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St Aloysius College (Autonomous) launches Civil Services Academy

St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, launched its Civil Services Academy on Saturday, 12th January, 2019 on the occasion of foundation day.

Mr Michael D'Souza, Philanthropist and NRI businessman inaugurated the academy. Fr Dionysius Vaz, SJ, Rector, St Aloysius Educational Institutions, Fr Praveen Martis SJ, Principal, St Aloysius College, Fr Valerian D Souza SJ, and other trustees of the academy were present.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr Michael D'Souza said "I thank God as my long cherished dream was fulfilled today. When we expressed our desire to the management of St Aloysius College, they assured the support. Because of their positive response today, we have this Civil Service Academy which will play a vital role in training the



future civil servants. This academy opens new door for youths to serve the nation. The training of civil service is on compassion, consciousness and competition which shapes the students' future. I am confident that the finest officers will flourish from this academy and serve the people".

He thanked the Rector and management of St Aloysius for taking responsibility and also requested to identify the students who are thirsty to serve the people of the country. He wished that the academy would become a high class center for civil service training.

On the occasion, Fr Dionysius Vaz said, "9 Jesuits came to Mangalore on the request of Catholic community of Mangalore and now the institution is a mighty tree. Today we are held in high esteem in the education sector. Civil Service Academy is our new venture and we are inviting the candidates to get training from here for a better future".

He thanked Mr Michael D'Souza, Fr Valerian and all the trustees of the academy.



Courses Offered:

1. Full-Time Course for graduates and postgraduates
2. Add-on course (Part-Time) open to all for working professionals, Under graduates and PG students
3. Two year foundation course for PUC and Higher Secondary students.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

UGC Expert Committee Visit to SAC

UGC Expert Committee visit to St Aloysius College (Autonomous) to assess the proposal of the College for Deemed - to - be University Status
February 01 & 02, 2019.



Details in the next Bulletin

International Conference On "Nanotechnology - 2019: Opportunities And Challenges"

The Departments of Undergraduate and Postgraduate Studies in Chemistry, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru organized a two-day INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON "NANOTECHNOLOGY - 2019: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES" on 10th



and 11th of January, 2019 in the L.F. Rasquinha Hall, LCRI Block. Prof Karanam Uma Maheshwar Rao, Director, National Institute of Technology Karnataka (NITK), Surathkal was the Chief Guest. Rev. Fr. Dionysius Vaz, SJ, the Rector of St Aloysius Educational Institutions presided over the Programme. Rev Dr Praveen Martis, SJ, Principal, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) released the book of abstracts. Prof. Zineb Mekhalif, Director, Laboratory of Chemistry and Electrochemistry of Surfaces (CES), University of Namur, Belgium delivered the Keynote Address.

Chief Guest, Prof Karanam Uma Maheshwar Rao-Director, NITK, Surathkal in the inaugural address highlighted the recent advances in the field of Nanoscience exemplified by the importance of the Gold and Uranium in the field of mining. He posed the challenges of Nanoscience saying that it would be the end of the world if Nano robots would take over humans if the field is misused and gave a call to carefully exploit and utilize the benefits of Nanotechnology as this field provides immense scope for improvement.



Rev. Fr Dionysius Vaz SJ in his presidential remarks highlighted the usefulness of nanoscience and nanotechnology for the betterment of the society. Addressing the gathering, Principal Rev Dr Praveen Martis SJ said that there is uniqueness in the field of Nanoscience. The field is highly exploited and is still rapidly growing in terms of several challenges that is providing enormous opportunities to the budding scientists. Dr. Richard Gonsalves

Director of LCRI block welcomed the gathering, Dr. Ronald Nazareth-Convener introduced the chief guest, Prof Rajgopal Bhat –Head Department of UG Chemistry graced the occasion, Ms. Preema Cealla Pais, the organizing secretary proposed the vote of thanks. Ms. Prajna from MSc Chemistry compered the programme

A short cultural programme was organised at 6:30pm for the foreign delegates, special invitees and all the participants.

Besides this, Dr. Simon Detriche, Mr Arvind K Bhakta, Mr Sebastien Vivegnis from University of Namur, Belgium, Dr. Arun Isloor, NITK Surathkal, Ms Danica Pinto- Heriott Watt University -Edinburgh, Scotland, Prof. Eshwar Moorthy- JNCASR, Prof Suresha SJ-Technology Manager, MNCF, CeNSE, IISc, Bangalore, Dr. Navinchandra G Shimpi- University of Mumbai, Dr. Belkhiri Samir- Algeria, Dr Halley Menezes -Japan delivered the lectures during these two days.

The Valedictory programme was held on 11th January, 2019 at 3:15 PM in Fr L F Rasquinha Auditorium (LCRI). Prof. Zineb Mekhalif, Director Laboratory of



Chemistry and Electrochemistry of Surfaces (CES), University of Namur, Belgium was the chief guest, Rev. Dr. Leo D'Souza SJ, Director -Laboratory of Applied Biology, St Aloysius College, Mangaluru presided over the programme.

Reported by Ms Preema Cealla Pais

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Department of Political Science in association with "Samudaya Karnataka" organized one day workshop on Indian Constitution "ಸಂವಿಧಾನ ಓದು" on 12 January, 2019 at Eric Mathais Hall. The keynote address was given by Justice H.N Nagamohandas (Former Justice High Court, Karnataka). The workshop was inaugurated by Advocate Udayanda (District Government Pleader, Mangaluru). The aim of the workshop is to create awareness among the youth about the basic principles of the Indian Constitution. 300 delegates, (which included Teachers, Advocates and others) were actively participated.

Reported by Ms Maria Shaila D Souza

National symposium - Redefining Corporate Social Responsibility in an Era of Judicial Activism

January 11, 2019, The Department of MBA organized a one day National symposium on Redefining Corporate Social Responsibility in an Era of Judicial Activism. The distinguished speakers included; Dr Rengarajan Chief Guest, GM, Legal, Toyota Kirloskar Motor; Mr. Rahul Maroli the Vice-President at Ola and Ms. Rudra Radhakrishnan, Sales head PepsiCo. There is significant confusion in the private sector, the public sector, and civil society as to the meaning of Corporate Social Responsibility (or CSR, as it is widely known). Perhaps because the concept has evolved from philanthropy, many continue to make it synonymous with philanthropy. The convenience of the acronym has a lot of interested parties discussing CSR as if it were a universal, uniform, well-defined, standard concept. Every party has its own



definition, many times unarticulated, which is used to advance or detract from the concept. This failure in communication has led to significant controversy and confusion, even polarizing positions. This is not to say that the discrepancies between many parties are not real, but these discrepancies are exacerbated by the lack of an explicit understanding regarding which of the many ideas embodied in the acronym "CSR" the parties are talking about.

The terms "social" and "responsibility" are also often misinterpreted. For some, "social" refers to social issues such as health, education, security and the like-issues generally under the responsibility of governments. Others more correctly define "social" as a reference to society, including the planet and the environment, i.e. the ambit of action of the corporation.

For some, "responsibility" stands for accountability for the corporation's actions; for others, a sense of duty toward society; and for others, good judgment (as represented in the Golden Rule, "Do unto others as you would like done unto you").

In terms of what actions are included, most people interpret these terms to mean that the corporation has a responsibility toward society, and that the corporation has a responsibility to do something about the problems that affect society; others interpret them to mean that the corporation must take responsibility for its own activities as they affect society. These views have very different implications.

In the first case, the corporation is attributed responsibilities that go beyond the purpose for which it was created, such as becoming involved in the welfare of the population (thereby addressing some of the failures of government). Many of these activities are the

responsibility of the citizens themselves and of their local or national governments. Needless to say, most representatives of the private sector do not agree that these are the functions of the corporation and reject the whole concept of CSR. In the second case, the corporation as a legal "person" is responsible for the impact of its activities, and these activities must be carried out with respect toward those affected.

Corporate Social Responsibility" means the corporation must be responsible toward society and the environment for the impact of its actions. This is not to say that the case is closed. There is significant divergence as to what being responsible for the impact of one's actions means. The concept of what constitutes responsible behavior changes from context to context, from culture to culture and, within context and culture, changes over time.

The three distinguished resource persons spoke of all this and more in the context of their respective organizations.

Students enjoyed a day of meaningful learning and the day ended with a lively question and answer session.

SAC Pays Homage to Sri George Fernandes

St Aloysius College organized a condolence meeting at the sudden demise of the former Railway and Defense minister of the Country Sri George Fernandes, who had done his high school education at St Aloysius.

Dr A.M.Narahari, the Registrar while speaking about Mr George Fernandes recalled that he was a proud alumnus of the institution by upholding the highest level of integrity, morality, simplicity and commitment. Mr George Fernandes was instrumental in bringing the two Presidents, Mr Neelam Sanjiv Reddy in 1980, Dr APJ Abdul Kalam in 2003 to the college. He was a trade union



leader, committed social worker and a model politician. The 1974 Railway Workers Strike and the fight against emergency under his leadership are the testimony for his concern for the workers and the marginalized. He had set a model as a great parliamentarian and he had won the election to the Parliament 9 times. He was a link between the right and left thinkers.

Late Sri George Fernandes has donated his entire valuable library collections of more than 3500 books to St Aloysius College library. Rev.Fr Praveen Martis, the Principal read the condolence message.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

Sahodaya an outreach programme for the empowerment of the differently challenged has over the past 19 years contributed significantly to the quality of the whole process of growing in knowledge and experience by touching the hearts of the students. The etymological meaning of the word “Sahodaya” is “Blossoming Together.” The purpose of this unique programme was to befriend the physically challenged and in the very process be educated by blossoming one’s own heart. Thus both the benefactor and beneficiary, blossom together in the very act, in the very gesture and in the resulting process of such mutual interaction. It is a unique project towards the heart-education of our students. This year we had embarked on an innovative and very unique event called Kalarava 2019 - a two-day state level interschool Cricket & cultural fest for the Visually Impaired on January 13-14, 2019.



