

In Association with **School of Chemical Sciences Goa University** 

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### School of Chemical Sciences – Goa University

#### Activity Report on 12th Annual Get-together cum Home-coming after 25 years, of M.Sc. Chemistry Students of 1999-2001 batch

Chemistry Department Faculty & Alumni Association (CDFAA) in association with School of Chemical Sciences (SCS), Goa University organized 12th Annual Get-together cum Home-coming of M.Sc. Chemistry Students of 1999-2001 batch along with their teachers on Sunday 26th January 2025 at School of Chemical Sciences (formerly Chemistry Department) of Goa University, Goa from 02:00 pm to 05:30 pm. The function was conducted in hybrid form, physical and online mode in order to facilitate those who (student / alumni) are abroad or out of station. Alumni of 1999-2001 batch joined who for the meeting in physical mode were Reeta Joseph, Shamlee Padwal, Pradyumna P. Padwal, Geeta S. Naik, Dr. Pritam Borkar, Savita Vernakar, Premanand Gaude, Prakash Murthi, Ashwini Gaonkar, Dr. Dnyaneshwar V. Gawas, Dr. Sunder Dhuri, Swapnil Sukthankar, whereas Sweta Samant Joined in online mode from United States of America. This annual meet is arranged on 26th January every year for the students who have completed 25 years of their post-graduation. The aim of this annual event was to give an opportunity to these students to meet their teachers (who taught them 25 years back and some are now superannuated) & interact with their classmates. This meet offer potential avenues for academic-Industry collaboration and help students for the placement.

The function started with welcome note by vice-president of CDFAA, Prof. Teotone Vaz followed by address from Prof. V. M. S. Verenkar, Dean, SCS. Further, students of 1999-2001 batch introduced themselves, followed by Faculty, executive committee, life members of CDFAA and research students. Later, the session began with the lectures from our superannuated senior teachers for 5-10 minutes to refresh their 25 years old memories. The lecture were delivered by Prof. S. P. Kamat (Organic Chemistry), Prof. K. S. Rane (Inorganic Chemistry) and Prof. J. B. Fernandes (Physical Chemistry). After lectures, alumni of 1999-2001 batch shared their sweet memories with the help of some photographs. To commemorate the annual meet, these alumni expressed their willingness to donate money to the CDFAA and School of Chemical Sciences so that it can benefit the needy meritorious students. Subsequently, the Prof. V. S. Nadkarni presented mementos to all the alumni of 1999-2001 batch.

The function concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. Kedar U. Narvekar, Convener of this Gettogether cum Homecoming Event followed by interactions and high tea. Alumni were taken on a tour of the School of Chemical Sciences by the president of CDFAA.

The Invitation Letter, event flyer, attendance and the photographs of activities are enclosed in this report.

Dr. Kedar U. Narvekar Convener of the Get-together cum Homecoming Event CDFAA), 2025 School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, Taleigao Plateau, Goa - 403206

Prof. V.M.S. Verenkar Dean, School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, Taleigao Plateau, Goa -403206



#### **Invitation Letter**



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## **Chemistry Department Faculty & Alumni Association** (Registered under Societies Registration Act, 1860: Reg. No. 491/Goa/2010)

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Date: 23rd December 2024

Dear Friends

We are pleased to inform you that the 12th Annual Get-together cum Home-coming of M.Sc. Chemistry Students of 1999-2001 Batch along with their teachers will be held on Sunday, 26th January 2025 at the Lecture Hall - I of The School of Chemical Sciences (Erstwhile Chemistry Department) of Goa University, Goa from 2.00 pm to 5.30 pm. As you were the student of M.Sc. Chemistry of 1999-2001 batch, I cordially invite you to attend this event organized by "CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT FACULTY & ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (CDFAA)" in association with School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, Goa which will take you 25 years back down the memory lane. This event will give you an opportunity to meet your teachers (who taught you 25 years back and some of them are now superannuated) and also to see & interact with your classmates after 25 years. All our retired teachers attend this function, as they are also eager to see their students whom they taught 25 years back. Gratifyingly, these teachers will also teach you again for 5 minutes. I am sure you will like to meet your teachers and see a smile on their face and make them happy

Please try to make it convenient to attend this event and, inform your M.Sc. Classmates about the annual event of CDFAA

About CDFAA, it was formed in February 2006 with School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, Goa as its Headquarter and has now 146 Life members. It has till date financed 142 economically poor meritorious students to complete their M.Sc. in Chemistry by giving them a "Needy Meritorious Students Fellowship" of Rs.1500/- per month and also supported six students financially to complete their M.Sc. in Chemistry on demise of earning member of their family. The CDFAA also arranges annual intercollegiate research project competition as well as felicitates our ex-students who clear UGC-CSIR-JRF. It also encourages healthy competition among researchers in Chemistry by giving annual prizes for Best Researcher in College & University.

So on 26th January 2025, Sunday at 2.00 pm see you in the School of Chemical Sciences, Block E, Goa University, Goa-403206. (200 meters from University Library towards Dona-Paula; a two-floor building with black colored glasses having basement parking).

