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#### **FROM THE** PRINCIPAL'S DESK

# REINVENTING EDUCATIONAL PROCESS THROUGH TECHNOLOGICAL INTEGRATION

n a globalised world with ever-changing technological innovations, reinventing and upgrading skills are a necessity to climb the ladder of success. The ability to learn and adapt is important with time and situations are crucial in changing times. Higher education institution has a vital role in moulding students to be a lifelong learner, by developing skills for teamwork, cooperation and participation actively and democratically.

Kristu Jayanti College, founded in 1999, strives to fulfil its mission to provide educational opportunities to all aspiring youth to excel in life by developing academic excellence, fostering values, creating civic responsibility and building global competencies in a dynamic environment. The college is an adobe of learning sustained on the pillars of faith, integrity, dignity and excellence. With the student-centric approach, interdisciplinary syllabus, a plethora of skill development programmes and holistic development activities, the college provides quality training for the student community to be a globally relevant, productive and innovative member of the community.

Inclusive education serves as an indispensable characteristic of modern learning. At Kristu Jayanti College, we provide holistic learning experience by modernising the provision of instruction, curricula, co-curricular, learning environments, assessment and learning outcomes to meet contemporary learning needs. Our student community from across the country and all over the world, with diverse backgrounds and far-ranging talents and interests is a testimony of the inclusive learning environment. Jayantian Glimpses is an endeavour that encapsulates the achievements and activities of our dynamic student and teaching community.

I appreciate the effort taken by the Editorial team of Jayantian Glimpses to bring out this publication.

#### Fr. Dr. Augustine George CMI

Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous)

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Kristu Jayanti College, Autonomous is devoted to safeguard and conserve the environment by espousing an eco-friendly ambience. It constantly endeavours to maintain an eco-friendly green campus and inculcate the idea of sustainable development in the minds of youth and train them in the management of renewable and non-renewable resources and waste for a safe and healthy environment for the present and future generations. The institution believes in preserving the planet for the next generation and has implemented numerous environmental strategies to inculcate environmental consciousness among its students and to the local community to which it is part. Recently, the college was rated as a Green Campus and certified with the 'GOLD RATING' from All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) in collaboration with the International Institute of Waste Management (IIWM).





#### **INFRASTRUCTURE**

The institution invests heavily on infrastructure to keep pace with the changing needs and profile of the student population. To catch up with the scientific and technological advancements, parallel upgradation of facilities in the form of laboratories, library and other learning resources like computers, e-resources and Wi-Fi facility are carried on as an ongoing activity. Physical facilities have been expanded to create an ambience conducive for academic excellence and holistic development. Various departments and administrative sections are housed in the Administrative Block and the Main Block. The MBA and MCA programmes function in a separate block. The college provides spacious class rooms, libraries, auditoria, laboratories, conference halls, panel rooms, recording studio, music room, performing arts centre, gymnasium and sports facilities. Besides Computer Science and Bioscience laboratories, the Electronics lab, Physics lab, Psychology lab, Commerce lab, Language lab and Media lab integrate technology effectively into the teaching-learning process.



#### Library

The college library is a gateway to a world of information. The staff and students have unlimited access to the wealth of information in resources like books, magazines, newspapers, journals, statistical database, encyclopedia, annual reports, dissertations, project reports and the internet. The library also has digital resources including a myriad collection of CDs, databases, e-journals, software and projects. There are separate rooms for group discussion, reading and cubicles for personal study. Moreover, an e-library has been set up for e-resources.

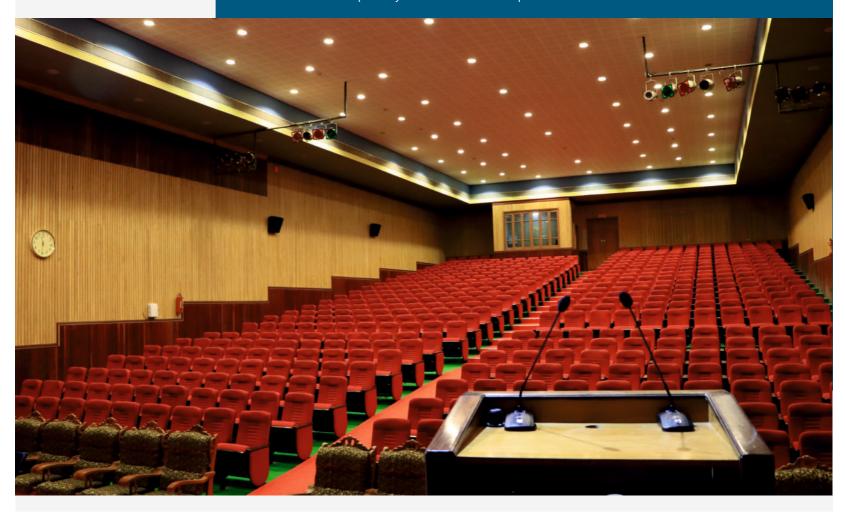
#### **Bioscience Lab**

The department of Life Sciences features six hi-tech laboratories for Genetics, Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Botany and Forensic Science. These labs are adequately equipped to serve the students with a scientific temperament and enable them to pursue projects and research. With the latest instruments and facilities in the laboratories, the students perform various scientific experiments in the respective fields in the labs.



