

REPORT ON ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED BY COMMERCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE
ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-20

1. Orientation of CA Course and CS Programme (CPT)

An orientation for Chartered Accountancy Course and Company Secretary Foundation Programme for the first year B. Com students was organised on 26th June 2019 at 12.30 p.m. in MS Kamat Seminar Hall. The Aim of this orientation was to encourage students to prepare for the competitive exam of CA and CS. The resource persons for the orientation were CA. Nina Karla Vaz and Mr. Pravin Satardekar, Member of ICSI, CS. The orientation began with the welcome address by head, Department of Commerce Prof. Ms. Rochana Kharangate. The CA. Nina Karla Vaz, highlighted the importance of CA course and enlightened on how to prepare for this competitive exam. Mr. Pravin Satardekar, Member of ICSI oriented the students on different aspects of CS programme and preparations required for the exams.

2. Bridge course in Accountancy for B. Com. Semester I

The Department of Commerce conducted annual Bridge course for all the divisions of F.Y.B.Com. Class who had opted for science and vocational streams at plus two level. The course was conducted from 26th June to 30th June 2018. The resource persons for the course were Asst. Prof. Swati Shigaonkar and Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar. The sessions during the course covered the concepts of Book Keeping, Introduction to Commerce, Accounting, Difference between accounting and Book Keeping, Branches of Accounting, systems of accounting, golden rules of accounting, accounting concepts and conventions, process of recording transactions, primary books and subsidiary books. The objective of the course was to give base to the students before the start of the curriculum to enable them to bridge the gap and to bring them on par with the students from commerce background. 10 students participated and successfully completed this course.

3. Orientation on CMA Course

An orientation on CMA was conducted on 27th June 2019 at 12.30 p.m. in M S Kamat Seminar Hall where the resource person Shri Rammohan Menon urged students to opt for the course in the light of its market recognition.

4. Orientation on T.Y.B. COM project Paper

An orientation on T Y B.Com project paper was organised for the benefit of T.Y.B.COM students on 07th August 2019 in M S Kamat Seminar Hall at 12.30 p.m. The resource person Associate Professor Dr.Smitha Sanzgiri, G.V.M College, Ponda Goa, in her presentation covered in detail the guidelines of Goa University for project paper, the research methodology to be followed and other requirements of project. The session gave enough scope to the students to deliberations.

5. Inaugural Function of Commerce Association 2019-20

The Commerce association for the academic year 2019-20 was inaugurated on 12th July 2019 at the hands of CA Mrs Varsha Deshpande an alumna of the college by lighting of traditional lamp. All the co-opted members, President and vice president were felicitated during the function and it was an opening to begin the activities during the academic year.

6. Infotainment competition

Infotainment competition for the students of F.Y. B. com was organised by the 24th August 2019. The topics covered for the competition were Attitude of Youth towards entrepreneurship, Introduction of GST to Indian economy, Cashless economy, E-Marketing etc. Every team expressed their issues regarding their selected topics.

7. Training and Personality Development Programme

Personality Development Programme for the Co-opted members of the Commerce Association was conducted on 20th July 2019 in College premises. Shri Rajesh Rajan, Vice President of JCI Margao was the resource person who invited group participation by including ice breaker games and group activities. 24 Commerce student leaders participated from various Commerce classes.

8. Certificate Course in Practical Banking & Financial Aspects

A Certificate Course in Practical Banking and Financial Aspects of 2 credits (30 Hours) was held from 01st July to 17th July 2019. Mr. Suresh R Parrikar, a Banker was the faculty for this course. Total 52 students enrolled for this course. The course was open to all the undergraduate students of B.Com. The objective of organizing this course was to give practical knowledge about banking and other aspects of finance to the students.

9. Report on Certificate Course in MS EXCEL in Accounting & Taxation

A short-term certificate course on MS Excel in Accounting and Taxation of 2 credits (30 Hours) was held from 10th July to 22nd July 2019. CA D Shravan Swarup, a practicing CA was the faculty for this course. Total 35 students enrolled and successfully completed the course. The objective of organizing this course was to give practical knowledge about MS Excel and calculation of various taxes including GST in MS Excel.

10. AD Mad Show Competition

The AD Mad Show competition for the S.Y. B. Com Students was organised on 13th August 2019 in M.S. Kamat Seminar Hall. The competition was specifically organised for the purpose of acquainting the students with promotional strategies in marketing through advertisements. All together three groups consisting of six students each participated in the competition. The students were given a task of designing innovative and creative advertisement for their own imaginary product or service. The groups had to present or act out their humorous and conceptual ad.

11. News Reporting Competition

News reporting competition was organised for T.Y. B. Com Students on 13th August 2019 in B.C.A. Hall (B.C.A Block). The competition was specifically organised for the purpose of enabling the students to report the news in an objective manner what has actually occurred. The competition enabled the participants to explore their creativity and enhanced their public speaking skills. As a part of competition the students had to discover all relevant facts, and present the important facts and weave comprehensive story out of the collected facts.

