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Staff Contributory Lunch

3rd May 2024



The Recreation Cell of the College, organized Staff Contributory Lunch on 03rd May 2024 from 01:00 p.m. to 03:00 p.m. at Fish on Dish, Benaulim, Goa. The lunch was attended by both teaching and non-teaching staff members of the College. 35 faculty members from various departments and administrative roles were present for the lunch at the venue.

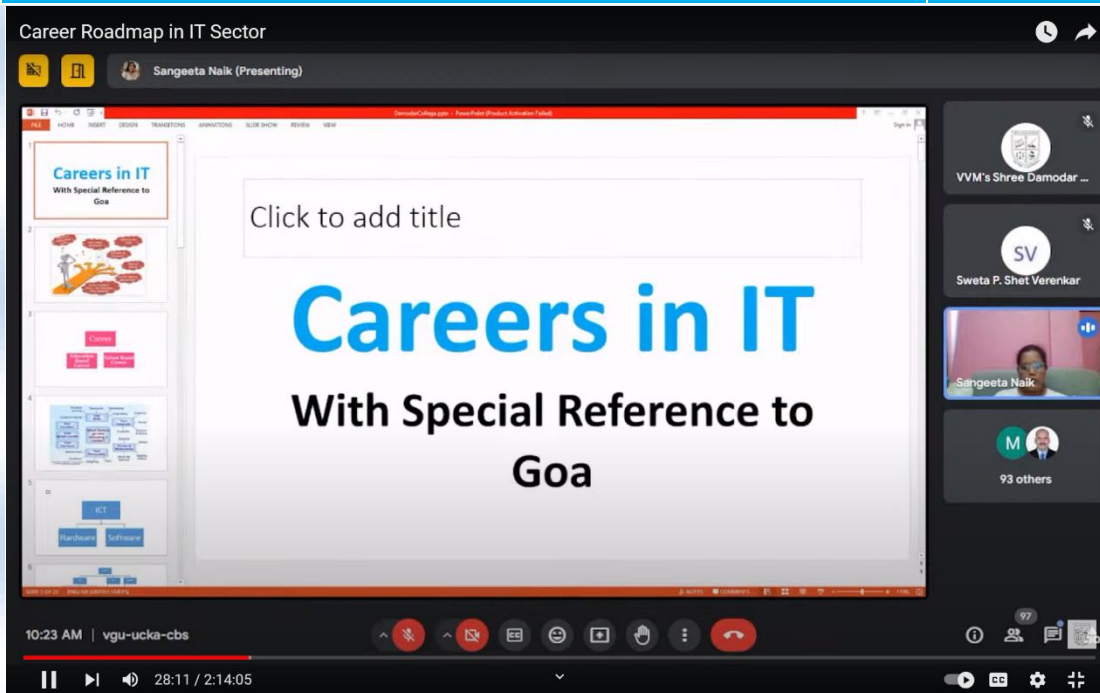
The objective of this event was to foster camaraderie, collaboration, and a sense of appreciation among the faculty members. It aimed at providing an opportunity for faculty members to relax, unwind, and socialize outside the confines of the workplace. It also intended to strengthen bonds among colleagues, promote a positive work

environment, and recognize the valuable contributions of the staff towards mission and goals of the College.

The lunch featured refreshing summer coolers and diverse menu comprising seafood delicacies, traditional Goan dishes, and vegetarian options to cater to the various tastebuds of all present. The event provided a platform to express gratitude and appreciation towards the dedicated efforts of the teaching and non-teaching staff in supporting the academic and administrative functions of the College. The Staff Contributory Lunch was a success, bringing together faculty members in a relaxed and convivial atmosphere. It served as a testament to the collegial and camaraderie spirit of the faculty of Shree Damodar College as a family working for the Institution. In line with the positive feedback, the College intends to organize such staff engagement activities periodically, ensuring continued opportunities for staff appreciation, interaction, and well-being. The program was coordinated by Dr. Shami Pai, B.Com Coordinator, Department of Commerce and Management and Ms. Lizette D'Costa, Department of Economics & Banking.

Webinar on “Career Roadmap in IT sector”

8th May 2024



The Department of Computer Science organized a Career Guidance webinar titled “Career roadmap in the IT Sector” aimed to provide valuable insights into career paths and opportunities available to students after completing their 12th standard in the field of IT on 8th May 2024 via Google Meet and

YouTube streaming from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. The webinar witnessed the participation of over 92 students, 6 faculty members, and esteemed guests from Google Meet and 17 from YouTube.