### Auditoria

The institution ensures adequate facilities for teaching-learning, augments its infrastructural facilities according to the growing needs of the institution and endeavours to create a conducive academic ambience. There are 24 common spaces such as auditoria, conference halls and seminar halls for interactive programmes. Discussion rooms, mock interview cabins, panel rooms and board rooms are also available to facilitate career and personality development. Besides, spaces are provided for skill development, entrepreneurship and start-up ventures. These facilities of the institution are utilised optimally for the holistic development of the students.



#### Computer Lab

The computer lab is designed with state-of-the-art technology and is equipped with all the major application softwares for imparting quality education. The internet equipped lab is open beyond academic hours to meet the computing needs of the students. Effective lab assistance is provided during lab sessions to give a helping hand to students in handling problems they might encounter and to equip them to excel in the practical process of programming. Our advanced digital infrastructure helps to overcome the constraints of the classroom with the help of Wi-Fi facility which helps to login from anywhere in the campus and facilitates the students to reach vast resources of knowledge.







Vichaarmanthan - is an interactive program organized by the Kristu Jayanti College, where students are exposed to Indian and Global visionaries. The global experts address the students on education, business, science, tech and creativity and encourage them to be globally competent.

Vichaarmanthan literally means churning of ideas, and exactly this happens through the fruitful discussions. This interactive series with Indian and Global visionaries has brought many institutional heads to our campus like, Lok Ayukta, IIM Directors, and IIT Directors.

The objective behind this creative forum is to maintain a regular interaction with the industry as well as academia and to discuss the upcoming trends in various disciplines. In Vichaarmanthan, every session is specifically tailored to our students' requirement, and is thought provoking, interactive and challenging which will positively impact their well-being.

# Role and Place of Communication in Development: Implications for the Field

Interaction with **Dr Srinivas Melkote** 

### Importance of Dreaming Big and Having a Goal





he Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised the 44th edition of Vichaarmanthan on the theme, "Role and Place of Communication in Development: Implications for the Field" on 18 December 2020. Dr. Srinivas Melkote, Professor Emeritus, School of Media and Communication, Bowling Green State University, USA was the chief speaker.

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organises the prestigious "Vichaarmanthan" programme every year, inviting dynamic global and Indian visionaries to impart insightful knowledge and generate stimulating dialogues on the significant role of media and communication in the contemporary society.

Giving a historical background to the principle of development communication and its relevance, Dr. Srinivas said there are certain limitations to the



# Role and Place of **Communication in Development: Implications for the Field**

#### Interaction with **Dr Srinivas Melkote**

various paradigms of development in the past and there is a need to address the problems with the current changing scenario. Highlighting development at the most basic level of improvement in the living conditions of people, he pointed out two parameters of development - 'access to resources' and 'improving human capability to enjoy the good things in life'.

Emphasizing on the relevance of communication for development, he said 'today, the field of development is satisfying and thriving, and is still based on access to resources. He further said communication plays a very important role in our social and cultural transmission. He emphasized on how media and communication play an important role in reducing the problems relating to empowerment and inequality. Dr. Srinivas enlightened students on the importance of political, social, and cultural awareness in the development process.

The lecture sparked many interesting questions from the participants and provided a dynamic discussion among the expert and the participants. After the talk, iCAN, an e-magazine prepared by final year MA in Journalism and Mass Communication (MA JMC) students was published online by chief guest Dr. Srinivas and Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous). The emagazine covers a wide range of articles on various aspects of COVID-19 and provides invaluable information about the pandemic at the individual and community level.





# **Importance of Dreaming Big and Having a Goal**

Interaction with Shri. B Thiagarajan

ristu Jayanti College organised the 43rd edition of Vichaarmanthan on 17 December 2020. Shri. B Thiagarajan, Managing Director, Blue Star Ltd, was the resource person for the Vichaarmanthan. It is a platform for students to interact with global visionaries.

Shri. Thiagarajan spoke about the importance of dreaming big and having a goal. He shared his early childhood experiences and how he followed and believed in the power of dreaming. He motivated and encouraged students to dream and work hard towards achieving and fulfilling it. He also shared his failure stories to urge that no matter how much every downfall you experience in your life, you can overcome it if you have willpower.