The event aimed to bring together the talented Visually Impaired students from the entire state and provide them a platform to display their talents in various performing arts and display their cricket skills.

The special attractions of this year’s Kalarava were the Cricket Tournament, Variety Entertainment, Mimicry and Quiz competitions for the visually impaired children. The event was inaugurated by Padmashree Shekhar Naik, former Captain of the Indian National Cricket Team of the Blind and Rev. Fr Dionysius Vaz SJ, Rector of St Aloysius Institutions was the president of the function. Sri Mahantesh G K, Founder & Chairman of Samarathanam International, President of World Blind Cricket Ltd. WBC and CABI was the Chief Guest of the valedictory programme and Rev. Dr Praveen Martis SJ, Principal, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) was the President of the Programme.

Each participating school received a sum of Rs. 10,000/- as honorarium. Outstation schools were provided free accommodation and a travel allowance of Rs. 12,000/- each. The winners of Cricket Tournament were awarded a Trophy along with a cash prize of Rs.10,000/- and the Runners up of Cricket Tournament were awarded a Trophy along with a cash prize of Rs. 6,000/- . The winners of the Cultural Fest were awarded a Trophy along with a cash prize of Rs. 6,000/- and the Runners up were awarded a Trophy along with a cash prize of Rs. 4,000/- . Following are the names of the schools participated in the Cricket Tournament and Cultural Fest.

The Deepa Academy for the Differently Abled – Bangalore, Sri Sharada Devi Andhara Vikasa Kendra – Shimoga,

The Deepa Academy for the Differently Abled – Chamarajanagara, JSB Free Residential School for the Blind – Ramanagar, Roman and Catherine Lobo School for Blind – Mangaluru, Jyana Prajnya Blind Residential School –



Mungod, Asha Kirana School for Blind – Chickmagalur, The Karnataka Welfare Association for the Blind – Bengaluru.

Asha Kirana School for Blind – Chickmagalur was champions in the cricket tournament and JSB Free Residential School for the Blind – Ramanagar settled for the Runners-up. The Deepa Academy for the Differently Abled – Chamarajanagara and Roman and Catherine Lobo School for Blind – Mangaluru were the winners and runners-up respectively in the cultural event.

Gardener

Some of the seeds of hope
Planted tentatively in the fall
Have not come up
They lie stillborn and unrealized
Somewhere in the spring soil
Decaying
The strongest and the best ones
Pushed up through leaves
And layers of cold, hard resistance
Right into clear blue air
And stand there nakedly green
Breathing
It’s always that way with growing things
Never knowing at the start
Which will make it and which will fail
But the thing to hold fast to
Never to lose faith in
Is simply
Sowing

- Ann North

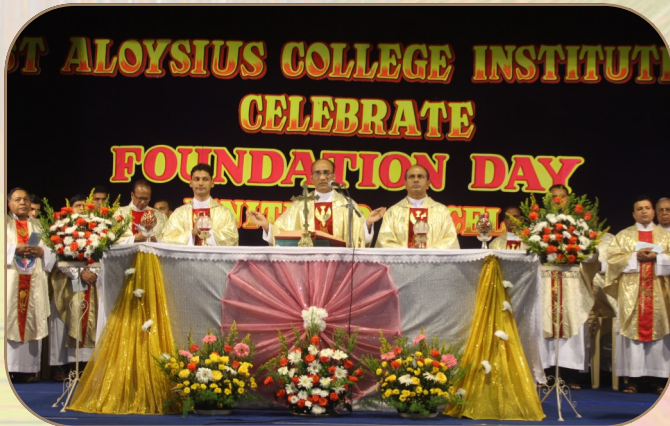


In the words of Rev Fr Prashant Madtha SJ, Education

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'Ignite To Excel' - Foundation Day of St Aloysius Institutions

The celebration of the 'Foundation Day' began with a Holy Mass concelebrated by Fr J B Saldanha, the Parish Priest of Permannur Parish, and the head of chair in Christianity at Mangalore University. He was joined by Fr Dionysius Vaz SJ – Rector of St Aloysius Institutions, Fr Denzil W Lobo-Secretary and Treasurer of Mangalore Jesuits Educational Society, along with 20 other Jesuit priests of the Institution, and from outside. In his homily, Fr J B Saldanha with his message appreciated the hardwork of Jesuits to impart quality education to the youth. Addressing the students, he said "You should have three qualities in your life, Competence, Consciousness and Compassion, in order to build a better society". Just like the patron of this Institution who showed Compassion, you should also make a difference through your compassion towards others, he added. Students offered gifts during the offertory procession which will be distributed to the needy through the Centre of Social Concern



Fr Dionysius Vaz SJ, Rector of St Aloysius Institutions at the end of the mass thanked all those who have supported for the conduct of the programme. He announced the launch of St Aloysius Institute of Civil Services (SAICS) academy and about the progress made with regard to the college becoming deemed to be university. He mentioned the Six themes of Jesuit Education for the future worldwide. They are: Civic and Political leadership; Peace and Reconciliation; Environmental and Economic Justice; Education of the marginalized; Inter religious Dialogue; and Leadership in an Ignatian way of proceeding.

On the occasion of Foundation day, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) also launched its Civil Service Academy, with classes located at the IV Floor in the newly remodeled Gonzaga Institution. After the Mass, Michael D'Souza, philanthropist and NRI businessman launched the academy digitally by clicking the button on the laptop, and later formally inaugurating the academy by cutting the ribbon. Speaking on the occasion Mr Michael D'Souza said "It is indeed a dream come true, and I thank the Almighty. When our committee approached St Aloysius Jesuit priests on this project, they readily agreed, and therefore today we have launched this Civil Service Academy which will play a vital role in training the future civil servants. This academy opens new doors for youths to serve the nation". He wished that this academy will become a top class centre of civil service.

Ms Ruby M. Pinto of 3rd year BSc compered the proceedings during Mass ceremony.

A formal and cultural function was held at St Aloysius High School Hall to commemorate 'Foundation Day'. Mind-blowing, glamorous and glittering Cultural extrav-



aganza was performed by the faculties of various sections under St Aloysius Institutions, which added colour to the event and was a feast to the eyes. All the performers put a fantastic show which was loudly applauded by the audience. Staff along with the Management relished the sumptuous lunch served after the cultural programme.

Reported by Campus Ministry

Taking a Step Forward.....Kalarava 2019 (Continued from Page 4.)

through Sahodaya is a training to see things and persons differently; sometimes we can see only the underside of the tapestry, with all its nubs and knots and mismatched threads. Look at the potential the students have, to knit beautiful designs for themselves and for others by such an outreach program. Teaching is educating the mind and outreach program is educating the heart. Sahodaya was a good idea, no doubt. The truth is that good ideas, noble intentions, brilliant inventions, and miraculous discoveries go nowhere unless somebody forms a team to act on them. Leaders identify, articulate, and summarize concepts that motivate others. Most important, they boil concepts down to an understandable idea. It is not only to inspire others, it is to enrol them; not only to excite them but to enrol them

and get them to sign up. Dr Charles Furtado along with his friends did just that! He sowed the seed, formed the team of students who were highly motivated and passionately committed.

Let these noble deeds keep growing in the years to come and let all of us be the shining stars to help each other. No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.

Reported by Mr Dhiraj Sequeira



Book release of "Gandhi: The soul force warrior", authored by Ambassador (retd) Pascal Alan Nazareth

St. Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru and the Catholic Association of South Kanara (CASK) organised the book release of "Gandhi: The soul force warrior",



authored by Ambassador (retd) Pascal Alan Nazareth on January 18, 2019 at Eric Mathias Hall. Amb. Nazareth is a renowned Gandhian writer and a recipient of the U Thant Peace Award by the Sri Chinmoy Peace Meditation Group at the United Nations, for his 'Life Time of Dedication and World Service by promoting of the Gandhian Values of Truth, Non Violence, Communal Harmony and Humanitarian Service'. He shares this prestigious award with world peace lead-



ers like Pope John Paul II, The Dalai Lama, Mother Theresa, Mikhail Gorbachev, Nelson Mandela and Desmond Tutu. This is his second book on Gandhi, the first being his widely acclaimed book 'Gandhi's Outstanding Leadership', also released at his alma mater the St. Aloysius College.

Mrs. Giselle Mehta, the author of 'Blossom Showers', former IRS officer and a promoter of veganism gave an eloquent review-cum-overview of the released book. She pointed that the book brought out the soul force of Gandhi wherein he could shake the British Empire through a revolution unlike the ones never seen elsewhere.

Amb. Nazareth explained to the audience his ambitious choice of calling Gandhi a "soul force warrior" while comparing the revolutions that had taken around the world. Gandhi was able to answer the oppressor (the British) with his simple yet original and powerful techniques of truth and non-violence that relied on spirituality for which the British had no answer. Gandhi revolutionised the concept of 'revolution' and spiritualised it.

Dr. Charles Lobo, the Chief Postmaster General of

Karnataka Circle recommended the book to students, peace lovers as an answer for the uneasy phase that modern India faces. Rev. Fr. Dionysius Vaz, the Rector of Aloysian institutions gave his presidential address in which he appreciated the works of Amb. Nazareth and drew the attention of the audience to remember Gandhi's talisman, "Whenever you are in doubt, or when the self becomes too much in you, apply the following test. Recall the face of the poorest and the weakest man [woman] whom you may have seen, and ask yourself, if the step you contemplate is going to be of any use to him [her]. Will he [she] gain anything by it? Will it restore him [her] to a control over his [her] own life and destiny? In other words, will it lead to swaraj [freedom] for the hungry and spiritually starving millions? Then you will find your doubts and your self melt away."