12. Inter Higher Secondary Business Quiz Competition

An Inter Higher Secondary business quiz competition for all the higher secondary Schools in Mormugao Taluka was organised on 30th August 2019. Total 7 teams from different HSS consisting of two participants each had participated in the competition. The quiz competition was conducted in five rounds. The first round was Question and Answer round .The second round was an audio - visual round/ guess the picture round .The third round was buzzer round .The fourth round was jumble round and final round was the rapid fire round. Since there was a tie between two teams a surprise round was held to decide the runners up. The Quiz masters were Ms. Rochelle Vaz and Ms. Marissa Gonsalves. The winners of Inter H.S.S C Quiz Competition 2019-20 were Kendriya Vidyalaya 1 School, Vasco Goa and Runner up was St. Andrews Higher Secondary School.

13. Certificate Course in Tally ERP .9 with GST (2019-20) (Batch I and II)

A Certificate Course in Tally ERP 9 with GST from 16th August 2019 to 31st August 2019 was conducted in two batches, Batch - I consisting of 29 final year B. Com students and Batch -II consisting of 25 first year and second year M. Com students. Hands on training was provided to the students along with theoretical base. The sessions were held in the afternoon from 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm in college premises. At the end practical exam was conducted to assess the performance of the students. The successful students were presented with certificates. The Resource persons for this certificate course were Ms. Thomasin J. D'Souza and Ms. Shubhada D. Parab.

14. Annual Study Tour

The Annual Commerce Study Tour of the Department of Commerce was scheduled from 25th November 2019 to 2nd December 2019. 29 B.Com students and 5 teachers (escorts) participated in the Goa-Bangalore tour. Students visited ISKCON Temple, Bangalore and were taken to show historical places in Bangalore and Mysore.

On 27th November 2019, the students were taken to Christ (Deemed to be University). The students were given a brief overview about the institute and there was interaction with faculty from Department of Commerce, Management and Business Studies and Social Sciences . The students also interacted with the MBA students. The MBA students specialising in 'LEAN' Operational and Systems, Finance, Marketing, Western Michigan University, USA), MS in Business (Virginia Commonwealth University, USA) and Business Analytics interacted with students. Our students were given information regarding the admission procedures for these

programmes. The sessions conducted by the faculty members from Department of Commerce at Christ University gave insights on unique subjects offered at M.Com such as Current Affairs, Journal Club, Social Based Micro Project, Holistic Education, Summer Internship Project and Teaching Practice. The students were also informed about the subjects included in the M.Com curriculum pertaining to research such as Research Methodology, Data Analysis Using SPSS & AMOS, Econometric and Financial Modelling using E-views, Research Reporting, Excel for Business Application, Research Publication and Viva. The students also visited the Paper Recycling factory located on Christ Campus.

The other places visited include Brindawan Garden, Mysore Palace, Philomeno Church and Golden temple at Kushal Nagar, Sri Bhagandeshwara-Thalaicauvery Temple at Bhagmandala and Karnataka Silk Industries Corporation. The students were shown the entire gamut of silk production right from reeling of cocoons to the weaving of pure silk fabric of various shades and designs, all under one roof. The students witnessed the origin point of Holy River Cauvery and also climbed the Brahmagiri hills and further experienced Abbey Falls. Amusement Park – Wonderla was also included in the tour.

15. Certificate Course in Practical Banking & Financial Aspects

The second batch of Certificate course in Practical Banking and Financial Aspects of 2 credit (30 Hours) was held from 5th December 2019 to 18th December 2019. Mr. Suresh R Parrikar, a Banking Expert was the resource person for this course. Total 43 students enrolled and successfully completed the course. The course was open to all the undergraduate students of B.Com. The objective of organizing this course was to give practical knowledge about banking and other aspects of finance.

16. Financial literacy talk

A talk on financial literacy for final year B.Com Students was held on 6th December 2019 from 9.15 am to 10.15 am. The resource person Dr. Celso Fernandes narrated some inspirational and true stories of very young well educated students and how his lecture on financial literacy helped them to make their money to work for them. He accentuated some rules for handling money and making the money work. He focused on some points like if we buy the things which we want and not what we need, one day we will have to sell the things which we need. He drew students' attention to different investment avenues available. Through the talk he encouraged the students to become an asset for their parents and not a liability. Total 107 students along with four faculties had attended the talk.

17. Certificate Course in Tally ERP 9 with GST (2019-20 Batch) (Batch III)

A Certificate Course in Tally ERP 9 with GST was conducted from 7th December 2019 to 18th December 2019. The course was conducted for B. Com. Semester II, IV and VI students. Total 28 students had registered and successfully completed the course. Hands on training was provided to the students along with theoretical base. The sessions were held in the afternoon from 1.30 pm to 4.00 pm in college premises. At the end practical exam was conducted to assess

the performance of the students. The successful students were presented with certificates. The Resource person for this certificate course was Ms. Thomasin J. D'Souza.