The event commenced with a warm welcome extended by the Officiating Principal, Prof. Sanjay P. Sawant Dessai, setting the tone for the informative sessions ahead. Ms. Sweta Verenkar, Assistant Professor in Computer Science, served as the compère for the session and introduced the Resource Person, Ms. Sangeeta Naik, Partner and Executive Editor of Digital Goa, Panaji. Ms. Sangeeta Ma’am delivered an enlightening session on the career opportunities in the IT industry, with a special focus in Goa. She provided valuable insights into the growth of the IT sector in the region, emerging job roles, and the skills required to excel in this dynamic field.

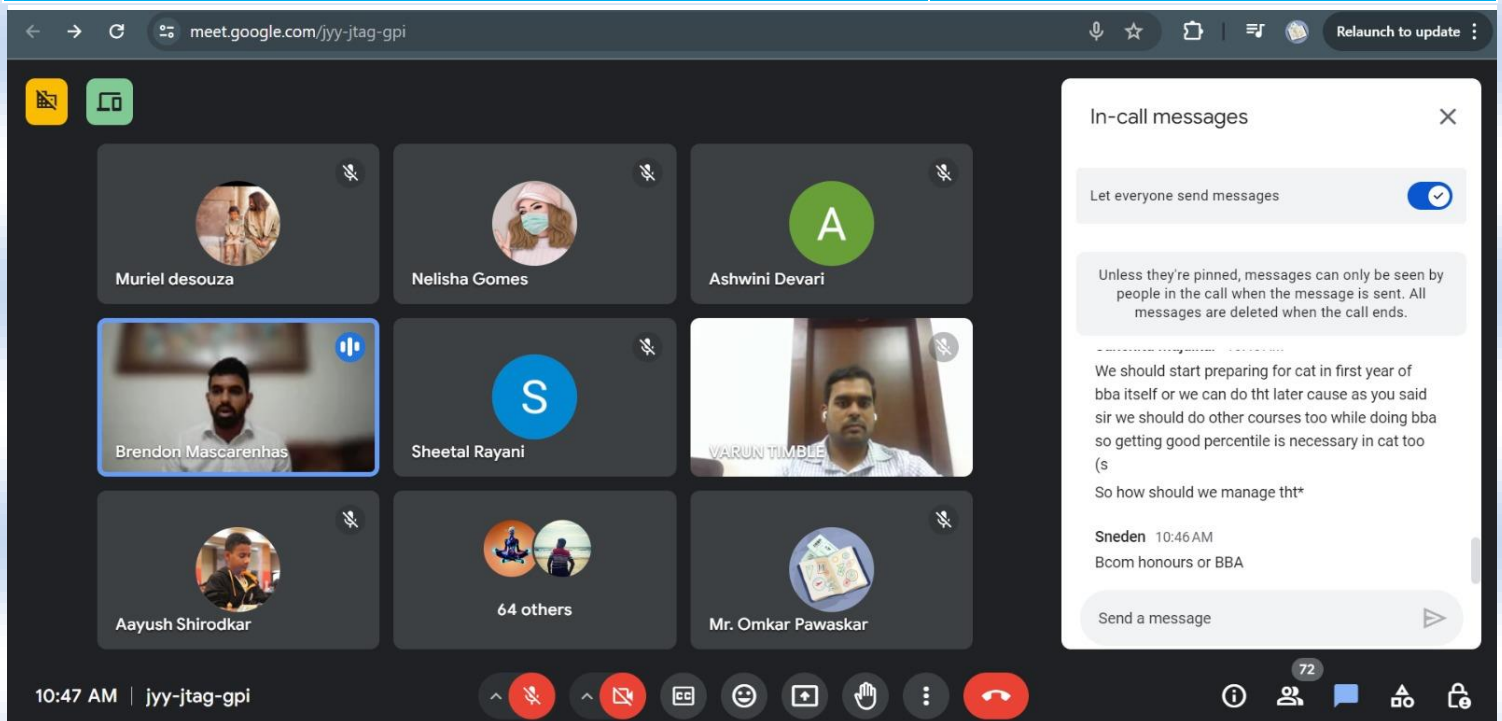
Ms. Sweta Vernekar continued to guide the session as the compère and introduced the next Resource Person, Mr. Mohsin Shaikh, Founder and CEO of Haztech Innovation, Margao and a vibrant MoU Partner of the College. Mr. Mohsin Shaikh conducted an engaging session shedding light on the educational approach adopted by Shree Damodar College and the myriad opportunities available to graduates in the field of Computer Applications (BCA) and B.Voc (Software Technologies). His first-hand experiences and success stories served as inspiration for aspiring students, emphasizing the importance of practical learning and innovation in today's competitive world.