The Principal of the College, Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis welcomed and introduced the dignitaries. Dr. Derek Lobo, representative of CASK introduced Amb. Nazareth and Dr. Rose Veera D'Souza thanked the gathering.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

Guest Talk on Job Creation for Self and Others

Department of Economics organised a guest talk on the topic 'Job Creation for Self and Others' by Mr. Shrikanth Pai, Director of Ace Foods Pvt. Ltd, Mangaluru on 19 January 2018 at 9AM in Sanidhya. The master of ceremony, Miss Prajnashri Shenoy of II BSc. ESM welcomed the gathering and began the programme with a silent prayer. Mr. Ujwal of II BA introduced the resource person.

Mr. Pai spoke about his experience in diverse roles he had played in companies before he took charge of the family business. He also spoke about the various skills



needed for one to create an enterprise and also employment for others. He concluded his talk with a question answer session in which many students actively took part. The vote of thanks was proposed by Miss June Monteiro of II BSc. ESM.

Reported by Mr Alwyn Stephen Misquith

Public Lecture on "Achievements of the Republic of India and Challenges Ahead"

As a part of the Constitution Week 2019 which was observed from 21st to 26th January 2019, a public lecture on "Achievements of the Republic of India and Challenges Ahead" by Justice H.N Nagamohan Das, Former



Judge of the Karnataka High Court, Bengaluru was held on 23.01.2019 at 3.00pm in the LF Rasquinha Hall, St. Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru. Mr. Nagamohan Das is also the author of a Kannada book "Samvidhana Oodu".

Dr. Vishanz Pinto Dean of the Faculty of Arts was the Convener. The program was compered by Ms. Aarti Shanbague, Head of the BBM Department. Ms. Vinaya Durga, lecturer, Department of BCA rendered the prayer song.

In his talk, Mr. Das elucidated in detail, the crucial changes, establishment of legislative, judicial and executive institutions after India became a Republic. He stated that before independence, India was a nation where more than 80% illiteracy prevailed and the enforcement of the constitution provided amenities to the larger public. He was proud to say that there were areas where India had topped the world.



Mr. Das condemned the evils of the caste system which are imposed upon the unwilling populace. He shed light upon the fact that there are a lot of drawbacks in the present society despite the tremendous achievements of the state; 20% of eligible youth have no access to education, heightened unemployment, corruption, cultural degeneration and growing criminal orientation. He pressed on the challenges that the nation as a whole is going through at the moment ; lack of constitutional

failure to link political, social and economic democracy, concentration of wealth and a lot more.

The areas of concern which were highlighted by Mr. Das included separation of religion from politics, the idea of welfare state, fundamentalism and the concept of privatization in the true sense. He requested the crowd to read, understand and imbibe the constitution and concluded his words with a quote by Rumi; "Love is a powerful weapon". The 40 min talk by Mr. Nagamohan Das was followed by a question and answer session.

Principal Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis SJ in his presidential address said that the Constitution of India continues to intrigue and inspire us even today. He emphasized the need to be vigilant in today's society. Mr. Anup Denzil Veigas, Department of English proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

India in the Web of Digitalisation

On 16th January 2019, PG Department of Economics in collaboration with PG Department of M.Com conducted a one-day national seminar on the topic 'India in the Web of Digitalisation'. The event was inaugurated by Dr



P.S Aithal, Vice Chancellor of Srinivas University, Mangaluru in the presence of the Principal Rev. Dr Praveen Martis SJ. The event was a grand success and an amazing wellspring of new and innovative ideas pertaining to the role of digitalisation and the challenges and opportunities that it offers to the nation and its citizens. Dr P.S Aithal handled the keynote address followed by a technical session by Mr Shrinivas Rao (Manipal technologies limited) on the challenges of digitalisation. In the Afternoon, we had yet another technical session on the topic 'Impact of digitalisation on healthcare management and operation techniques' by Dr Rakshay Shetty (Head, Pediatric intensive care services, Rainbow Children's Hospital, Bangalore) Students and teachers from different states presented their papers in the afternoon session on topics related to the role of digitalisation in areas like cashless economy, rural India, digital devices and education.

Reported by Mr Alen Joshy

Gun Violence in the US

Lecture by Dr. Ute Ritz-Deutch on “Gun violence and/or police brutality in the US”, Sanidhya-SAC, January 5, 2018 at 11.00am

Dr. Ritz-Deutch is giving a series of lectures in Mangaluru on human rights. She addressed the students of Humanities at the St. Aloysius College (Autonomous) on



gun violence in the USA. She pointed out that less than half of the USA population owned 400 million guns that exceeded the population itself. In other words, USA has 5-6% of world's population but owns 40% of its guns. Largely the victims are veterans, children, Afro-Americans and women. On an average 100 persons die every day due to gun violence in the USA; more than 60 are cases of suicide.

As possessing arms is a fundamental right and firearms regulations are done at the state level, a comprehensive law is absent. Second, given the lack of research in this area, the Congress is unable to come up with a comprehensive stringent law to regulate use of firearms. Third, efforts of lobby groups like the National Rifle Association have watered down any efforts in tackling the problem.

Dr. Rose Veera D'Souza convened the program and Dr. Joyce Lobo thanked the gathering.

Report by Dr Joyce Sabina Lobo

To Know & Grow in Self Esteem

The Faculty of Business Management, St. Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore organised a Guest Talk on-“Know yourself and grow in self esteem” by Dr. Alwyn D'Sa on 19th January 2019.



It was attended by 250 students from the 1st year BBA. The staff coordinators were Ms. Vinola Sequeira and Ms. Runa Lobo.

Reported by Ms Runa Nefarita Lobo

Capital and Derivatives Market

On the occasion of **Commercio-2019**, the Department of Commerce of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru organized a guest lecture on “Capital and Derivatives Market” on 18th January 2019.

This lecture was organized with the intention to provide the students of III BCom an opportunity to get an additional input regarding Derivatives Market, the lesser known half of the financial market. Mr Akshith Kumar, Mr Neeldeep and Ms Smitha D K were the staff coordinators of the programme.

The speaker for the lecture was Dr Radhakrishnan Sharma. Dr. Radhakrishna Sharma is an MBA Graduate from Mangalore University. He has also to his credit a Diploma in Commodity Markets (DICM), Postgraduate Diploma in Financial Advising (PGDFA) and Certified Financial Manager (CFM) and Ph.D. qualification. He is a SEBI certified resource person for financial education programs and trained more than 9000 investors in India. Dr Suresh Poojary, the Dean of Commerce, florally welcomed the guest while Ms Easter, student from III BCom introduced the speaker.

He began his lecture by questioning the knowledge of students with regard to the secondary market. In his lecture Dr Sharma discussed about the trading activi-



ties, the different segments of the stock exchange, the city-wise share of cash turnover and trading.

He also explained the procedures involved in trading securities and then he introduced the students to the topic derivatives market. The derivatives market consists of forwards, futures, options and swaps. He gave a variety of examples to illustrate his points.

Towards the end of his lecture, he advised the students not to speculate on the derivatives markets and use this knowledge to their advantage in future dealings with the stock exchange.

The session concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Mr Neeldeep Goswami, Faculty of Economics. Dr Suresh Poojary presented the guest with a memento as a token of gratitude.

This session helped the students to gain knowledge of the financial market.

Reported by Ms Smitha D K

Inspirational Session to ACCA Students

"Leadership is the ability to get extraordinary achievement from ordinary people" -Brian Tracy

The new year 2019 for the students pursuing ACCA at St. Aloysius began with an inspirational session by Mr. Gurav Kapoor on the 4th of January 2019 at Eric Mathais Hall. Mr Gurav Kapoor is a chartered accountant serving as Head of Policy, ACCA India. He began the session by asseverating a quote 'The more you learn, the more you earn' that sinewed throughout the session. Mr. Gurav Kapoor mainly emphasized on 'Being global' which is very crucial in this mercurial world. He stressed on its perks along with the need for developing fungible skills to stand competitive in the corporate environment. His main advice to the students was to make technology as the tool and strength as it will serve as a linchpin throughout the corporate journey. The speaker was successful in adverting the students by presenting a video released by ACCA.

Mrs Vasumathi Shetty, marketing head of ISDC Mangalore, the staff co ordinators C.A.Lovel Monteiro and Ms Pooja were also present during the session.

Reported by Ms Pooja

Guest Lecture by the Physics Department

Prof. Y Divakara Mayya, Professor, National Institute of Astrophysics, Optics and Electronics (INAOE) Puebla, Mexico delivered a guest lecture on 4, January, 2019 in Fr Robert Sequeira Hall on the topic "Formation of Black hole and their detection". He elaborated the formation of Black holes and various techniques and theoretical aspects of detecting them. He spoke on X-ray emission from the accretion disks-event horizons of the stars, Gravitational lensing-Einstein ring, Gravitational waves and velocity monitoring around black hole coordinates etc. He also told that the presence of 2 black holes at the centre of Milkyway galaxy and centre of Virgo galaxy has been confirmed by



indirect methods. Mr Lawrence Pinto, Head of the department welcomed and introduced the speaker. Students and Faculty members from undergraduate and post graduate departments of Physics were present for the lecture.

Reported by Dr Chandra Shekhara Shetty

5th Batch of Students from Cortland, USA

A Welcome Meeting with the students of State University of New York (SUNY), Cortland College was held



on 2nd Jan. 2019 at the Conference Room. Kathleen Collins, Kayla Cordero, Claire McGrathy & Veronica Ulerio are the students who will be studying in the campus under the Study Abroad Program.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

Condolence Meeting

St Aloysius College held a condolence meeting on 21 January, 2019 in front of Admin Block of the College over the sad demise of an II BA student Sr Reshma D'Souza, Ursuline Franciscan Sister from Bejai Convent, Mangaluru.