18. Commerce Fiesta 2020

A Commerce annual day Commerce Fiesta 2020 on theme "Digi Banking" was celebrated on 11th January 2020 from 8.15 am to 6.00 pm. The chief guest for the inaugural was the alumnus of college Ms Dipti Kamat Hegde, Assistant Manager Corporation Bank, Raia Branch. The students' magazine Cignite was released during inaugural. 53 students including faculty contributed their articles and sketches to the magazine On 10th January 2020 three off stage events Banking classroom, Bankers Zest (Power Point Presentation) and Round 1 (MCQ test) of Mr. & Ms. Digi Banker were held from the afternoon 1.45 pm to 4.00 pm.

10 competitions were organised as a part of fiesta. The on-stage events consisted of Aaj ki Taaza Khabar (News Reporting), Banking Idols (Singing), Mr and Ms. Digi Banker (Round 2& 3) and Tip Top Fashion (Fashion Show). The off-stage events were Consumer Durable Shopping (Street Bazaar), Artistic Hands (T-Shirt painting), Dramebaz Banker (Monologue) and Bankers Vlog (Short Documentary).

13 classes participated in the event. Our alumnus Dr Sheetal Arondekar, Assistant Professor in Commerce at Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics Margao - Goa, was the chief guest for valedictory function. Assoc. Prof. Shri. B. V. Kolekar presided over the function. Mr. Digi Banker title was won by Mr. Thinlay Sangpo from T Y B.Com C and Ms. Digi Banker title was won, Ms. Salgaonkar Nishita Narendra from S. Y.B.Com. T. Y.B.Com A was the winner of Commerce Fiesta 2020. T. Y.B.Com B and M.Com begged the first runners up of and the second runners up respectively.

19. Certificate Distribution Ceremony of the Certificate Courses conducted by the Department

A Special Certificate Distribution Ceremony was organised to felicitate the students who successfully completed the Certificate Courses conducted by the Department of Commerce in Tally EPR.9 with GST (3 Batches) and Practical Banking and Financial Aspects (1 Batch). The certificates were distributed at the hands of Principal Dr. Rekha R. Gaonkar, Vice Principal Dr. Meenakshi Bawa, Head, Department of Commerce Dr. Champa R. Parab, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sancheliana Faria, Assoc. Prof. Ms. Rochana Kharangate and Assoc. Prof. Shri. Ashish Joshi. The resource persons Ms. Thomasin D'Souza and Ms. Shubhada Parab were felicitated on the occasion.

20. Financial Literacy Programme by Reserve Bank of India in collaboration with Canara Bank, Chicalim Branch

Department of Commerce, organised "Financial Literacy and Awareness Programme" under the scheme of Financial Literacy Programme of Reserve Bank of India in collaboration with Canara Bank , Chicalim Branch , Vasco Goa.

Mr.Rajkumar DGM and Mr. Muralidhar AGM of RBI , Mumbai, Goa Circle and Mrs. V.M.Prabhu from Canara Bank ,Chicalim branch addressed the students on the occasion. Mr. Ameya , Assistant from RBI was also present on the occasion.Principal ,MES college Dr. Rekha R. Gaonkar welcomed the Dignitaries .

The RBI Officials enlightened the students in areas like Digital banking and safety measures to be taken while using digital banking. The main thrust was on Banking Ombudsman Scheme 2006 and procedures involved in lodging of any complaints. Mrs. Vijayalaxmi Prabhu Manager of Canara bank, Chicalim branch explained various products offered by the Canara bank to the public and encouraged students to join banking industry.

The talk was attended by 136 students from B.Com and other streams of the college. The other faculty present on the occasion from the Department of Commerce were Asst. Prof. Ms.Shveta Desai, Asst. Prof. Shri. Atmaram Tarpe, Asst. Prof. Ms. Sheetal Mandrekar, Asst Prof. Ms.Savina Rebello, Asst. Prof. Shri.Suraj Tuyekar, Asst. Prof.Shri. Pranit Naik , Asst. Prof. Shri.Narendra Gaonkar, Asst. Prof. Ms.Jamina D'Souza and Asst. Prof. Ms.Thomasin D'Souza. Mr. Sanjay Singh Yadav, Assistant Manager Canara Bank Chicalim branch coordinated the programme in association with Head, Department of Commerce Dr. Champa R. Parab. At the end of the session as a sweetener the RBI officials endowed a laptop to the Department of Commerce of M.E.S. College as a token of appreciation. The programme concluded with the vote of thanks by Dr. Champa R Parab, Head, Department of Commerce and the National Anthem.

21. National Seminar on 'Financial Services in Digital India: Challenges and Opportunities, 'organized by the Department of Commerce on 7th and 8th February 2020

The National Seminar on the theme, '**Financial services in Digital India: Challenges and Opportunities**', was organized with the support of Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Goa by the Department of Commerce, M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar, Goa on 7th and 8th February, 2020.

