**REPORT OF THE ACTIVITIES OF ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT**

**2021-2022**

Programmes were organized by our department to alight the students on different issues of the economy. Dr.Hemasrikumar, Head of the Department, conducted the meeting along with the staff members for this academic year and the following students were selected as the Department Council members.

Riya Ravi of III B.A. Economics was selected as President

Sandhiya .S of III B.A Economics was selected as Vice- President

Kanishka.R .of II B.A. Economics was selected as Secretary

Sandhiya .K of I B.A. Economics was selected as Treasurer

* On 5th August 2021, Tally orientation was given to the students of our department. 31students were enrolled. Mr.Karthik, Founder and Director, Zenith Career Wings Academy, conducted the tally coaching classes three days in a week. Certificates were given to students after conducting a written examination.
* On 6th August 2021, Mrs.Karunambikai Assistant Professor &, Co-ordinator of EDP Cell gave an orientation and enrolled students for the EDP programme for the academic year. The EDP course includes the following activities:
* Baking cakes,
* Cookies,
* Home-made chocolates
* On 20th August 2021, our students participated in the Pookolam Contest organised by Student council in an Insta page in the Instagram app.
* On 26thAugust 2021, our department staff members honoured Dr.Hemasrikumar, Associate Professor & Head for completing 25years of service in Providence college.
* On 12th September 2021, II M.A students were motivated to take-up their project concerning different issues of the society.
* On 12thOctober 2021, Doctoral committee (Ph.D) was conducted for Ms. I.Indumathy under the guidance of Dr.Hemasrikumar, Associate Professor & Head and Research supervisor. Dr.K.Shobha, Associate Professor & Head Government Arts & Science College, Coimbatore was the external examiner who gave valuable inputs and suggestions to the candidate in her research work.
* On 22ndOctober, our students went to Kundha-Kotagiri tribal villages as a part of outreach program. Our students successfully participated in creating awareness on education and distributed sweets & clothes for the needy people.
* On 23rd October 2021, our Dept NCC Cadets participated in the FIT INDIA FREEDOM street play and successfully created awareness among the public.
* On 29th and 30thOctober 2021, Dr.C.Jeeva, Assistant Professor & Co-ordinator of the Department Association, planned activities with the team and organized “ECOZAR 2021-2022” cultural event for two days. The theme was to highlight the importance of Multi-culture in all the events. In order to bring the hidden talents of the students in writing and innovative skills, various events were organized such as Essay writing, Elocution ,Photography, Pencil Sketching, Wealth out of waste, Eco-Quiz, Face Painting, Nail Art &, Mehndi and Flameless cooking. Cultural activities were conducted which consisted of Solo song, Solo Dance, Dual dance, Group Song, Group Dance and Ramp Walk and Adapt tune .Our students participated actively in all events and won many prizes.
* On 30th November 2021, our department conducted one day Workshop on “JOB ORIENTED COURSES”, Mrs.Subhashini Ganapathy, Chartered Accountant, Subhashini Associates, Chennai was the resource person who motivated the students regarding challenging courses and opportunities available across the nation for Students.
* On 4th December 2021, Doctoral committee (Ph.D) was conducted for Mrs.J.Karunambikai, Research scholar under the guidance of Dr.Hemasrikumar, Associate Professor &Head and Research supervisor. Dr.M.Kannan, Associate Professor & Head CBM College, Coimbatore was the external examiner who gave valuable inputs and recommended recent updates to the Candidate in her research work.
* On 6th December 2021, our department has organised ISHA YOGA orientation for all the III UG Students of various disciplines. The Isha Co-ordinator was Maa. Ameesha, ISHA FOUNDATION, Coimbatore. Maa spoke about Young Generation Suicidal Survey. She spoke about the stress that young students are undergoing and not accepting the reality of competitive world.
* On7th January 2022, Doctoral committee (Ph.D) was conducted for Mrs.PriyankaRajan, Research scholar under the guidance of Dr.Hemasrikumar , Associate Professor &Head and Research supervisor. Dr.ThaiyalNayagi, Associate Professor &Head Government Arts College, Mettupalayam was the external examiner who gave valuable inputs and suggested the Candidate in her research work.
* On 21 &23rd February 2022, our department organised Neuro Linguistic Program orientation for I year and the Economics students (II B.A, III.B.A, I.M.A, II M.A) respectively.
* On 10th March 2022, M.Phil Viva-voce examination was conducted by Dr.Hemasrikumar, Head of the department and Research supervisor of the candidate Mr. R. Karthikeyan on the topic “A Study on Environmental sustainability practices in Hotel Industries in India With Special Reference to Nilgiris District.”
* On 17th March 2022, Doctoral committee (Ph.D) was conducted for Mrs.Asha, Research scholar under the guidance of Dr.Hemasrikumar, Associate Professor & Head and Research supervisor. Dr.C.Athena, Assistant Professor, PSGR Krishnammal College For Women, Coimbatore was the external examiner who gave valuable inputs to the Candidate about her research work.
* Dr.C.Athena, Assistant Professor, PSGR Krishnammal College for Women, Coimbatore gave a motivational talk on women entrepreneur to our department students and shared her life skill experience in higher education.
* On 18th March 2022, our III.B.A students for Industrial visit as a part of EDP cell to Sirumugai. Our students were excited to see the mushroom cultivation and temperature mode for harvesting directly.
* On 4th April 2022, our department EDP students decided to organise Mega Food stall event along with outreach program committee. Our students were motivated and made reasonable profits as expected.
* On 5th April 2022, our department conducted one day Workshop on “WOMEN EMPOWERMENT ”, Dr. Gayathri Ramachandran, Correspondent & Principal of Sri Natasan Vidyasala, MHSS, Chennai was the resource person who motivated the students on successful women entrepreneurs.
* The Scientific Research Association of Economics and Finance, Chennai (SRAEF) has organized KYE Test along with the Department of Economics, for all the UG students of the department on 27th April, 2022. Dr.C.Jeeva, Assistant Professor, Providence College for Women, gave the general instructions to appear for this test, where the participants are honoured with cash prize along with the “Young Economist” award. Dr.C.Hemalatha, Assistant Professor, Providence College for Women, visited the exam hall for motivating the students to excel in this Test. around 85 students appeared in this test enthusiastically.
* On 13th May 2022, Ph.D scholars and rank holders of 2019 batch – 2020 batch students were honoured by our honourable Governor Mr. R.N.Ravi, Education Minister Mr.Ponnmudi and Senior scientist Dr.Sivan. 37th Convocation Day was celebrated at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore.
* On 20th May 2022, Ph.D Viva-voce examination of Ms.R.Arthi on the topic “Health insecurity of Informal Industrial workers with special reference Engineering and Textile workers in Coimbatore District“ was conducted successfully under the guidance of Dr.Hemasrikumar, Head and Research Supervisor.
* On 27th May 2022, Association Valediction was organized and winners were honoured with prizes and certificates.

We thank Rev. Sr. Secretary and Rev. Sr. Principal for the constant motivation to conduct all the programmes and we thank the almighty for the countless blessings.