The condolence session began with a prayer service led by Rev. Fr Felix Victor SJ, Campus Minister. A passage from the Bible was read by Mr. Anup Denzil Veigas and college choir team led the gathering with hymns. Dr Alwyn Dsa, Director, Admin Block and Br Ashlin of II BA shared their memories of Sr Reshma



D'Souza. Rev Dr Praveen Martis SJ, Principal read the condolence message on behalf of the management, staff and students.

Reported by Mr Royal Praveen D Souza

Sangath Suvalo 2019

Sangath Suvalo 2019 a National Level Konkani Cultural Fest was conducted on the 18th of January 2019 by Konkani Sangha of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore. The main aim of this programme was to en-



hance the Konkani culture and to promote Konkani language. Students from various schools and colleges from Mangalore and Goa had participated in this Fest.

The inauguration of this Konkani fest was held at Fr L.F.Rasquinha Hall at 9:30 am. Mr. Wilson Roshan Sequiera, a renowned Konkani Poet, popularly known as Mr. Wilson Kateel, was the chief guest for the programme. Rev. Fr. Valerian Fernandes who is presently the Editor of Rakno and is well known for his Konkani writings was the Guest of honour. Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis SJ, Principal of St Aloysius College presided over the programme.

The programme began by seeking God's Grace with a hymn, sung by the college choir. The guests were escorted to the dais by the presidents of Konkani Sangha Ms. Renita Menezes and Ms. Renita Aranha along with the student secretaries Ms. Meghal Dcunha and Ms. Lashwina Montheiro. The President of Konkani Sangha Ms. Renita Menezes welcomed the gathering. This fest was inaugurated traditionally by lighting the lamp by the dignitaries.

Chief Guest Mr. Wilson Kateel encouraged the gathering to promote Konkani, as youths of today play a major part in promoting our language to the future generations. Guest of Honor Rev. Fr. Valerian Fernandes encouraged the gathering to take some time and start writ-



ing small articles in Konkani.

Principal Rev Dr. Praveen Martis SJ in his presidential address told that in different ways the college is promoting Konkani language in the college. The student

strength in Konkani department is increasing every year and students are interested to take Konkani as a second language in College. Student Secretary of Konkani Sangha Ms. Lashwina Montheiro proposed the vote of thanks and thanked everyone for being the part of this National Level Konkani Cultural Fest. Ms Anjeline D'Souza compered the inauguration programme.

Sangath Suvalo hosted 6 different competitions for both high school and degree students. Competitions like Poetry Writing, Painting, Pick and Speak, Group Singing, Group Dance and Comedy Skit were held. Students from different schools and colleges actively participated in these competitions.

The valedictory programme of Sangath Suvalo was held at Fr L.F. Rasquinha Hall at 4.30pm. Dr Veronica Judith Pinto, Former Vice- Principal of Administrative Block, St Aloysius College was the Chief Guest for the programme. Rev Dr. Melwyn Pinto SJ, Director of Konkani Institute and Dr. Alwyn D'Sa, Director, Administrative Block, St Aloysius College were the Guests of



honour. The President of Konkani Sangha Ms. Renita Aranha welcomed the gathering. Chief guest Dr Veronica Judith Pinto explained how St. Aloysius College has been promoting Konkani language from so many years. Rev Dr. Melwyn Pinto SJ told about the history when an Italian Priest called Fr. Maffie who came to Mangalore with other Jesuits wrote an article in Konkani. Dr. Alwyn D'Sa briefed about the various activities which are conducted in college to promote Konkani language.

On this occasion, the winners of 'Christmas Sambhram' competitions held in December were awarded with the prizes. Chief Guest along with the Guests of honour distributed the prizes to the winners of the Sangath Suvalo competitions. In High School category St. Aloysius High School Mangalore were the Overall Champions and Holy Redeemer High School Belthangady were the Runners up. In Degree college category Padua College of Commerce and Management were the Overall Champions and the Runners up were Milagres College.

The student secretary of Konkani Sangha Ms. Meghal D'Cunha proposed the vote of thanks and thanked everyone who supported to make Sangath Suvalo 2019 a grand success. Mr Deon Fernandes compered the Valedictory programme.

Reported by Ms Renita C. Menezes

Activities of Centre for Social Concern

Exposure- UBA (Unnat Bharath Abhiyan) Survey:

Centre for Social Concern conducted the base line survey for UBA (Unnat Bharath Abhiyan) scheme at Gulpura village on 5th and 12th of January 2019. Students from different U.G departments were actively engaged in this activity as a part of SAHAAYA programme. Students



along with faculties made house-to-house visits in the community and collected the details regarding the social and financial aspects of families. Dr Raveendra Swamy from the U.G department of Computer Applications accompanied and guided students along with Mr. Sharon CN, coordinator Centre for Social Concern.

Exposure- Visit to care & support centers -1:

Centre for Social Concern organized visits to care & support centers working with different target groups, for the first year degree students as a part of SAHAAYA Exposure. These exposures were conducted on 13th, 15th, 20th, 23th, 24th, 26th, 27th and 31st of January. Institutions were



Snehalaya, (Psychosocial rehabilitation Centre, Manjeshwar,) **TELOCA** (De addiction Centre, Ullal) **Paschim** (Psychosocial rehabilitation Centre, Manjeshwar) **Bala Graha** (Orphanage, Bondel), **Animal care trust**(Home for Abandoned Animals, Shakthinagara) and **Little Sisters of the Poor**(Home for Destitute, Maroli). Students were active in interacting with the inmates, conducting recreational activities and providing physical assistance in these institutions. Dr Ambarish CN, Ms Sonal Ms Vinola, Ms Runa, Ms Reni-



ta, Ms Archana and Ms Vidhya, faculties from different UG departments along with Mr. Sharon CN Coordinator Centre for Social Concern accompanied and guided students.

Exposure- Clean drive initiative by SAC:

Centre for Social Concern in collaboration with M.C.C organized clean drive initiatives in different spots of Mangalore City along with M.C.C officials, with an objective of conveying message of cleanliness to the General Public. This programme was conducted on 13th, 14th, 19th, 20th, 26th and 27th of January at various spots, in Old Bus stand, Central Market, Gorigudda, Baikampadi, Gulpura, Tannir Bhavi and Kulai areas of Mangalore, were People used to dump waste illegally. Students along with the staff and M.C.C officials cleaned these spots through Shramdan. Later, the places were beautified with dumping Soil, protected with nets, and Ban-



ners against this practice were raised. At old Bus stand and Humpenkatta, students created awareness to street Vendors by speaking to them about the aftermath of this kind of unscientific waste disposal. Students were accompanied by Dr Norbert lobo, Mr. Arvind Kispotta, Mr Vimal, Mr Alwin, Mr Joel, Ms Felicia, Ms Archana, Ms Renita and Ms Vidhya along with Mr. Sharon CN, Coordinator centre for Social Concern.

Reported by Mr Sharon C N

Visit to Care and Support Centres -2 :

Centre for Social concern organized visits for UG to care and support centres working with different target groups. These exposure were conducted on 19th and 20th of January 2019. Institutions were Paschim Rehabilitation Centre, Ullal (working for the destitutes) and Sporthidhama, Kundapura(Orphanage). Students were active in interacting with inmates, to understand their difficulties and also conducted recreational activities. Mr Avinash, Mr Nealdeep Goswami, Ms Nisha, Ms



Saritha, faculties from different UG Department and Ms K Gopika Coordinator Centre for Social Concern accompanied and guided the students.

Reported by Ms Gopika Suvarna

Activities of Centre for Social Concern

Street play cum Clean Drive Initiative:

Centre for Social Concern in collaboration with Prerana Yuva Vedike Kundapura organized street play cum



Clean Drive campaign at Chittur Kundapura, with an objective of conveying message of cleanliness to the general public. This programme was held on 2th of January 2019.. Students joined staff of Prerana Yuva Vedike a cleaning the area of chittur. Students were accompanied



by Mr Avinash, Mr Nealdeep Goswami, Ms Poojary Nisha, Ms Saritha and Ms K Gopika, Coordinator Centre for Social Concern.

Basic Computer Education in School:

On 26.02.2019 Centre for Social Concern organized SA-HAAYA exposure for the students from the Department of Business Administration. A team consisting of 40



members visited High Schools at Nainadu, Punjalakkatte and trained the school children in MS office. Children were trained in Self- defense techniques too. Students got exposed to the inadequate facilities in Government schools and optimally used their skills in training the school children. Students were accompanied and guided by Ms Gopika along with Mr Mehaboob Ali Nadaf.

Reported by Ms Gopika Suvarna

Visit to Night Shelter

Students of PG Social Work visited Night Shelter of Urwa as this Night Shelter has been adopted by the Department under the programme Shahari Samridhi Yojana of Ministry of housing and Urban Affairs. On 30th and 31st of January students along with faculty Ms Shwetha Rasquinha, Ms Deena D'Souza and Ms Gopika of Centre for Social Concern visited the Night Shelter



ter from 7.15 pm to 8.30 pm. This was the first visit in order to build rapport with the inmates and to assess the needs. There was active interaction between the inmates and students and it was very important in building the professional relationship to plan for further interventions.

Night Shelters are the centre's where the city makers will be provided with the facilities that are required for safe stay during night. Pavement dwellers excluding beggars will be accommodated in the centre for 21 days.

Reported by Ms Shwetha Rasquinha

Lecture series by Dr. Ute Ritz-Deutch

Dr. Ute Ritz- Deutch gave a series of lectures at St. Aloysius College and also in various institutes around Mangaluru on human rights. Her lectures spanned over a period of 18 days (Jan 05-18, 2019). She is teaching at the History Department of State University of New York (SUNY), Cortland and is also the faculty advisor for the SUNY Cortland Amnesty International student group. She addresses the people in general on the community radio WRFI under 'The Human Rights and Social Justice Program'.