The seminar was inaugurated at the hands of chief guest and key note speaker Dr. Manoj S. Kamat. Principal Dr. Rekha R. Gaonkar welcomed the dignitaries and remarked that financial sector is at the crux of development. Dr. Champa R. Parab, Head, Dept. of Commerce, introduced the chief guest and keynote speaker to the august gathering. Chief Guest Dr. Manoj S. Kamat, in his keynote address emphasized that 'Automation, Digitization and Digitalization' have changed people from information seeker to knowledge seeker. He also gave an overview of Enterprise resource planning, SAS software, Artificial intelligence, Cloud computing and Bitcoins. He stated that digitalization of financial services will lead to customization. Dr. N.M.Jambargi, Administrator and Manager of Murgaoon Education Society delivered the presidential address and remarked that firms will increase revenue through digitalization. Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar, Convener of Seminar highlighted the objectives and significance of the seminar. The other dignitary on the dais was Vice Principal Dr. Meenakshi Bawa. The inaugural session was concluded with the vote of thanks by the Organizing Secretary, Asst. Prof. Seltan Gomes.

The inaugural function was followed by four technical sessions and a panel discussion. There were two paper presenters from outside the state and 21 paper presenters from within the state of Goa. 71 participants including entrepreneurs, industry experts, faculty and students attended this seminar. The first technical session on the theme, 'Digital transformation in financial services' was chaired by Dr. Rajendra Kumbharjuvenkar, Associate Professor, Narayan Zantye College of Commerce, Bicholim Goa and was compered by Asst. Prof. Shveta Desai.

There were three papers presented in technical session-I. A joint paper by Dr. Ansuya Angadi from SUBN Theosophical Womens College, Hospet, District, Bellary and Ravi Kiran D, Principal, KGSSGM Theosophical College of Management, Hospet, District, Bellary. Ravi Kiran D, presented joint paper, titled, 'A step towards digitalization of indirect tax system through GSTN in India'. Ms. Melosha Auroliana Gomes and Ms. Kimberly Queenie Ferrao, both students of B.Com semester IV, Rosary College, Navelim Goa, presented a joint paper, titled, 'A study on the transformation of India into a cashless economy: Challenges and opportunities'. The third paper titled, 'Digitalisation: Opportunities and challenges', was presented by Ms. Chelcy

Cardozo and Ms. Arti Kumari, both M.Com part II students from V.V.M's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics, Margao, Goa. The chairperson of technical session, Dr. Rajendra Kumbharjuvenkar presented an insight on the usage of technology and its benefits.

The second technical session, on the theme, 'Opportunities in Digitalisation', was chaired by Dr. Harip Khanapuri, Associate Professor S.S. Dempo College of Commerce and Economics, Cujira, Bambolim-Goa and compered by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Savia Mendes. There were three papers presented in technical session-II. Mr. Snehal Pillai, M.Com student of M.E.S College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar, Goa presented a paper, titled, 'Marketing of Financial services: A case study of Vasco city'. Ms Gauri Shirodkar, a student of M.Com, Goa Business School, Goa University, presented a paper titled, 'Study on selective behavioural factors influencing continuance usage of online payment applications'. The third joint paper titled, 'A Study of Goods and Services Tax (GST) in the light of Digital India: Advantages and Challenges' was presented by Ms. Huma Makandar and Ms Gauri Patekar. Dr. Harip Khanapuri, chairperson of this session, advised the budding researchers to explore the change in business and cost structure due to digitilisation.

The panel discussion was moderated by Dr. Smita Sanzgiri, Associate Professor, Goa Vidhyaprasarak Mandals, Gopal Govind Poy Raiturcar College of Commerce & Economics, Ponda, Goa. The theme of the panel discussion was 'Financial services in Digital India: Challenges and Opportunities'. The following members were on the panel. Shri Arindam Sen, Manager, Digital & Transactional Banking, State Bank of India, Zonal Office Panjim represented banking sector and emphasized on 'Banking Sector in Digital India' and advised the delegates to make use of digital services and not to share OTP number with anyone inorder to avoid online frauds. Shri Srinivas Deshpande Businessman by profession of Cottonking franchise unit in Panaji, Francescos Italian restaurant Arambol with Italian collaboration, and Linenking franchisee for Goa threw light on 'Business in Digital India'. Shri Mallikarjun Kuknur, Manager, DSP Investment Managers Pvt Ltd gave a detail account of Mutual Funds. He remarked that digitilisation is an opportunity and not a challenge and advised the audience to use online platform to make their life easy. Shri Jason Andrade, Businessman by profession, Owner of M/s. Arrow Enterprises, offering financial services in general insurance gave an insight on 'Insurance Sector; before and after Digital India Campaign'. He advised the students that investing in a health policy is the need of the hour and the importance of taking general insurance policy on yearly basis. Dr. Smita Sanzgiri, moderator of the panel discussion, gave a brief review on the title, digitilisation in the educational sector and stated that digitilisation has become a challenge in the era of digital age.

