



Goa University

Shenoi Goembab School of Languages and Literature

Discipline of French and Francophone Studies

Report on Intercultural exchanges on the theme of Christmas

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	Intercultural exchanges: workshop and events on the theme of Christmas <ol style="list-style-type: none">Workshop on Christmas Decoration (Atelier de Décoration),Workshop on Christmas recipes (Le gout de Noël),Simulation of Christmas Market (Marché de Noël), followed by Quiz and activities based on Christmas celebrations in France and other Francophone countries.
2. Date and Time	<ol style="list-style-type: none">Workshop on Christmas Decoration 10th December, from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm.Workshop on Christmas recipes (le gout de Noël) 16th December 2024 from 2pm to 4pm.Simulation of Christmas Market, 17th December 2024 from 1pm to 2pm followed by Quiz and activities based on Christmas celebrations in France and other Francophone countries, 17th December 2024 from 2pm to 4pm
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	Physical
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	Shenoi Goembab School of Languages and Literature
5. Collaborating Agency/School/Directorate	Workshop on Christmas recipes: organised in collaboration with the Discipline of IMBA, Goa University.
6. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">Workshop on Christmas decoration, organised by Rosell Charline LeuckWorkshop on Christmas recipes: Presentation and preparation of two Christmas recipes by Ms. Elaine D'Costa an alumnus of the Discipline of French and Francophone StudiesSimulation of Christmas Market, Quiz and activities

	organised by Ms. Charline Leuck, and Dr. Natasha Gomes
7. Number of Faculty attended/participated	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Workshop on Christmas decoration: 1 2. Workshop on Christmas recipes (Le gout de Noël): 4 + 1 Resource person 3. Simulation of Christmas Market (Marché de Noël) and Quiz/activities: 3
8. Number of Student attended / participated	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Workshop on Christmas decoration: 14 2. Workshop on Christmas recipes (Le gout de Noël): 14 3. Simulation of Christmas Market(Marché de Noël) and Quiz/activities : 20
9. No. of external students/faculty/other participants	NA
10. The objectives of the Program/activity/event	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Promote Cultural Awareness and Understanding: Enable participants to discover and appreciate Christmas traditions from France and other Francophone countries through hands-on activities, discussions, and cultural comparisons. 2. Develop Practical Creative and Culinary Skills: Provide opportunities to learn and apply new skills in areas such as festive decoration and traditional holiday cooking through interactive workshops. 3. Encourage Experiential Learning Through Cultural Simulation: Immerse participants in a simulated Marché de Noël to help them experience the atmosphere, customs, and social interactions typical of Christmas markets in Francophone regions. 4. Strengthen Intercultural Communication and Engagement: Foster dialogue, multilingualism, teamwork, and cultural exchange by involving participants in collaborative tasks and a quiz highlighting similarities and differences in Christmas celebrations across Francophone cultures. <p>Academic outcome of these activities. The Workshop on Christmas recipes and Christmas market is not only culturally relevant to France and the students of French, the event is also related to the BA course French for Hotel and Tourism and the MA course French for Hospitality and Tourism wherein the students would be required to explain the cultural importance of certain products in French. As a part of the above listed courses, the students would also be required to present and explain the dishes prepared in French.</p> <p>Alignment with NAAC/AQAR Criteria</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5.1.3- Following Capacity development and skills enhancement initiatives are taken by the institution 1. Soft skills and 2. Language and communication skills 7.1.8- cultural, regional and linguistic, communal harmony 7.1.11- Institution celebrates/organizes national and international commemorative days, events and festival
11. Description of the Program/activity/event	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Workshop on Christmas Decoration: Through guided instruction, students created a range of decorations using daily objects Workshop on Christmas recipes: Through guided instruction, students collaboratively prepared two dishes: a savoury dish (quiche) and a sweet dish (Tarte Tatin) Simulation of a Christmas market featured stalls set up by students to exhibit products and the Quiz involved questions related to vocabulary as well as cultural practices in the Francophone world
12. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Program/activity/event	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Identify cultural objects and practices linked to the festival Describe and compare cultural practices in a foreign language linked to the festival
13. Enclosures with report	Poster, links to social media posts Geo-tag photos and Attendance

Signatures:

Names of coordinator: Shourya Kavleker, Kshama Dharwadkar and Natasha Gomes

Designation: Assistant Professors

Date: 24/4/25

Names: Dr Irene Silveira

Designation: PD, MA French

Dean: Prof. Anuradha Wagle

Seal of the School/University



Enclosures

1. Workshop on Christmas Decoration (Atelier de Décoration), 10th December, from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

Links to Social Media Posts

<https://www.instagram.com/reel/DS01-2XEwmR/?igsh=MTU0MWxoY2hmN3E5MA==>

Resource Person Rosell D'souza providing instructions during the workshop



Participants at work



Group Photo of participants and their creations



2. Workshop on Christmas recipes (Atelier de Cuisine), 16th December 2024 from 2pm to 4pm.

Poster of the event



Links to Social Media Posts -

<https://www.instagram.com/p/DDoRM0uJyPI/?igsh=MXJrbG1leXp1MmNyZA==>

<https://www.instagram.com/reel/DSmZAV8E8Gq/?igsh=aWU5bHU0OTBneGhv>







Photos

Expert demonstration by Ms. Elaine D'Costa





Ms. Charline Leuck explaining the vocabulary of utensils in French



Students assisting in preparing the dishes





Group Photo



3. **Simulation of Christmas Market (Marché de Noël), 17th December 2024 from 1pm to 2pm.**