Following the informative session, Ms. Vinaya Kirloskar, Assistant Professor, facilitated a Q & A session. Before concluding the event, Mr. Sumit Kumar, Coordinator of BCA & B.Voc (Software Technologies) Programmes, briefed the students about the courses offered at Shree Damodar College, highlighting the curriculum structure and industry-relevant skills imparted to students. Subsequently, he delivered Vote of Thanks, expressing gratitude to the Resource Persons and attendees for their valuable contributions towards making the seminar a resounding success. The overall in-charge for the webinar was Mr. Sameer Patil, Ms. Rama Borkar and Ms. Vinaya Kirloskar. The Department of Computer Science also expresses their Gratitude to Ms. Ekta Agarwal for her constant guidance and inputs in conducting the webinar.

The total YouTube views till 15th May 2024 was more than 360.

Career Prospects after BBA & BBA(FS)

8th May 2024



The Department of Management Studies organised a session on Career prospects after BBA(FS) and BBA. The session was scheduled on 6th May 2024 from 10 am to 11am via Google Meet. It was also Screened on YouTube Channel of the College. The Resource Person for the sessions were Mr. Brendon Mascarenhas, CFA and Mr. Varun D Kamat Timble, HR Manager at HFCL.

The session began with a welcome address by Officiating Principal, Prof. Sanjay Dessai. Ms Ashwini Devari introduced the first speaker, Mr. Brendon Mascarenhas. He shared his journey of education and leaning. He also emphasized on various career opportunity for students in the area of financial service. He encouraged students to do simultaneously pursue different certificate courses which will add value to the degree.

The second Speaker was Mr. Varun Kamat Timble, HR at HFCL. He started his address by focusing on the importance of skill-based learning and specialization in the areas of Human Resource Management, Marketing, Finance etc. He also focused on various career option available for students after BBA. Mr Kamat also focused on pursuing higher studies to widen the scope of career.

Mr. Omkar Pawaskar handled the Question-and-Answer session and proposed the Vote of Thanks. Students put forth various questions to the speakers. The Speaker responded well to the queries of the students. 92 students attended the session.

Pre NSC (NAU SAINIK CAMP)

22nd to 31st May 2024

The 5 Kar Naval Unit of Udupi, Karnataka, organized a Pre NSC (Nau Sainik Camp) from 22nd May to 31st May 2024 at MIT University. The primary objective of the camp was to provide cadets with firsthand experience of naval life.

The camp was packed with numerous activities, memorable experiences, and adventures. The cadets received training in various naval skills and disciplines, including:

- Semaphore: Learning the flag signaling system used in maritime communication.
- Boat Rigging: Understanding the techniques and processes involved in preparing and managing boats.
- Boat Pulling: Practicing the teamwork and physical effort required for rowing and maneuvering boats.
- Health and Hygiene: Gaining knowledge on maintaining personal and communal health and hygiene.



Each day at the camp was meticulously planned, starting at 6:00 am with exercise and raising colors, and ending at 10:30 pm. The rigorous schedule aimed to instill discipline and a sense of routine among the cadets. At the end of the camp, cadets underwent examinations comprising both theory and practical papers to assess their learning and skills acquired during the camp. The last day of the camp was filled with joy and celebration, featuring a cultural program in which cadets actively participated. This event marked a fitting conclusion to the camp, highlighting the camaraderie and team spirit developed over the ten days.

From our institution, two NCC Naval wing cadets, Leading Cadet H. Tribhuvan and Cadet Vaibhav Bhandodkar, attended the camp and were selected for the next phase. The camp saw participation from cadets of the Karnataka and Goa Directorate.

Overall, the Pre NSC at MIT University provided the cadets with invaluable naval training, personal growth, and cherished memories.

Dear Readers,

As always, at Shree Damodar College, the emphasis is on the holistic development of students and adapting to the changing needs of society in general and our students in particular.

We are delighted to present the reports of activities in this edition of the E-Newsletter, with the College reaching out to students by way of a variety of innovative activities on a wide range of topics.

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