Technical session-III, was held on 8th February, 2020, on the theme, 'Digital Payment Platforms', chaired by Dr. Viraj Mahatme, Faculty Department of BBA, M.E.S.College., and compered by Asst. Prof. Atmaram Tarpe. There were three papers presented for technical session III. Mr A.Anto Shaju Sathish and Ms Nafeesa Pereira, both students of M.Com part II Government College, Quepem, presented a joint paper titled, 'Students' perspective on Nentrepreneurship as a career option – An Analysis of Present PG curriculum'. Asst. Prof. Savina

Rebello faculty of M.Com, M.E.S College, presented a paper titled, 'An Analysis of the Digital Payment System in India'. Asst. Prof. Suraj Tuenkar, presented a paper titled, 'Empirical Evidence on Impact of Digital India Announcement on the Indian Stock Market'.

Technical session-IV titled, 'Issues of digital India in Financial Service Sector' was chaired by Dr. Juao Costa, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Commerce, Rosary College of Commerce & Arts, Navelim, Salcete, Goa and compered by Asst. Prof. Jamina D'souza. There were total five papers presented in this session. Ms. Bandana Yadav presented a paper, titled, 'Adhaar card a threat to Digital India'. Mr Myron Pereira, and Ms Amelia Coral both M.Com students from Goa Business School, Goa University, presented a joint paper titled, 'Students perception and attitudes about e-learning to facilitate formal education in the state of Goa'. Asst Prof. Mr. Darshan S. Gaonkar from Vidhya Probodini College, Porvorim, Goa and Ms. Kalpita Ramnath Naik, from Shree Sateri Pissani Education Soceity's Shri Gopal Gaonkar MemorialGoa Multi-Faculty College Dayanandnagar-Dharbandora, Goa, presented a joint paper' titled, 'Customers' satisfaction towards Paytm UPI app: A study with reference to North Goa'. Ms. Anjali Singh student of M.Com, M.E.S. College, presented a paper titled, 'HR Issues in Financial Services'. Ms. Swetasmita Pradhan and Ms. Rakshanda Parashtekar presented a joint paper, titled, 'A case study on Paytm: Digital payment platform'. Dr. Juao Costa, chairperson of technical session IV, advised the future researchers to do thorough review of literature, and the need to use primary and secondary data for research work. Dr. Sancheliana Faria read the proceedings of the Two days national seminar.

The seminar concluded with the Valedictory function. Dr. Manasvi Kamat, Associate Professor, Shree Sateri Pissani Education Soceity's Shri Gopal Gaonkar Memorial, Goa Multi-Faculty College, Dayanandnagar-Dharbandora, Goa was the chief guest for the valedictory function and Shri P.A Patil, as DHE Observer. Assoc. Prof. Ashish Joshi compered the valedictory function.

Dr Champa, R.Parab, Head, Department of Commerce, welcome the esteemed dignitaries, and congratulated the faculty and students for paper presentations. Asst. Prof. Seltan Gomes, organizing secretary of the seminar introduced the chief guestDr. Manasvi Kamat and Dr P.A Patil. Dr Rekha R. Gaonkar, Principal of M.E.S. College, gavethe presidential address and stated that the Commerce Department has chosen a contemporary topic for the seminar. She congratulated the paper presenters and the Department of Commerce for organizing the national seminar and expressed her gratitude to DHE for funding the seminar. Dr. Manasvi Kamat, the chief guest of the valedictory function emphasized on 'Digital Literacy'. She remarked that Digital India is having a rippling effect on the economy and Demonetization has played a significant role in India. She explained the four quadrants of digital economy and that according to World Bank, India is a tech dominant economy. Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar, Convenor of Seminar, proposed the vote of thanks and expressed his gratitude to all the paper presenters from within and outside the state for excellent paper presentation, thanking the management, Principal Dr Rekha Gaonkar, Dr Champa, R.Parab, Head, Dept. of Commerce, and entire faculty and students of Commerce Department for their support and co-operation. The national seminar concluded with the national anthem.

22. Field Visit to CIBA

The annual Field Visit of the Department of Commerce was organized on 9th March 2020. A total of 55 students were taken to Centre for Incubation and Business Acceleration (CIBA), Verna-Goa. CIBA which was started in the year 2012, Government of India with Department of Science and Technology supported the initiatives of AEDI and the institute has now focusing on start ups. CIBA basically runs as an Entrepreneurship Development Institute and Technology Business Incubator. The students were addressed by Mr. Raj Naik who accentuated on important aspects about CIBA, the facilities which are provided to entrepreneurs through CIBA, the benefits of being incubated with CIBA, assistance provided in obtaining finance, prototyping. Further Mr. Tohseef Siddiqui demonstrated the working of the technological robot developed by him which will be used to keep a track on health fitness. Also, the students were taken to the 3D printing lab where process of 3D printing was explained by the lab incharge and 3D printed objects were shown to the students.