Dr. Ute addressed the under graduate students of our College on a variety of issues related to human rights like 'Gun Violence in the USA', 'Rohingya Refugee Crisis in Myanmar', 'The Undermining of Civil and Human Rights under the Trump Administration', 'Amnesty International Campaigns in the US', 'Migrants, Asylum Seekers and Refugees: Challenges under the Trump Administration', etc. She has utilised constructive arguments with relevant data and maps to justify her humanitarian cause of instructing students on these aspects. The students and teachers had a fruitful discussion with Dr. Ute.

Reported by Dr Joyce Sabina Lobo

Report on Swaraksha

Students of Social Work organised awareness programme under the project 'SWARAKSHA'-Education on child sexual abuse to the students of Sri Ramasrama English Medium School, Konchady. This programme was organized on 11/01/2019 and was inaugurated by



Mr Yogesh, Co-ordinator Child Protection Unit, Mangalore. He prepared the children to understand the need for knowing about child sexual abuse and its prevention. After this children of 8th and 9th standard were divided in to four groups. Informal personal approach was used to educate the children on good touch and bad touch, safe triangle of human body and supporting systems available for them in order to protect them from sexual abuse. First Year MSW Students Ms Ain Treesa, Ms Dhanya Augusthy, Ms Anns Tom and Mr Sharon C N, coordinator, Center for Social Concern, St Aloysius College addressed the children using techniques of diagrams, games, stories and so on. Students were also given chance to clarify their doubts. Programme ended after taking the feedback from teachers and students.

Reported by Ms Shwetha Rasquinha

Ute Ritz Lecture Series

Prof Ute Ritz - Deutch from SUNY Cortland, State University of New York delivered a guest lecture to students of MCA on 16th January 2019 at AIMIT Auditorium. Prof Ute teaches Anthropology courses at Tompkins Cortland Community College and is also on the steering committee of the Tompkins County Immigration Rights Coalition in Ithaca, New York.

Her talk was aligned on the following areas:

1. Gun Violence and police brutality in US
2. Remote killing: The use of drones in the war on Terror
3. Racism, incarceration and solitary confinement in the US

Prof Ute was welcomed by Prof. Santhosh Rebello, Dean of IT.



Highlights of the Staff Council Meeting (UG) - Even Semester

A meeting of the Undergraduate Staff Council was held on Thursday, 17 January, 2019 at 4.00pm in the College Conference Room. The following are some of the highlights of the deliberations:

- Members were briefed on the preparedness of the College for the visit of the Inspection by UGC/AICTE Expert Committee.
- Members were also informed about publishing of the Coffee table Book on the College, books on the Flora and Fauna, Extension Activities, Radio Sarang- Community Radio, Research Publications and Institutional Policies and Guidelines.
- It was decided to display major publications, Newsletters, Magazines and other publications of the staff, students and the College in a prominent place in the Admin Block.
- It was decided to have a Preparatory visit to the departments by the Principal, Registrar and the Directors on 23-24 January, 2019.
- A detailed checklist of items/documents to be prepared for the visit of the Expert Team was presented by the IQAC Coordinator, Mr Naveen Mascarenhas.
- Members were requested to visit the College website and update details of their respective units and departments.
- Members were requested to prepare the Perspective Plan of the respective departments to furnish to the Expert committee.
- Members were reminded to include the Quality Initiatives and Consultancy Activity & Alumni Reports in their presentations.
- Registrar, Dr A M Narahari presented the observations and recommendations of the Mock Academic Audit Committee.
- Members were requested to prepare a brief executive summary of the department (Oral) in case the Committee doesn't have time to watch the PPT.
- It was suggested to design a digitally printed Poster highlighting the unique achievements and best practices of the departments.
- Directors were requested to go through the presentations and arrange for the venues of presentations in their Blocks.
- It was decided to arrange for interactions of PTA and Alumni with the Expert Committee.

Reported by Dr Alwyn D'Sa

Report of Activities Conducted Under SVEEP

The Students' Council of our College conducted the following activities under SVEEP (Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral participation), as directed by the election Commission of India and informed to the College by the Joint Director of Collegiate Education, Mangaluru - 575 003:

23rd January 2019

An essay writing competition was organized in classroom no 501, of Aruppe block from 4.15 to 5.00 pm. 11 students participated in this competition. The topic was "The Constitution and Indian democracy : The present scene". Ms. Sai Divya, from the dept of English judged the event. Roseanne Mascarenhas of 1st B.Sc secured 1st place. Renisha lobo of 2nd B.Sc got 2nd place and Deepthi George of 3rd BA got 3rd place.

A quiz competition was organized in Xavier auditorium from 3.15pm to 4.30 pm. There were totally 6 teams who participated in this competition. Each team contained 2 students. Out of 6 teams, 4 teams were qualified



for the finals. Aiyappa and Amal from 2nd BA secured 1st place. Varun Singala and Ashwini. K got 2nd place and Saurav and Aaron of 1st BA got 3rd place in this competition. Savin D'Souza of 2nd B.Sc was the quiz master. The winners and the runners up qualified for the district level quiz competition which was held on 25th January 2019 in LF Rasquinha hall, LCRI, block.

25th January 2019

In an event "Know your Rights" organized jointly by the NSS and NCC Units of our college in Eric Mathais Hall at 9.30 AM. students were administered the Voters Pledge to commemorate "National Voters' Day" by the Principal, Rev Fr Dr Praveen Martis S.J. More than 200 students were present.

Reported by Dr Ratan T Mohunta

Workshop on Latex

Department of PG Studies in Mathematics organized a workshop on 'Basics of Latex' for the students of MSc Mathematics on 9th January 2019. Dr Ramananda H S, HOD & Professor, Dept of Mathematics, St Joseph Engineering College, Vamanjoor was the Resource Person.

Reported by Ms Anupriya Shetty

Reunion of 1981 batch B.Com students

It was a rare sight that 1981 batch B.Com students sat in their respective seats of room no 308, administrative block bringing back all nostalgic memories. Nearly 40 of



them representing all walks of life including professionals, entrepreneurs, academicians, businessmen, bureaucrats, corporate employees, spiritual leaders came together on Sunday, 13-01-2019, from all over globe including Canada, Africa, and Middle East.

Rev. Fr Dionysius Vaz, the Rector and Prof A.M.Narahari, the Registrar while recollecting their stay in the college appreciated them for upholding the lofty ideals of their Alma mater St Aloysius College and also requested for extending their support to the institution. CA Rudolph Rodrigues conducted the proceedings of the meeting.

The former students expressed their gratitude to the institution for moulding them to be responsible citizens and promised to support the institution in all possible ways. They said that they will have another reunion in 2021.

Reported by Dr A.M.Narahari

Clean Drive by NCC

NCC Air wing of St Aloysius College organised a clean drive initiative on 15 January 2019, between 7 to 9am between Jyoti – PVS- MG Road. The kind act helped the students to protect the mother earth and to be exemplary for other to create clean Mangaluru city. All cadets



later watched a movie Uri- The surgical strike which is related to Indian Army. The movie inspired young minds and hearts with its educative values.

Reported by Mr Alwyn Misquith

'Shooting Stars 2019 - Shoot Beyond Boundaries'

The undergraduate department of Journalism of St Aloysius College, Mangalore (Autonomous) organized 'Shooting Stars 2019 - Shoot Beyond Boundaries,' a two day National Level Film and Media festival which aims to provide a platform for students to showcase their talent and interest in filmmaking and photography.

The inaugural event was held on 16 January 2019 at the LF Rasquinha Hall in the campus. The event hosted award-winning actor and director Prathap Pothan as the chief guest.

Other dignitaries on the dais included the President of the function, Rev. Fr Dionysius Vaz SJ, Rector of St Aloysius Institutions, Rev. Dr Melwyn Pinto SJ, HOD Journalism, Staff Coördinator Ms Bhavya Shetty and Student Coordinators Romy Sunny and Larren Menezes.

Dr Pinto, in his welcome address, commented on the widespread international acceptance of Indian song-and-dance films.



Fr Dionysius Vaz in his presidential address stressed on how images create attitudes and attitudes create behaviour. "The media must be counted on to bring out the straightforward truth," he opined.

Mr Pothan, in his talk, stated that there is no such thing as a politically neutral standpoint as each and every film carried with it the ideology of its creator. Further, he expressed his staunch stance on censorship and artistically responsible freedom. Students were given the opportunity of interacting with him and posed thought-provoking questions. Responding to the queries of the audience, he joked on how his realistic portrayal of the antagonist in '22 Female Kottayam' may have elicited a strong reaction from the viewers.

Formerly a short film and documentary competition, this edition of Shooting Stars has evolved into a two-day media festival that celebrates the art of filmmaking. With the theme 'Freedom of Cinema', the fest hopes to encourage budding filmmakers as it has been for over a decade.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

"Rural Children must Learn Light Singing": NaDoJa Dr B.K. Sumithra

The inauguration of the two-day State Level Kannada Light Singing Workshop organised by the Department of Kannada, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) was held on 28 January, 2019 in the College Auditorium. The work-



shop was inaugurated by Dr R. Narasimha Murthy, Former Professor of Sri Gokarnanatheshwara College, Mangaluru. Principal of the College, Rev Dr Praveen Martis, SJ presided over the programme.

Renowned Kannada Singer NaDoJa Dr B.K. Sumithra and Sri B.V. Srinivas, a well known Film Music Director were the Resource Persons.

Dr B. K. Sumithra said that "Music is like an ocean, we must fetch it in our hands." She also said that this noble music must be reached to the rural music lovers and learners.

Dr Narasimhamurthy, in his inaugural address gave a survey of the origin and evolution of Light Music in Kannada.

Presiding over the inaugural, Rev. Dr Praveen Martis acclaimed the achievements and passion of the resource persons towards Kannada Light Music. He said that



they have created a silent revolution in the field of music. He urged the students to make the best use of the workshop and learn light music from these great stalwarts.