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Sincerely yours,

Dr. Kedar U. Narvekar Convener of the Get-together cum Homecoming Event School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University, Taleigao Plateau, Goa-403206 e-mail:- kunarvekar@unigoa.ac.in, Mobile:-+91 7588001988

#### **Event Flyer**

## CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT FACULTY & ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, GOA UNIVERSITY, GOA

12th Annual Get-together cum Homecoming after 25 years, of M.Sc. Chemistry Students of 1999-2001 batch on Sunday 26th January 2025 from 2.00 pm to 5.30 pm at School of Chemical Sciences (SCS), Goa University

#### Time Programme 2.00 to 2.30 pm Registration 2.30 to 2.35 pm I) Welcome by Prof. Teotone Vaz, Vice-President, CDFAA 2.35 to 2.40 pm II) Address by Prof. V. M. S. Verenkar, Dean, SCS, Goa University 2.40 to 2.50 pm III) Self-Introduction by Alumni of 1999-2001 batch 2.50 to 2.55 pm IV) Self-Introduction by E.C., Faculty and Life members of CDFAA 2.55 to 3.15 pm V) Class room teaching for 5 minutes by teachers who taught you a) Senior Professor of Organic Chemistry, Prof. S. P. Kamat b) Senior Professor of Physical Chemistry, Prof. J. B. Fernandes c) Senior Professor of Inorganic Chemistry, Prof. K. S. Rane d) Senior Professor of Inorg/Anal. Chemistry, Prof. A. V. Salker 3.15 to 3.20 pm VI) PowerPoint display of some photographs by 1999-2001 batch alumni VII) Remarks by some present & past faculty members 3.20 to 3.35 pm VIII) Remarks/Sweet memories by Alumni of 1999-2001 batch 3.35 to 4.15 pm IX) Presentation of Mementos to Alumni by Vice-President, CDFAA 4.15 to 4.25 pm X) Vote of Thanks by Dr. Vinod K. Mandrekar, Secretary, CDFAA 4.25 to 4.30 pm XI) Tea and snacks break 4.30 to 4.50 pm XII) Tour of School of Chemical Sciences 4.50 to 5.05 pm XIII) Memories of 1999-2001 (for 1999-2001 M.Sc. batch only) 5.05 to 5.30 pm ant Prof. V.M.S. Verenkar, Dr. Kedar U. Narvekar,

Convener of the Get-together cum Home-coming Event CDFAA)

Dean, SCS

#### Attendance

## Chemistry Department Faculty & Alumni Association (CDFAA) in Association with School of Chemical Sciences

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Registration for retired & present staff (teaching & Non-teaching) members

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## Photographs

Teachers and Alumni of 1999-2001 batch joined in physical and online mode

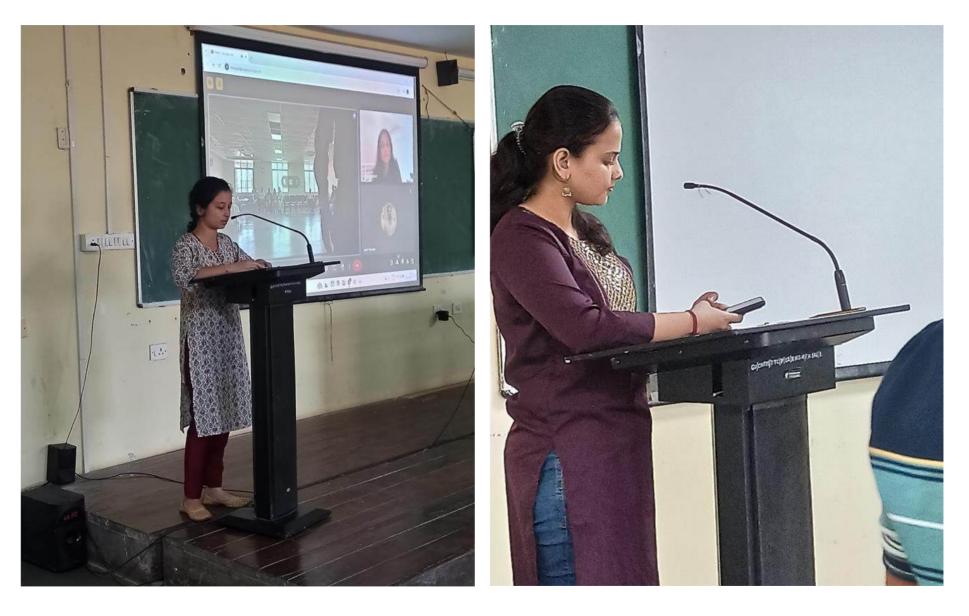




Welcome by Prof. Teotone Vaz (Vice-President CDFAA)



Address by Prof. V. M. S. Verenkar (Dean, SCS)



Introduction by Research Students, Teachers and Alumni





#### Introduction of Alumni of 1999-2001 batch















## Inorganic Chemistry Lecture by Prof. K. S. Rane







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## Organic Chemistry Lecture by Prof. S. P. Kamat



## Physical Chemistry Lecture by Prof. J. B. Fernandes

## Photos of 1999-2001 batch (Memories)



Mementos presented to Alumni by Prof. V. S. Nadkarni



Swapnil Sukthankar



Pradyumna P. Padwal



Dr. Dnyaneshwar V. Gawas



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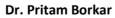
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## Group Photos

















## School Visit