Poster of the event



Links to Social Media Posts

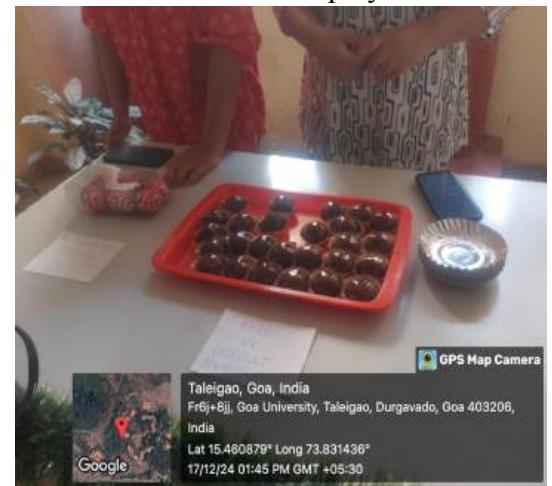
<https://www.instagram.com/reel/DDq0mOrtkSK/?igsh=YjdxZWdtMzZnM3gy>

Photos

Students with their items for the Christmas stalls



Some of the items on display in the stall



Student interaction during the Christmas market



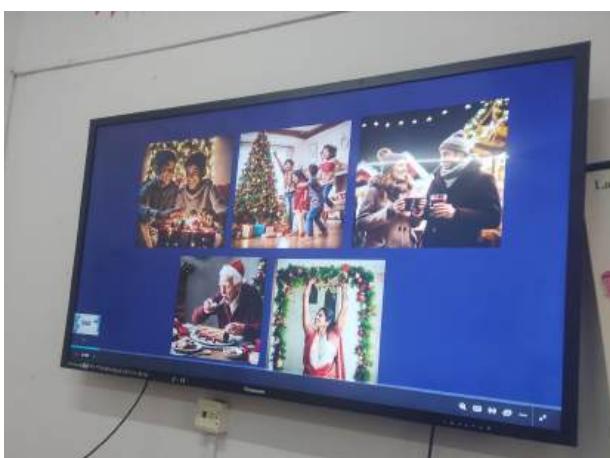
Quiz and activities based on Christmas celebrations in France and other Francophone countries, 17th December 2024 from 2pm to 4pm.

Students watching clips on Christmas



Students participating in activities





Resource Persons: Charline Leuck and Natasha Gomes, providing instructions



Group Photo



Discipline of French and Francophone Studies, SGSSIL

Name of the event: "Le Goût de Noël" - l'atelier de cuisine.

Date: 16th December 2024.

Sr. No.	Name of the attendee	Discipline / Programme	Signature
1.	Elaine da Costa		Elaine
2.	Divya Pinto	French	D. Pinto
3.	Clare Carvalho	French	Clare Carvalho
4.	Fávela Coetinho	French	Fávela
5.	Lean Maia Figueiredo	French	Lean Maia
6.	Leba MB	French	Leba
7.	REBONI ARAUJO	FRENCH	Reboni Araujo
8.	Nathen Couto	French	Nathen
9.	Tanushree Rai	Portuguese	Tanushree
10.	SaniRaa Verlekar	Portuguese	SaniRaa
11.	Jaann D'silva	Portuguese	Jaann
12.	KENNETH D'SOUZA	FRENCH	Kenneth
13.	Sumit Kumar	French	Sumit
14.	Jennia A. Fernandes	French (Faculty)	Jennia Fernandes
15.	Evelyn Fernandes	French (Student)	Evelyn Fernandes

Natalsha Gomes

Natalsha

Kehama Dharwadkar

Kehama

Shourya Dahi

Shourya

Charlie Leuck

Charlie

Discipline of French and Francophone Studies, SGSU

Name of the event: Marché de Noël

Date: 17th December 2024

Sr. No	Name of attendee	Discipline	Signature
1.	Sumit Kumar	French Student	Sumit Kumar
2.	Evelyn Fernandes	French Student	Evelyn Fernandes
3.	Sakikaa Vellekai	Portuguese	Sakikaa
4.	Rosell D'souza	French	Rosell
5.	Noelle Barreto	Portuguese	Noelle Barreto
6.	Feivel Coutinho	French	Feivel
7.	Riyanshi K. Gupta	French	Riyanshi
8.	Joann D'Silva	Portuguese	Joann
9.	Reboni Araujo	French	Reboni
10.	Nathan Lanto	French	Nathan
11.	Feivel Coutinho	French	
12.	Tanushree Rai	Portuguese	Tanushree
13.	Rishabh Gupta	French	Rishabh
14.	Olare Carvalho	French	Olare
15.	Fay Jenina Fernandes	French	Fay Jenina
16.	Alpha R	French	Alpha R
17.	Thananjay Kesarwani	French	Thananjay Kesarwani
18.	Feba	French	Feba
19.	Divya Pintis	French	Divya Pintis
20.	Cesar	French	Cesar

Natasha Gomes

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Kshama Dhaewadkar

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Charline Leuck

Charline Leuck