This unique workshop is organized for the benefit of students of Colleges and University including teachers for two days in the College Auditorium.

Dr Saraswathi Kumari, HOD of Kannada introduced the guests and welcomed the gathering. Dr Vishwanatha Badikana compered the programme. Ms Sudha Kumari proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

Commercio 2019

COMMERCIO 2019 held from 16-01-2019 to 19-01-2019. At AR 803 at 3.00pm on 16-01-2019, programme was inaugurated by Mr. Jeevan Saldana CEO of Spectrum Industries Mangalore; Principal Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis presided over the programme. Conveners of the programme were Mr. Paul DSouza and Mr. Arjun Prakash.

Advertisement Copy Competition:

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Caroleena

On account of **COMMERCIO-2019**, a weeklong Commerce Fest, Department of Commerce had conducted advertisement copy making competition on 4th January 2019 at 3pm in AR 504. More than hundred students of B.Com first and second year had opportunity to showcase their talent in this event on title '*fitness club*'.

Business Cartoon Competition:

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Suchitra

On the occasion of "COMMERCIO-2019" Business Cartoon competition on the theme "Corporate Culture" was held on 14-01-2019 at 4pm in AR 404. Around 24 students took part.

Judge of the event -Ms.Shilpa.B, Assistant professor, Dept.of Botany

After the judgment cartoon was displayed in the Mother Theresa Peace Park. It is conducted to identify the creativity and artistic talents of the students.

Slogan Slingers:

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Poojari Nisha Gopal

On the occasion of Comercio-2019, on 17th January, 2019, the Department of Commerce organized Slogan Slingers- Voice against Frauds & Scams. 42 teams consisting of two each participated in the event. The participants had to frame slogan against Business Frauds & Scams.

Business Cartoon Competition:

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Helma

On the occasion of "COMMERCIO-2019" the commerce fest, the department of Commerce conducted Commercial Got creativity on 16-01-2019 at 4pm in AR 803. Around 16 teams took part. The winners of the competition are:

Participants were Undergraduate students of the college Judge-Ms Arathi Shanbhag (HOD), BBA Dept. St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru
Ms Runa(Asst. Professor), BBA Dept. St Aloysius College (autonomous), Mangaluru

Inaugural Programme of Comercio-2019:

Chief Guest: Mr. Jeevan Saldanha

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Helma Rodrigues and Ms Prajna

Date & Time: 16.01.2019 at 03.00 PM

Venue: Arrupe Block 803

The Convenor for Comercio-2019 Mr Arjun Prakash welcomed the gathering and the Guest spoke about the

emerging opportunities in entrepreneurship in Mangalore and the chances available for the start ups in Mangalore. The principal Rev Dr Praveen Martis S.J gave his presidential remarks and wished all the best for the success of the program, The program concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Mr Paul Dsouza, Faculty of Commerce. Dr Suresh Poojary the Dean Faculty of commerce was present in the program.

The program was followed by advertisement copy making Competition for the B.Com Students

Lecture on "Tax Reforms":

Speaker: Mr Praveen Kandi, IRS, Assistant Commissioner, Dept. of Indirect Tax and GST, Mangalore

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Renita Aranha, Ms Priyanka, Ms Nisha

Date & Time: 17.01.2019 at 3.00 PM

Venue: Arrupe Block 803

The speaker for the lecture was Mr Praveen Kandi. The resource person was the Assistant Commissioner of Central GST, South Division. Dr Suresh Poojary, the Dean of Commerce, florally welcomed the guest while Sweedal, student from III BCom introduced the speaker.

He began his lecture by questioning the knowledge of students with regard to the GST. In his lecture Mr Kandi discussed about the Reforms in Tax, the different types of tax - direct and indirect tax.

He also explained the procedures to have various goods in GST and the goods which are not in GST, and many other aspects relating to the indirect taxes.

Towards the end of his lecture, he advised the students that there is a wider scope for job opportunities as GST practitioners and he clarified the doubts of the students relating to indirect taxes.

The session concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Ms Ancita Gonzalvis from Final B.Com. Dr Suresh Poojary presented the guest with a memento as a token of gratitude.

Lecture on "Corporate Skills:

Speaker: Dr Preethi Keerthi Dsouza

Faculty Co-ordinator: Ms Saritha Crasta, Ms Rakshitha, Ms Ramya and Mr Shakin Raj

Date & Time: 19.01.2019 at 11.00 AM

Venue: Arrupe Block 803

Valedictory program was organised on the same day. Dr Suresh poojary, Dean Department of Commerce welcomed the gathering, Dr. Preethi keerthi Dsouza was the chief guest and Rev Fr Pradeep Antony SJ, director of Arrupe Block presided over the programme. Ms. Zeena Dsouza conducted the prize distribution ceremony.

The program concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Ms Ramya, Faculty of Commerce. Rev Fr Pradeep Antony SJ presented the guest with a memento as a token of gratitude.

Reported by Mr Arjun Prakash

Students Excellence

List of students selected for Infosys

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Candidate Name	Course
1	162332	Amritha Rajeeva	BSc(PCsM)
2	164692	ASWATHI M	BCA
3	164742	Bushra Abu Mohammed Muktesar	BCA
4	164743	Chithira V L	BCA
5	162361	Harshitha shettigar	BSc(PCsM)
6	164686	HAZEL VANESSA GOMES	BCA
7	162339	Hosanna Vishail	BSc(PCsM)
8	164652	JUNEL MONIS	BCA
9	164756	Kathija Fidha	BCA
10	164757	Kaushik Bhat	BCA
11	164662	Mohammed NP	BCA
12	164768	Neha Kadir Meera Kolkar	BCA
13	164611	Nismy Joseph	BCA
14	164794	Prarthna Sunil	BCA
15	162344	Prathiksha Roshal Dcosta	BSc(PCsM)
16	164770	Premiyalakshmi K	BCA
17	162346	Risha D Souza	BSc(PCsM)
18	162309	Rishika Vishwanath	BSc(PCsM)
19	164673	Saranya Vinod P	BCA
20	164675	Sinchana M N	BCA
21	162310	Sindhura Jagadeesh	BSc(PCsM)
22	164676	SREENITHI SREESAN	BCA

List of students selected for CultFit

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Name	Course
1	179543	RICHEAL MIRANDA	MCom
2	178112	GAANA M J	M Sc Physics

Science Quiz programme: The following team won third place in science Quiz programme held at Vijaya college Mulki on 19th January 2019 organised by the association of physics teachers of Mangalore university.

- 1.Neil Corda, Ist B.Sc PCM, Roll no.182115
- 2.Erol Fernandes,Ist B.Sc PCM, Roll no.182139

Canfest: Following students won prizes in Canfest events (commercial and Scientica) held at Canara college Mangalore on 17th and 18th January 2019

Commercial:

- 1.Gavin Abner pinto , First B.Com F won second place in Public relations
- 2.Sohan , Second BBA A won first place in finance

Scientica:

- 1.June Mariette Montero, 2nd B.Sc, ESM won first place in Infinity war(Maths event)
- 2.Panchami C.Amin, First B.Sc PCM won 2nd place in Quantum Realm(Physics event)
- 3.Erol Joshua, 3rd B.Sc PCsM won 2nd place in Cipher (Coding event)

Hockey: St Aloysius College Men Hockey Team were the Runners Up in the Mangalore University Intercollegiate Hockey Tournament held at Cauvery College, Gonokoppal on 28 & 29 January 2019.



Lasya: Our students are Runners up in the intercollegiate fest "Lasya" held at Jain university Bangalore on 19.1.2019.

Eastern Singing

Solo Singing (1st Place) : *Nisha Fernandes* 2nd BA - 171236

Duet Singing (2nd place) :

Manjunath Shetty - 2nd Bsc - 172407, Aleena M Jose - 3rd Bsc btch - 162992

Eastern singing group

- Valezeena D'souza, 3rd bsc bccz - 162854,
- Viyola Lavita Lobo, 1st bsc- Pcm,
- Sumanth kotian - 2nd Bcom D - 173472,
- Aleena M Jose - 162991—3rd bsc btch
- Savia Dsouza - 3rd BSc - 162967
- Manjunath shetty - 2nd bsc - 172407
- Samarth Prabhu - 17343 - 2nd bcom D
- Crishal Raveena D'souza - 162970 - 3rd Bsc btch
- Nishah - 171236 - 2nd Ba
- Amrith - 174738 - 3rd Bca

Overall championship second place

Spectrum 2018: Vijay Nambiar from 3rd B.Com F had won best screenplay award for his short film "Pointless" in Spectrum 2018, a student film making competition conducted by St Agnes College.

MBA Students Achievements:

NAISSANCE: SDMIMD Mysuru conducted a National Level Inter-collegiate fest on the 1st & 2nd of February 2019. It was named NAISSANCE' (this year's theme) .

The rounds were quite good and there were at least 6-8 rounds for each participating team, with the exception of best manager. There were night tasks as expected and each event as a whole had good insights. We are proud to inform that 1 of our student named **Darren Lewis** has secured 1st Place in Table Tennis & 5 of our students secured 2nd place namely **Terrance Gonsalves & Aysa Lifam** for HR event, **Vishali & Sheeba** for B-QUIZ and **Joel** for Photography, they were awarded with trophies and cash prizes.

Student Excellence

UGC NET EXAM

Ms FIRHAT from Department of Food Science and Technology, cleared the UGC Net exam.



SANKHYA SHASTRA a Statistical Fest:

Our students have secured the overalls in the "Sankhya Shastra" a Statistical fest held on 12.1.2019 at SDM college Ujire conducted by the PG Dept. of Statistics of SDMC Ujire

Seminar: 1st Place

Fathima Zaneeba 3rd BSc Economics



Poster Making: 1st place

Melroy Baptist D Souza 1st BSc Economics

Anvil Mascarenhas, 1st BSc Economics

Quiz: 2nd place

Shabha Tabasum, 3rd BSc PSM

All India Essay Writing Event 2018:

In all India Essay writing event 2018 organised by Shri Ram Chandra Mission United Nations Information Centre and the Heartfulness Education Trust, our students won the following prizes in various categories.

