. The PES Archives and Department of History organised 'ERA 2024 A Tryst with Time', an inter-collegiate history event on 20th March 2024 from 8.30 am to 5 pm at Swami Vivekanand Sabhagruha. Seven colleges participated in this intellectually stimulating gathering, showcasing their talent and passion for history. The event consisted of various competitions, catering to various interests and skills. These included: Flip Flop, Pencil Sketch, Photography, Treasure Hunt, Goan Folk Melodies, Fashion ERA, Mr. and Ms. ERA. Around 180 students from 7 educational institutions.
- 31. Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Chair in Leadership and Governance of Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance and Public Policy in collaboration with P.E. S's Ravi S Naik College of Arts and Science organised a Public Lecture on 'Leadership and Governance' on 28th March 2024 in Swami Vivekananda Hall. The resource person for the lecture was Professor Prakash Powar, Head of Department, Department of Political Science, Shivaji University, Kolhapur. her public lecture was attended by diverse audience which included Mrs Vaishali Powar, students and faculty of P. ES's RSN College of Arts & Science as well as of the sister institutions of Ponda Education Society.
- 32. On the occasion of international day of zero waste SBSI unit in collaboration with Department of Information technology and IQAC organised a talk on 1) Zero Waste for sustainable living by resource person Mr. Mayur Saboji, Assitant manager, Hilldari 2) Role of social media for promoting zero waste movement by resourceperson Mr.Dheeraj Shenoy Assistant Officer, Hilldari. On 30 th March 2024. A total of 24 students attended the talk.
- 33. The Institution's Innovation council of P.E. S's R.S.N college of Arts and Science in collaboration with the Dept. of Economics and IQAC organised a session on "Achieving Problem Solution fit and Product Market Fit" for the students of our college on the 15th of March 2024 at 11 am in classroom no F-11 from 11am to 12. The resource person for the session was Mr. Kiraan Mehta (Head, Incubation and Innovation Cell at FiiRe, Don Bosco College of Engineering).
- 34. The Department of Political Science at P.E.S.'s Ravi S. Naik College of Arts and Science, Ponda, with the support of the Indian Council of Social Science Research (Western Regional Centre), Mumbai, organized a one-day national seminar on 'Developmental Projects of BRICS: India's
- 35. Leadership' on 23rd March 2024. The seminar took place at Swami Vivekananda Hall.
- 36. The Internal Complaints Committee of PES' Ravi S. Naik College, Farmagudi, organised an Awareness Session on the 'POSH Act 2013 & Its Provisions' at 9.30 am in Room No. F 11 on March 26, 2024. The Resource Persons for the session were Ms. Sendra Florencia Pereira, President; Ms. Amreen Shaikh, Secretary; and Ms. Veda Desai, Treasurer, respectively, of the Panaji based NGO, Uzwaad The Rays of Hope, which works for promoting women's empowerment, environmental conservation & sustainability.
- 37. The department of English in collaboration with Arts forum of P. E. S. Ravi S Naik College of Arts and Science, Farmagudi organized a session on blogging on 18th of March 2024 at 10:00 a.m, in Swami Vivekanand Hall. The resource person for the session was Dr. Brian Mendonca. The session was aimed at equipping students with the knowledge and skills

required to excel in the field of blogging. A total number of 65 students attended the session.

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- 1. The Department of English organized the Cine Club's inaugural and First Screening programme for college students on 8th January 2024 to develop a love and appreciation for film by helping students understand how to critically analyze a film by discussing what makes it good or bad. The awareness was created by screening a film in the college hall. 14 students took part in the awareness programme.
- 2. Department of History visited St. Anthony Convent, Agassaim with 15 students on 20th January 2024 at 3.00 pm. The visit aimed to inculcate in the students a sense of social responsibility and to raise awareness about the needs of less privileged children. Students played games and distributed some gifts to the children.
- 3. Department of Sociology and Consumer Welfare Cell organized a talk on the theme 'Consumer Rights and Responsibilities' on 24th January 2024 to create awareness of Consumer Rights under the Consumer Protection Act 2019 in the college hall. The speaker for the talk was Mr. Roland Martin (GOACAN) who spoke on various rights of the consumers such as Right to Safety, right to be Informed, Right to Choose, right to be Heard, right to seek Redressal, and Right to Consumer Awareness. 102 students participated in the awareness programme.
- 4. Department of Sociology and Consumer Welfare Cell organized a talk on the theme 'Consumer Rights and Safety Demonstration' on 3rd February 2024 in the college hall to create awareness of the Consumer rights and safety measures to be taken while using LPG gas and the rights of the consumers. The speaker for the talk was Mr. Roland Martin (GOACAN) who spoke on various issues related to booking, complaints to the issuing companies and the instructions to be followed while using LPG Gas. 42 students participated in the awareness programme.
- 5. Department of Sociology and Consumer Welfare Cell organized a talk on the theme "Traffic Rules and Regulations' on 13th February 2024 for the students in the college hall to provide information on the Traffic rules and Regulations to the students. The speaker for the talk was Mr Tukaram Shet Mandrekar, Asst. Inspector, Traffic Cell, Panjim. He highlighted various issues like roadside, traffic signals, seat belts, wearing helmets, etc. 81 students participated in the awareness programme.
- 6. NSS unit, Women's Development Cell and Gender Champion Cell celebrated National Girl Child Day on 24th January 2024 for the students in the college Heritage Hall by organizing a talk on reproductive health issues in young women. The resource person for the talk was Dr Rini Naik, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynecologist, Healthway Hospital, Old Goa. 53 students participated in the celebration.
- 7. NSS Unit of the college celebrated World Water Day on 20th March 2024 through submission by online mode to create awareness on the conservation of water for the future by writing slogans and preparing videos near water bodies like lakes, rivers, seas, etc. 12 students participated in the celebrating the day.