23. Session on Google Meet to conduct T.Y.B.Com project viva voce examination

Department of Commerce organised a session on Google Meet on 24th June 2020 , where some faculty members from Department of Commerce shared their experience and explained how to conduct Google Meet . Orientation was given on how to create the link to be shared to the external examiners and the students. All the faculty members from Department of Commerce successfully attended the session.

24. Series of Online Quiz

The Department of Commerce organised a series of an Online Quiz between 24th June 2020 to 8th July 2020 for B.Com, BCA and BBA students of our college. The E- Quiz organised include “Commerce Champion”, Quiz on “Service Marketing”, Quiz on “Business Management ” and “Accounts Master”. The basic purpose of these quiz was to enhance the general and basic knowledge of the students in the subject of Commerce , Service Marketing ,Business Management and Accounting and to keep them intact with academic activities during the COVID 19 Pandemic lockdown period. The online quizzes were co-ordinated by Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar, Dr. Atmaram Tarpe , Asst. Prof. Thomasin D’Souza and Asst. Prof. Seltan Gomes respectively. E-certificates were generated to all those participants who scored minimum 40% of marks via email. In total 573 students have participated and successfully completed all four quiz.

25. T.Y.B.Com Project Viva Voce Examination via Google Meet

The Department of Commerce successfully completed the scheduled T.Y.B.Com Project Viva Voce Examination for 24 groups via Google Meet from 29th June 2020 to 8th July 2020.

26. Sessions on OBS (Session 1, Session 2 and Session 3)

In anticipation of online classes in the times ahead for the academic year 2020-2021, the sessions on OBS Studio was arranged by the Principal to familiarize and train the faculty members to create video recordings of various concepts across different subjects.

The first session was conducted on 24th June 2020 in IT Lab at 9.30 am by the Resource Person Asst. Prof. Suraj Tuyekar from P.G. Commerce Department. This session was exclusively arranged for UG and PG faculty members from the Department of Commerce and was accordingly attended by all. The session began with a brief overview about OBS Studio. The faculty members were guided along with the procedure to install OBS Studio on their respective devices. The session covered various features of OBS Studio such as creation of scenes, audio input capture, output input capture, Browser, colour source, display capture, media source, Text (GDI+), Video Capture Device and Media plus. The making of a video with sequential steps was shown to faculty members with the help of audio input capture, video capture device and Text (GDI+). The creation of additional scenes and sources along with removal of unwanted scenes and sources was also covered during the session.

In continuation to the above session another session was organized by the Head, Department of Commerce for the benefit of the faculty from the Department of Commerce on 4th July 2020 at 9.00 am in Room No.17 of Block-IV of the college. The training session organized by DHE on developing of e-content for online teaching in Commerce was attended by four faculty members viz., Asst. Prof. Shveta Desai , Asst. Prof. Safal Narvekar ,Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and Asst. Prof. Sheetal Mandrekar from the Department of Commerce on 3rd July 2020 and accordingly were given the task of conducting the session for the Commerce Department faculty. The Resource Persons for the session were Asst. Prof. Shveta Desai and Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar. Asst. Prof. Safal Narvekar and Asst. Prof. Sheetal Mandrekar handled queries of the individual faculty member during the session.

The faculty members were given hands on training on creating video of e-content in OBS Studio. The various features of the OBS Studio were shown to the faculty members and were informed about the functionality of each feature. The session highlighted creation of Scene, Creation of Sources, Use of Audio Mixer, Use of Scene Transition and Controls.

The session concentrated especially on creating video recording with Audio Input Capture, Video Capture Device and Window Capture. The use of Browser and Media Source was also covered during the session.

The third session on OBS Studio was conducted on 6th July 2020 at 10.45 am in Room No.17 of Block-IV of the college. All the faculty members from the Department of Commerce attended the said programme. This third session was also conducted by same Resource Persons to deal with practical subjects of commerce in OBS Studio. Asst. Prof. Narendra B. Gaonkar started with the session by explaining the steps involved in creation of a video. During the session the stepwise procedure of Creation of Video containing the Accounting problem and solution was

shown to faculty members. Further, Asst. Prof. Shveta Desai continued the session by showing the use of PDF files for making video on accounting problems and solutions.

27. Discussion on planning of E- Content teaching at B.Com Semester I/ III/ V for the academic year 2020-21 by faculty

To plan e-content teaching for the academic year 2020-21 the meeting of faculty members from the Department of Commerce was convened on 6th July 2020 between 9.00 am to 10.00 and they were divided into groups to deal with papers like General Management , Financial Accounting and Business Ethics and Corporate Governance for B.Com Semester I . The main objective of this was to deliberate and discuss on syllabus to be covered and streamlining the same over the semester to have uniformity in teaching across all the divisions in the interest of the students. It was decided to deliver e-content by including 40 to 50% syllabus in majority cases first two topics.