- Yashaswi, First B.C.A, B secured 5th place in state level Kannada Essay

Following students secured consolation merit certificates in English and Kannada Essay writing

- * Audrey Pinto, Final B.Sc(PCM)
- * Muriel Sonal D' Almeida, Final B.Sc(PCM)
- * C.Pavitra, Final B.Sc(PCM)
- * Tiana Riyona Fernandes, First B.Sc(CBZ)
- * Abhilash Hebbar B, First B.Sc(PCM)



Quiz Competition:

The following students won first place in the D.K and Udipi district level intercollegiate Quiz competition held on 5.1.2019 at Vijaya College Mulki conducted by Vijaya college old students association

- 1) Savin Leroy D'Souza Second B.Sc(CBZ)
- 2) Erol Fernandez—First B.Sc(PCM)

Republic Day Parade: CPL MEGHANA from II B.Sc of St Aloysius College (Mangaluru) has been selected for Republic Day Parade that was held in New Delhi on 26th of January 2019.

She has attended 7 camps where she has represented MANGALORE NCC GROUP. Two camps were held in Alva's college Moodbidri in October representing 18 Karnataka Battalion. 3 camps were held at Airforce Base in Bangalore in November 2018. At present she has been representing Karnataka and Goa Directorate in New Delhi 2018-2019. Management, Principal and LT Shakin Raj (ANO) of the college congratulate Meghana for her achievement and wish her best of luck for RDC 2019.



Umang: Our students won first prize in one event in the Hindi fest Umang held on 12.01.2019 at Alva's college Moodbidri. Deekshith Shetty - 3rd BSc PSM 162462, Akhila Divakaran - 3 Bcom F 163613, Mithesh Mascarenhas - 3rd Bsc PCsM 162343, Winston Dsouza - 1 BSc (SCsM) 182417.



Paper Presentation: Sonia Melissa D Souza 163512- III B.Com 'E', Reelesh Alex Cardoza 163562 - III B.Com 'E', Hanson Loy Tauro 163506- III B.Com 'E', participated in the Two day International Conference on 'Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship' and Presented Paper titled 'Intellectual Property Right and Social Entrepreneurship - A Study in Dakshina Kannda' held on 4 & 5 January 2019 at St Agnes College, Mangaluru.

The Following students of our college participated in the Intercollegiate competitions PRAVEGA - Science Fest organized by IISc, Bangalore. Pis Simone Menezes, Caldrida P. D Souza, Eldriena D Silva, Viona Pinto, Savin L D Souza, Russell Mathias, II B.Sc., and Adarsh Thomas I B.Sc.

Student Excellence

NCC Airwing: St Aloysius College, NCC - Air Wing were the runners up in the Drill and Cdt Vineeth from 1st PUC won the best commander award in a State level NCC- three days training and competition organised by Alvas Educational Foundation, Moodabidre on the occasion of Republic day between 23 to 26 January 2019.



Republic Day: St Aloysius College, NCC Air Wing Cadets participated in the March past held on the occasion of Republic day celebration at Nehru Midan, Mangaluru on 26 January 2019.



Aurora Science Fest: Our students won the Overall Championship in the Aurora Science Fest held on 02.02.2019 at St Philomena College, Puttur. Amitha, Tanushka, Caldrida, June and Dipthi of II B.Sc. won the I Place in 'Abhineetha'. Princita and Reshma Rocco, II B.Sc. won the I Place in 'Botanic Rangoli'. Vimilda, II B.Sc. won the I Place in 'Nemesis'; Mahim, I B.Sc. and Aneesh, III B.Sc. won the I Place in 'Etymology'; Caldrida, II B.Sc. won the I Place in 'Polemic'; June, II B.Com. and Dipthi, III B.Com. won the I Place in 'Math Event'. Savin, II B.Sc. and Sidharth, I B.Sc. won the II Place in 'Quiz'. nt. Savin, II B.Sc. and Sidharth, I B.Sc. won the II Place in Quiz.



Collage Competition:

Swathy J - II BSc ESM & Geetha M - II BSc ESM, won the First place in Collage Competition in ECO-NOMICS FEST held at Poornaprajna College, Udipi on 19-01-2019.



Syigma 19: Our BCA students won the Overall Championship once again this year making it the 13th consecutive year of winning the overalls trophy in Syigma 19 held on 24 January 2019 at SDM college, Mangalore. First place in IT quiz: Abhilash 3BCA - B, Amruth 2BCA - A. First place in IT Manager: Alwyn 2 BCA - B. First place in Paper presentation: Asif Ahmed 2BCA - B.



Student Paper Presentation: Swaroop K, Gaana M.J, Shruthi S. S, Shrinidhi, "Studies on Swelling Behaviour of Radiolytically Synthesised PVA/Gelatin Hydrogels", in DAE SSPS Symposium 2018 at Hisar, Haryana.

Samruddhi: Students of Second B.Com 'C' have won the best skit award, in the intercollegiate variety cultural competition "Samruddhi" which was held at Shree Ni-



ranjana Swamy First Grade College, Bajpe on 29th of January, 2019.

Names of the students: Rayan Noronha, B S Shreyas Rai, Vidya Vinitha Veigas K., Joseline Mascarenha, Pooja, Pranitha V Uchil, Devikrishna A., Akshatha Rao, Rohan R Pinto, Abhishek somana C, Joyston Santhosh DSilva, Daniel Lobo, Denzil Dinu Dsouza, Reevean Errol Dsouza, Pooja GS, Basti Ananth, Ponnana, Kiran G. Anola Yaffa Lobo.

Students Excellence

MBA Placement Activities for the month of January

ICICI Bank—30th January 2019.

The following students were successfully placed!!!

Sl. No	Full Name	Sl. No.	Full Name
1	Abdulnasir	36	S Shraddha Shetty
2	Aishwarya Kudigram	37	Sachchin J H
3	Akshaya B	38	Sandra Maria Thomas
4	Ananya	39	Sangeeta Priyadarshini
5	Anjana Mathew	40	Shayesha Lobo
6	Anjusha Prakash	41	Sherin K.S.
7	Anthony J. Nazareth	42	Shetty Manish Shridhar
8	Ashwin Kumar K	43	Shiny Gizzel Dsouza
9	Bedsy Joy	44	Shwetha.M.B
10	Charithra N	45	Sonalin Jovita Pinto
11	Deora Crasta	46	Steny Stephen
12	Gibin George	47	Suprasanna N. Holla
13	Goureesh S Naik	48	Sushanth Shetty
14	Heziel Raisa Dsouza	49	Sushmita B
15	Jane Shine Castelino	50	Sushmitha B S
16	Jisna Paul	51	T Ganesha Madhyastha
17	Jostan Dsouza	52	Tincy Thresia
18	Kamakshi Anant Bhat	53	Varun M
19	Kiran S Poojary	54	Veeramani
20	Krupa Ph	55	Vidyashree Gopal Kharvi
21	Leema Reena Sequeira	56	Vinisha Dsouza
22	Mahamadinus A. Gani	57	Vishna Premanathan
23	Manoj Kumar Hb	58	Wilsy Andria Lasrado
24	Michelle Risha Dmello	59	Abdul Khadar
25	Milton Lobo	60	Deril Dcunha
26	Mohammed Afnan Pc	61	Vignesh Pai
27	Philomena C V	62	Vaibhavi B Chandan
28	Pooja B N	63	Srinivas Bhat
29	Prajwal Gajanan Naik	64	Ryna Pereira
30	Prajwal James Picardo	65	Pragathi Shetty
31	Prasad Arun Shet	66	Joyline Dsouza
32	Risha Trenita Dsilva	67	Aishwarya K M
33	Riya Dash		
34	Roshin Benny		
35	Ruben Steevan Dsouza		

Handball: Champions of Mangalore University Intercollegiate Handball tournament for women. Won the tournament against Alva's College. Scores 13-8



Faculty Recharging

MS RUNA NEFARITA LOBO, Dept. of BBA

Attended -"Workshop on Research Methodology for Women Scholars", a 7 day National Level workshop. It was held at St Joseph's College of Commerce, Bengaluru from Sept 17-23, 2018 organised by SJCC Research Centre.

MS GRACY V. MONTEIRO, Library

Participated in the "Two Day National Workshop on Design & Development of Digital Library Using DSpace" organized by the University Library, Central University of Kerala, Karsargod on 25th & 26th October 2018.

DR. SANTHOSH B, MR. S. RUBAN, MR. S. RUBAN, MS VANITHA T, Dept. of MCA

Attended a one week Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on 'Big Data Analytics with Hadoop' held from 7th to 12th Jan 2019 at SDM Institute of Technology, Ujire

MRS. LAVEENA D'COSTA, Dept. of MCA

Attended a one week TEQUIP III sponsored workshop on "Predictive Analytics and its applications" from 14th Jan 2019 to 18th Jan 2019 at Dept. of Information Technology, NITK, Surathkal.

MRS. R. MANIMOZHI, MRS. ANNAPOORNA SHETTY, Dept. of MCA

Attended a three days Faculty Development Programme on "Big Data" from 17th Jan 2019 to 19th Jan 2019 at Dept of Computer Science and Engineering, St. Josephs Engineering College, Vamanjoor, Mangalore.

