



Goa University
Shenoi Goembab School of Languages and Literature
Discipline of Portuguese and Lusophone Studies
Discipline of French and Francophone Studies

Report on
LET'S HERALD THE HOLIDAY SEASON

The Disciplines of Portuguese and Lusophone Studies and French and Francophone Studies at Goa University organised a day of creative and festive activities for students of the respective Bachelor's and Master's programmes in Portuguese and French. The event, titled "*Let's Herald the Holiday Season*," was held on **December 17, 2025**, from **2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

A total of **20 students** and **10 faculty members** participated in the event.

Description of the event

Designed to blend festive celebrations with cultural and linguistic engagement, the event featured a range of creative activities. These included reading creative letters written in Portuguese, French and English as part of a Secret Santa activity; presentations of bilingual vlogs created by the students on Christmas festivities in Goa; and Christmas carol performances.

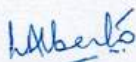
In addition, several interactive games were organised for both students and faculty members, such as a *Chocolate trip*, which required the participants to fill in a passage with homonyms of chocolates, a Christmas crossword, and *Fixing Rudolph's Red Nose*. These activities encouraged collaboration and friendly competition, thereby promoting teamwork, fostering camaraderie and enhancing cultural appreciation among the students and faculty of the B.A. and M.A. Portuguese and French disciplines.

Key outcomes

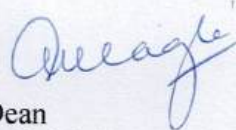
By encouraging cultural appreciation through festive performances, letter writing, and short creative media, the activities supported the development of communication skills in Portuguese

interpretive abilities in an engaging and culturally rooted context. Overall, the event helped create a relaxed and inclusive environment that fostered camaraderie among students and faculty members, marking the beginning of the festive season and offering undergraduate and postgraduate students an opportunity to participate in meaningful cultural and linguistic activities beyond the classroom.

The event was coordinated by Ms Loraine Alberto, Programme Director (M.A. Portuguese), and Assistant Professors Ms Shourya Sinai Kavlekar and Ms Munira Ursula de Souza.



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Coordinator, P.D. M.A. Portuguese



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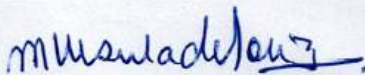


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Organizes

*Let's Herald the
Holiday Season*

on
December 17, 2025

From 2:00 p.m to 5:00 p.m

Secret santa letter-writing
📅 Reel/vlog-making
🎵 Christmas carol performances

Dress code
Red, White or Green

Dean, S.G.S.L.L
Prof. Anuradha Wagle

Programme Directors
Ms Loraine Alberto (M.A Portuguese)
Mr. Anthony Gomes (B.A. French)

Event Coordinators
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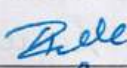

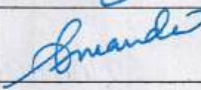
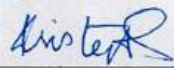
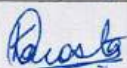
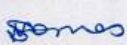

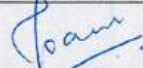
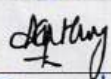
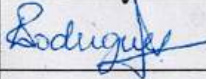
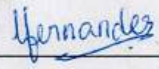
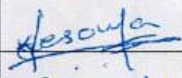
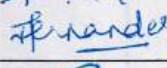





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Date: 17.12.2025

Attendance Record

Sr. No.	Name	Discipline	Signature
1.	Kahanna D. Dhainwadkar	French	
2.	Dhruv Usgaonkar	Portuguese	
3.	Lizelle Azavedo	French	
4.	Suvodip Roy	French	
5.	Amanda Tyronista Rodrigues	French	
6.	Kirsten Hfonso	French	
7.	Kate Da Costa	French	
8.	Dr. Natasha Gomes	French	
9.	REBONI ARAUJO	FRENCH	
10.	Joann D'Silva	Portuguese	
11.	Anthony Gomes	French	
12.	Delaney Rodrigues	Portuguese	
13.	Leanne Fernandes	Portuguese	
14.	Keola De Souza	Portuguese	
15.	Jemma A. Fernandes	French	
16.	Shourya Sirsi Karlekar	French	
17.	Scarlet Ara Fernandes	Portuguese	
18.	LORAINÉ ALBERTO	Portuguese	

19.	Noelle Barreto	Portuguese	W Barreto
20.	Kenneth D Souza	French	B Souza
21.	DELFIN SILVA	Portuguese	f
22.	Munira Ursula de Souza	Portuguese	M
23.	Tannushree Rai	Portuguese	t
24.	Clare Carvalho	French	clcarvalho
25.	Nathan Couto	French	N Couto
26.	Aren D'Mello Noronha	Portuguese	arenoronha
27.	Lancia Colaco	Portuguese	lcolaco
28.	Esther Brito Carvalho	Portuguese	ecarvalho
29.	Shruvan D Nair	Portuguese	S Nair
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