Similar exercise was carried out on 7th July 2020 in Room No. 17 Block IV from 9.00 am to 10.30 am and 11.00 am to 12.30 pm by the faculty teaching Business Finance, Fundamentals of Cost Accounting , Entrepreneurship Development , Retail Management and Consumer Behaviour subjects for B.Com Semester III and Industrial Management, Accounting Major I- Income Tax & Goods and Service Tax, Accounting Major II- Auditing, Accounting Major III- Government Accounting , Accounting Major IV- Financial Reporting , Cost Accounting Major I- Cost Accounting I , Cost Accounting Major II- Cost Accounting II , Cost Accounting Major III- Techniques of Costing , Cost Accounting Major IV- Management Accounting , Business Management Major I- International Marketing Management , Business Management Major II- Retail Management Strategies , Business Management Major III- Advertising Management, Banking & Financial Services Major I- Modern Banking Operations and Services, and Banking & Financial Services Major II- Bank Management at B.Com Semester V.

Faculty Department of Commerce

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Champa R. Parab, Head, Department of Commerce

- Awarded Ph. D. Degree on 21st June 2019.
- Attended workshop on Accounting (DSE 5 to DSE 8) at Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao- Goa on 20th December 2019.
- Attended workshop on DSE 3 Government Accounting organised by Government College of commerce, Borda, on 31st July 2019.
- Attended a session on e-content for online teaching in Commerce on 1st July 2020 organised by DHE.

Assoc. Prof. Dr Sancheliana Faria

- Awarded Doctor of Philosophy in Commerce, on the Ph.D. title “ **An Analysis of the Commercial Aspects of the Fishing Industry of Goa**” , under the Guidance of Dr Manoj S. Kamat, at Goa Business School, Goa University on 6th December, 2019.
- Attended Workshop in Cost Accounting (DSE -3) at Rosary College, Navelim in September 2019.
- Attended Workshop on Hygiene awareness programme for girls organized by Directorate of Higher Education on 22nd October 2019 at Government College, Borda.
- Attended Workshop in Cost Accounting (Major VII- DSC-7) in Pilar College on January 3, 2020.

Assoc. Prof. Mrs. Rochana Kharangate

- Co-authored a book titled Advanced Accounting for T.Y.B.Com. Semester VI in February 2019.
- Attended workshop on DSE 1 Cost Accounting at Government College, Borda .
- Attended workshop on DSE 5 Advanced Cost Accounting at Government College, Borda on 3rd January 2020.

Assoc. Prof. Shri. Ashish M. Joshi

- Attended One-Day State Level workshop on the topic ‘Flipped classroom and Swayam’ at Fr. Agnel College, Pillar on 17th October, 2019.
- Attended workshop on Accounting (DSE 5 to DSE 8) at Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao- Goa on 20th December, 2019.

Assoc. Prof. Ms. Swati Shigaonkar

- Attended subject related workshop in Carmel College in the subject of DSE 1: International Marketing Management on 29th July 2019.

Asst. Prof. Ms. Shveta Desai

- Attended workshop on Accounting (DSE 5 to DSE 8) at Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao- Goa on 20th December 2019.
- Attended training session for Open Broadcaster Software (OBS) on 3rd July 2020 at DHE office , Porvorim- Goa.

Asst. Prof. Ms. Safal Narvekar

- Attended workshop on DSE 2 AUDITING organised by Government College of commerce, Borda, on 31st July 2019.
- Attended workshop on DSE 6 Accounting I organised by Shree Damodar college of commerce and Economics on 20th December 2019
- Coordinator for ICSI (Company Secretariate foundation course) for the academic year 2019-20.
- Attended training session for Open Broadcaster Software (OBS) on 3rd July 2020 at DHE office , Porvorim- Goa.

Asst. Prof. Shri. Atmaram Tarpe

- Attended the two day Faculty Development Programme on “Advanced Research Tools and its Applications in Current Management Practices” on 24th May and 25th May 2019 organised by Department of Management Studies, T.John Centre for Advanced Social Science Research, T-John College, Bangalore.
- Published a paper titled ‘Financial Planning Practices and Firm’s Characteristics of MSMEs in Goa: An Empirical Study’ in ‘**Navjyot**’, International Interdisciplinary Research Journal [Humanities, Social Sciences, Languages, Commerce & Management] **ISSN 2277-8063, Special Issue September 2019, Published by HOUSA Publication, Kolhapur.**

Asst. Prof. Ms. Teja Temkar

- Attended one day workshop on B.com DSE 2 -Bank management paper in subject Banking and financial services in Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics on 24th July 2019.
- Attended one day workshop on B.com DSE 6 -Bank management paper in subject Banking and financial services in Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics on 11th December 2019.