Faculty Excellence

DR NORBERT LOBO, Dept. of Economics

CHIEF GUEST : 70th Republic Day Celebration, Mount Carmel Central School, Mangaluru, 26-01-2019

CHAIRPERSON : Technical Session on "Challenges of Social Development in Contemporary India" in the National Seminar on Social Development in India: Challenges and Strategies, organised by SDM College (Autonomous) Ujire and Dept of Development Studies, Kannada University, Hampi, Ujire, 21-01-2019

CHAIRPERSON: Technical Session on "Impact of Digitalisation on Health Care Management and Operational Techniques", in the National Seminar "India in the Web of Digitalisation" organised by PG Depts of Economics and Commerce, St Aloysius College(Autonomous), Mangaluru, 16-01-2019

RESOURCE PERSON on "Community Awareness and Empowerment Workshop to Priests and Religious of Shirva Deanery Pastoral Council", Shirva, 15-01-2019

RESOURCE PERSON on "Challenges before Teachers in Dealing with the Adolescents in a Rapidly Changing Family and Social Values" in the Seminar "Dignity and Identity of a Catholic Teacher" organized by Karwar Diocese Education Commission, Karwar, 06-01-2019.

Faculty Excellence

REV. DR PRAVEEN MARTIS SJ- PRINCIPAL

Certificate of Appreciation Awarded to Rev. Dr Praveen Martis SJ in recognition and appreciation for his valuable service as a Resource Person on the topic



Research, Innovations, Extension & Best Practices in the one day workshop on Revised Assessment and Accreditation Framework of NAAC held on January 05, 2019 at Kathir College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.

REV. DR MELWYN PINTO SJ - PG Dept. of Journalism & Mass Communication

Presented a paper titled, "Missionary Contribution to print and journalism in coastal Karnataka" at the national seminar organised by Department of Christian Studies, University of Kerala, Trivandrum, on January 11, 2019.

MS CHARLOTTE D'SOUZA, Dept. of Chemistry

Attended Refresher Course offered by university of Mumbai from 12 Nov to 1 Dec. A three weeks course on **Recent Advances in Chemical Sciences and Technology** offered various insights into the latest developments and technological advancements in the field of chemistry. A detailed presentation regarding an advanced field of development was done by each candidate. The program also included an industrial visit to IMRA rubber industry to gauge the advanced techniques that have been adopted to test samples. There was also a visit to the Nano-centre Lab managed by Mumbai University where candidates were exposed to new equipments used to synthesize and characterize nano-materials.



MS RUNA NEFARITA LOBO, Dept. of BBA
Cleared NET exam in December 2018

Our Staff members performed "ASHOKA", a musical skit during the Foundation day—Jan 12, 2019 Cultural programme held at St Aloysius High school Hall.

Congratulations to the entire team for the wonderful performance



MS CAROLEENA JANEFER, Dept. of Commerce

Published Paper "Performance Review of Banking Ombudsman Scheme" in UGC refereed journal, International Journal of Research & Analytical Review" (Impact factor 5.75) Volume 5, Issue 4, Oct-Dec 2018.

MR V. K. NILAKANTHAN, PG Dept. of Physics

Research Publication: V. K. Nilakanthan, V. C. Shastry, S. Raghavendra, and K. B. Vijaya Kumar, "Effect of Confinement of Gluons and One Pion Exchange in Nucleon-Nucleon Interaction", arXiv.org/1809.00539v2.

DR. HEMALATHA N, PG Dept. of MCA

Resource person for National workshop on Bioinformatics on 29th Jan'2019 co-sponsored by KSCTE, Trivandrum at Nehru College, Kanhangad
Attended as panel member of the Interview board for the selection of Assistant Professor (Computer Science) at College of Agriculture, Nileshwar on 25th jan'2019

DR PRIYA SHETTY, PG Dept. of Economics

Has been awarded Ph.D Degree for her thesis titled "Health and Healthcare Determinants: A Study in Dakshina Kannada District" by Thumkur University. She was ably guided by Dr Norbert Lobo, **HOD** - Dept. of Economics., St Aloysius College(Autonomous)



MR VINEETH KUMAR K, Dept. of Zoology

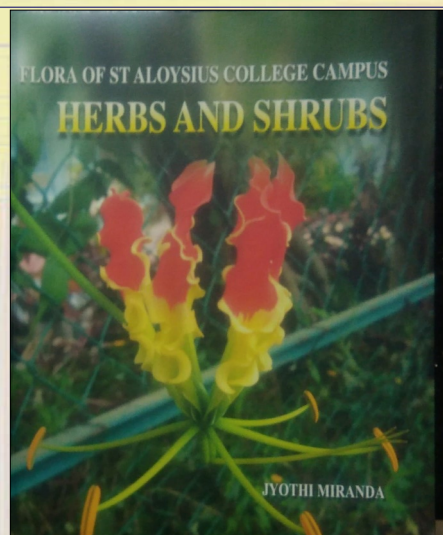
A new species of frog discovered by Mr Vineeth Kumar K, Dept. of Zoology Mangaluru. A narrow mouthed frog is featured as top discoveries in 2018. This species was discovered from Industrial area of Mangalore (Baikampady) and the work was published in May 2018 in International journal 'Zootaxa'



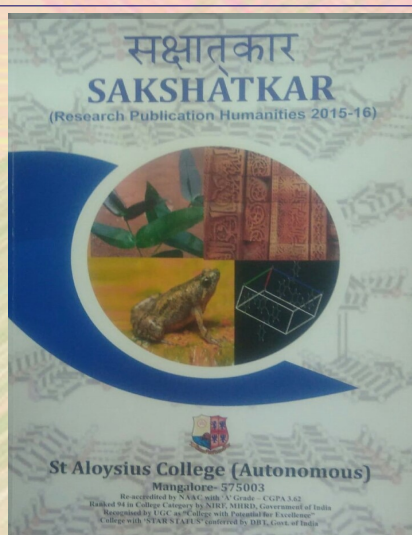
MR VIMAL JOHN K C, DEPT. OF BBA

Has Authored a book titled "Eight short stories"

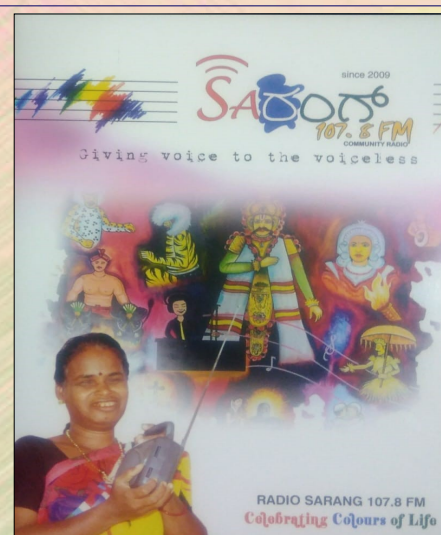
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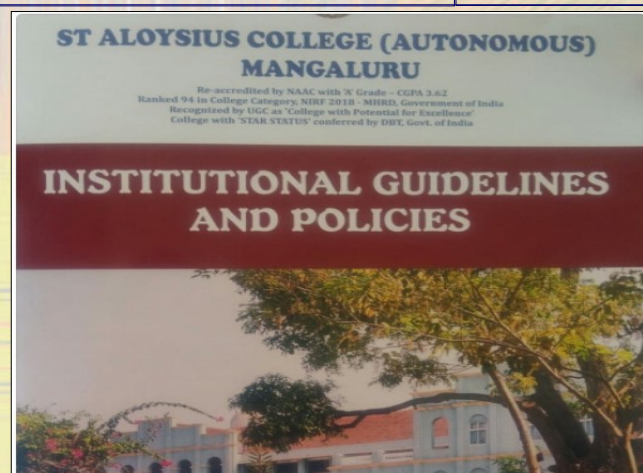
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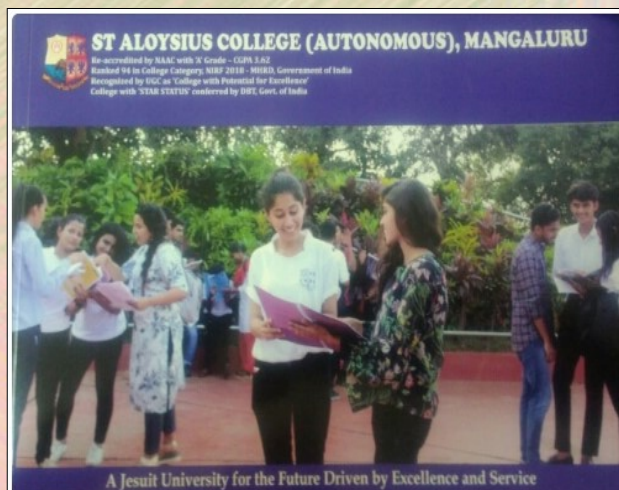
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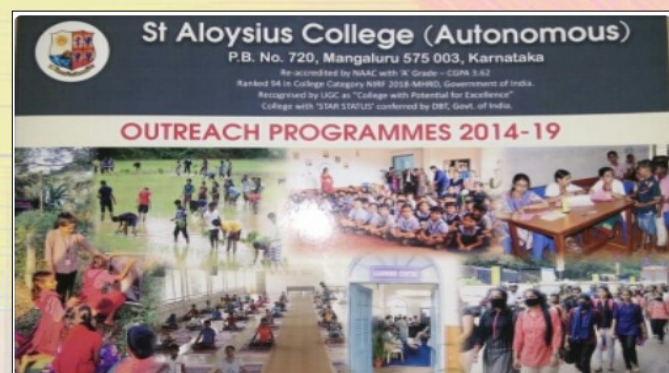
RADIO SARANG 107.8 FM by Rev. Dr Melwyn Pinto, Dept. of Journalism & Mass Communication



Institutional Guidelines and 10 Policies—Compiled by Dr Alwyn D Sa, Director-Admin Block



Coffee Table Book of the College by Dr Alwyn D Sa, Director-Admin Block



Outreach Programmes 2014-19, Compiled by Ms Shwetha Rasquinha PG Dept. of Social Work

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