

**M.E.S. VASANT JOSHI COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE**  
**ZUARINAGAR-GOA**

**Report of activities of MOU of M.E.S Vasant Joshi College of Arts &  
Commerce with Goa Chamber of Commerce (GCCCI)**

➤ **Report of activities held under Mou with GCCCI's Education Committee 29<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

**Participants:** B.Com Semester V Students, Div: A, B & C and from HSS of Vasco.

**No. of Participants:** 134 Female -65 Male- 69

M.E.S's Vasant Joshi College of Arts & Commerce in association with GCCCI – Goa Chamber of Commerce and Industry organized a Symposium on 'Industry Academia Connect' for the Higher Secondary Schools and B. Com Semester V students of the College on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2023 at 9:00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. in Principal M.S. Kamat Seminar Hall. MOU Co-ordinator Associate Professor Ms. Rochana Kharangate briefly introduced the programme to the gathering. Principal, Dr. Manasvi M. Kamat welcomed the gathering and offered a potted plant as a token of appreciation to all the guests. After lighting the traditional lamp, Dr. Champa R. Parab, IQAC Co-ordinator introduced Dr. Manoj S. Kamat, Chairperson of Education and Skills Committee, GCCCI. In his inaugural address Prof. Dr. Manoj S. Kamat highlighted the importance of developing the skill and getting the required education for seeking employment. He emphasized that there are job opportunities but there is still unemployment due to the fact that the youth are lacking in skills. He further motivated the students to gain knowledge, develop the necessary skills and contribute to the economy.

The first Resource Person, Shri Sanjay Amonkar, Director General, GCCCI spoke on 'Supply Chain Management. He shared his experience and gave various inputs about Goa's Logistics and Ware Housing Policy 2023, focused on the aspects of Gati Shakti and the employment opportunities in the area.

The second Resource Person Dr. Pradeep Salgaonkar, Director Saldots Academy spoke on 'Marketing'. He spoke on the modern marketing online tools, highlighted the most popular

social media platforms in 2023 and the marketing trends in 2023 focusing on the virtual influencers.

The third Resource Person Ms. Sheshali Kesarkar, Head, HR, Caculo Group spoke on 'Human Resource Management'. She emphasised the importance of skills from the employment perspective. She stressed on having good communication skills and writing skills. She elaborated on some simple and effective methods to improve the skills for effective communication viz., Learning, Introspection and Practice.



- **International Conference on “New Horizons in Commerce, Management, Information Technology, Economics and Social Sciences” 29th February 2024**

M.E.S. Vasant Joshi College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar in collaboration with AKI Poona College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Pune organized an International Conference on the

topic 'New Horizons in Commerce, Management, Information Technology, Economics and Social Sciences'. Total of one hundred and twenty participants registered for the conference. The conference began with the panel discussion on the topic 'New Horizons in Commerce, Management, Information Technology, Economics and Social Sciences'. The discussants were part of our MOU with GCCI Goa. Mr. Kishore Shah (member GCCI), Talent Analyst & Organization Development Professional, CA Thomas Andrade, N Mr. Mangirish Salelkar (founder president Goa technology association), Director Umang Technologies and Prof. Nandakumar Sawant, Professor & Head, Dept of Geography, Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts & Science, Margao Goa. The panel discussion was moderated by Dr. Pradeep Salgaonkar (member GCCI), Director, SALDOTS Academy. The panelists discussed on the various implications of technology and data on the industry and the academia. The panel discussion was followed by the Inaugural function.

The chief guest for the event was Mr. Manguirishi Pai Raikar (ex President GCCI), the guests of honour were Mrs. Lalita Joshi, Treasurer of Murgaoon Education Society and Prof. Aftab Anwar Shaikh, Principal of Poona College. The Principal of M. E. S.'s Vasant Joshi College, Prof. Manasvi M. Kamat welcomed the dignitaries and the gathering. The conference Coordinator from Poona College,

The chief guest of the inaugural function Mr. Manguirish Pai Raikar addressed the audience by congratulating both the colleges for organizing the conference. He elaborated on the transition that is taking place from traditional education to the technology and skill-based education and talked about the way forward. The various presentations were made during two online and offline technical sessions.

After the technical sessions, the Valedictory session commenced with Mr. Ralph De Souza (ex-president GCCI) as the Chief Guest and Mr. Sanjay Amonkar (director general GCCI) as the Special Guest. The vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Rochana Kharangate, Vice-Principal of M. E. S.'s Vasant Joshi College. The International Conference "New Horizons in Commerce, Management, Information Technology, Economics and Social Sciences" concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.



➤ **M. E. S. Vasant Joshi College felicitates teachers with Ph.D. Degrees on Women's Day 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

On the occasion of International Women's Day, a heartwarming ceremony was held to felicitate accomplished educators who have acquired their Ph.D. degrees. The event, organized in collaboration with Women's Cell 'Jyothi,' witnessed eminent guests Ms. Pratima Dhond, Vice-Chairperson of the GCCI (Goa Chamber of Commerce and Industry), our esteemed MOU partner, and Ms. Lalitha Joshi, Treasurer of the Murgaoon Education Society, gracing the occasion with their presence.

The ceremony commenced with a warm welcome extended to the dignitaries by the head of the institution, Prof. Manasvi M. Kamat, followed by an invocation to honor the spirit of womanhood and academic excellence. Ms. Pratima Dhond and Ms. Lalitha Joshi, both achievers in their respective area of expertise, expressed their delight at being part of such a significant event celebrating the achievements of women in academia.

A total of twelve dedicated educators, all women, were recognized for their exceptional contributions to the field of education and their accomplishments in attaining Ph.D. degrees.

Addressing the gathering, Ms. Dhond emphasized the crucial role of education in shaping society and commended the tireless efforts of the honored teachers in enriching the lives of



their students. She highlighted the importance of recognizing and celebrating the achievements of women, not only on Women's Day but throughout the year.

Ms. Joshi echoed similar sentiments, emphasizing the need for continuous support and encouragement for women pursuing careers in academia. She reiterated the Murgao Education Society's commitment to promoting education and fostering an environment conducive to learning and professional growth.

The ceremony concluded with the presentation of mementos to the honored teachers, amidst applause and words of encouragement from the audience.



➤ **Report of 'People, Planet and Profit' as a part of its KASTURI LECTURE SERIES on 12th March 2024**

**Participants:** Teaching Faculty, Students and Public.

**No of Participants:** 103 68 males and 35

The Nature Club and Resource Management Cell for Sustainability in collaboration with Foundation for Environment Research and Conservation (FERC) and MOU Partners, Goa Institute of Management and GCCI Education and Skills Committee, 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, Professor, Goa Institute of Management, Sanquelim. Speaking on the occasion, Prof. Divya Singhal oriented the attendees on the concept of sustainability from the perspective of three main dimensions, economic, social and environmental. She stressed upon the need to infiltrate the sustainability in the thinking process in day-to-day life of each individual. Prof. Divya further highlighted the indicators of dimensions of sustainability in order to provide insights to the students pertaining to the Sustainable Development Goals. The session was attended by total 68 males and 35 females consisting of Teaching Faculty, Students and Public.



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