Asst. Prof. Shri. Narendra Gaonkar

- Published a paper titled ‘**Study on Awareness of Rights of Beneficiaries Across Demographics in Public Distribution System in the State of Goa**’ in ‘Navjyot’, International Interdisciplinary Research Journal [Humanities, Social Sciences, Languages, Commerce & Management] ISSN 2277-8063, Special Issue September 2019, Published by HOUSA Publication, Kolhapur.
- Attended the seven days workshop at School of Management Studies, Punjabi University, Patiala on Advanced Statistical Tools and Methods from 13th November 2019 to 19th November 2019.
- Attended the two-day Faculty Development Programme on “Advanced Research Tools and its Applications in Current Management Practices” on 24th May and 25th May 2019 organised by Department of Management Studies, T. John Centre for Advanced Social Science Research, T-John College, Bangalore.
- Attended the seven days workshop at Delhi Institute of Advanced Studies, Delhi on Research Methods and Business Analytics Using SPSS and R-Studio from 4th June 2019 to 11th June 2019.
- Attended training session for Open Broadcaster Software (OBS) on 3rd July 2020 at DHE office , Porvorim- Goa.

Asst. Prof. Mr. Seltan Gomes

- Attended workshop on Banking and Financial Services DSE 1 to DSE 4 at Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao on 24th July 2019.
- Attended 18th International Entrepreneurship forum (IEF) Conference on Entrepreneurship as a social movement at Sanskruti Bhavan Panjim , Goa organised by International Entrepreneurship forum (IEF) in collaboration with Directorate of Higher Education from 16th December to 18th December 2019.

Asst. Prof. Ms. Thomasin Joliza D’Souza

- Attended workshop on Banking and Financial Services DSE 5 to DSE 8 at Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao on 11th December 2019.
- Attended workshop on Business Management DSE 1 to DSE 4 at Carmel College for Women, Nuvem on 29th July 2019.
- Attended workshop on Banking and Financial Services DSE 1 to DSE 4 at Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao on 24th July 2019.

Asst. Prof. Ms. Sheetal Mandrekar

- Attended One-Day State Level workshop on the topic ‘Flipped classroom and Swayam’ at Fr. Agnel College, Pillar - Goa on 17th October 2019.
- Attended Talk on Financial Literacy by Dr. Celso Fernandes at MES College, Zuarinagar - Goa on 6th December 2019.
- Attended training session for Open Broadcaster Software (OBS) on 3rd July 2020 at DHE office , Porvorim- Goa.

Asst. Prof. Jamina D'Souza

- Attended Faculty Development Programme on setting question paper and assessing answer books at Government College, Quepem on 30th August 2019.
- Attended workshop on Business Management DSE 1 to DSE 4 at Carmel College for Women, Nuvem on 29th July 2019.
- Attended workshop on Banking and Financial Services DSE 1 to DSE 4 at Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics, Margao on 24th July 2019.

Asst. Prof. Shubhada D. Parab

- Attended two day FDP on “Applied econometrics for Business and Finance”, organised by the School of Management Presidency University , Bengaluru on 8th and 9th November 2019.

Awarded Ph. D. Degree

- Dr. Champa R. Parab on 21st June 2019.
- Dr. Sancheliana Faria on 6th December 2019.
- Dr. Atmaram Tarpe on 30th January 2020.
- Dr. Ashish Joshi on 30th June 2020

Faculty involved in developing e-content for online teaching in Commerce for DHE Repository

Based on meeting convened by DHE on 1st July 2020 on developing e-content for online teaching for DHE Repository attended by Dr. Champa R. Parab , Head, Department of Commerce the following faculty members from the Department of Commerce volunteered to be the part of initiative of DHE wherein the lectures/ video delivered will be uploaded on DHE Repository.

- Dr. Sancheliana Faria will engage a session on Fundamentals of Cost Accounting for semester III sub topic is "Accounting and Control of waste, scrap, spoilage and defective work" and a session on Costing for semester V sub topic is “ Comparison between Absorption and Marginal Costing” to be recorded at Goa University Studio.

- Mrs. Rochana Kharangate will engage a session on paper titled Financial Accounting (CC2) covering unit 1: Single Entry for B.Com Semester I on topic; Advanced problems on Single Entry” to be recorded at Goa University Studio.
- Dr. Ashish Joshi will engage a session on DSE 1, paper titled Income Tax , covering unit 1: Income from House property for T. Y. B.Com Semester V to be recorded at Goa University Studio.
- Dr. Savia Mendes will engage a session on paper titled Consumer Behaviour for B.Com Semester III on topic; Perception – Marketers concern, perceptual risks learning – definition and elements of learning to be recorded at Goa University Studio.
- Ms. Swati Shigaonker will engage a session on Business Management Major I International Marketing Management (DSE 1) for semester V sub topic is "International Marketing Environment" to be recorded at Goa University Studio.
- Ms. Sheetal Mandrekar will engage a session on Training and Development for semester III sub topics are "Assessing Curriculum Needs", "Curriculum Standards", “ Matching Organisational needs” and “Developing training materials”. She will also engage a session on Business Management Major III Advertising Management (DSE 3) for semester V sub topics are "Advertising and Consumer Protection" and “Integrated Marketing Communication” to be recorded at Goa University Studio.