Shri Thiagarajan also shared his industrial

experience with L&T, Tata Voltas and Blue Star Ltd. He talked about a few core values like innovation, creativity and self-confidence that kept him moving forward in his career. He emphasised the power these values can create in individuals' lives and encouraged them to cultivate these thoughts and values to move ahead. He also talked about how one should follow their passion in their life because ultimately, that's what brings individual happiness and success. He also shared his thoughts regarding how spirituality brings joy and peace to an individual and the power of prayers, which helps an individual overcome every situation put forward in front of them. He also addressed various questions that were put forward by the students at the end of the session.



# INTERNATIONAL LECTURE SERIES

**International Expert Lecture on Pedagogies for the Classroom** 

International Expert lecture on 'Fingerprints at the Crime Scene'

**International Expert Lecture on Career Advancement in Forensic Science** 

International Lecture Series on 'The New World Order'

International Webinar on 'Future of Crime Scene Investigation'

**Interactive Lecture on 'The Importance of Higher Education in Today's Dynamic Business Environment'** 

KRISYM: A \$5 Trillion Economy —Resurgence and Resilience in the Post COVID 19 World

International Expert Lecture Series on 'Viral Vectors: Overcoming Hurdles for Commercialization of Gene Therapy'

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**International Guest Lecture on Supply Chain & Global Supply Chain** 

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International Webinar on Future of Crime Scene Investigation

















# International Expert Lecture on Pedagogies for the Classroom

The Department of English (PG) of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised an International Expert Lecture on 'Pedagogies for the Classroom' on 28 October 2020. Dr. Austin Dwyer from Durham University was the resource person.

He broached the topic by vividly bringing the aims of teaching under focus, namely Evidence-based approach, Cognitive load theory, Spaced repetition, Deliberate practice, etc. He elaborated on the Scaffolding method and how to help students focus, navigate, analyse and apply it in their practical lives.

Dr. Dwyer emphasised how the teachers could involve and interact with the children to know what they feel and think and why they believe what they are supposed to learn is essential for their lives. Another practical application in



pedagogy which Dr. Dwyer elaborated on was recollection. He concluded on methods that ensured that the most critical and most accurate information that can be ingrained in young minds rather than cramming and rote learning especially in the English Language as there where a lot of sentence formations and rearrangement of words taking place.

#### International Expert lecture on 'Fingerprints at the Crime Scene'



The Department of Life Sciences organised an International Expert Lecture on 'Fingerprints at the Crime Scene' on 9 December 2020. Dr. Mike McCutcheon, Instructor, Forensic Education LLC, was the speaker for the session. The session started with a brief introduction by Mr

Don Caeiro, Assistant Professor of Forensic Science, followed by the presidential address by Dr. Vijayanand S, Coordinator and Assistant Professor (UG), Department of Life Sciences.

Dr. Mike spoke about fingerprint analysis at crime scenes. He provided insight into fingerprints and traced various developments in the field and its importance to forensic science. He further demonstrated the development of fingerprints on surfaces like glass, porcelain, textured surface, car door handles etc. He used different techniques of development and lifting while explaining the benefit of one technique over the other. Dr. Mike explained the recent developments made in the field of fingerprint development and analysis. The session helped students to gain insight into the application of technology in the field of forensic science.

# International Expert Lecture on Career Advancement in Forensic Science

orensic Science, a unit of the Department of Life Sciences, organised an International Expert Lecture titled 'Career Advancement in Forensic Science' on October 28, 2020. The resource person was Mrs. Shraddha Nyati, Instructor, learnToupgrade, USA. Mrs. Nyati focused on the versatility of Forensic Science in determining the various career opportunities and further highlighted the substantive merit of the domain in any field of employability

#### International **Lecture Series on** 'The New World Order'

he Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti college (Autonomous) organised a virtual International Lecture Series on "The New Global Order" on 16 April 2021. Mr. Michael Kugelman, Deputy Director and Senior Associate for South Asia Wilson Center, Washington, USA was the keynote speaker. Speaking on how the global order has changed during the course of the pandemic, Mr. Kugelman said, "there was anxiety as well as great hope among people across the world to unite and fight against Covid 19 pandemic. But the initial cooperation and unity didn't last long. Instead, it has resulted in creating instability in international relations". He further added that the lack of collaborative effort, divisive and toxic nationalism created a vacuum for global leadership.

A specialist on Afghanistan, India, and Pakistan and their relations with the United States, Mr. Kugelman spoke about how South Asia repositioned itself during the pandemic. He said that geographically South Asia is central to the world. South Asian countries have much to offer to the rest of the world through its dynamic human resource. "Large youth population and growing middle class can contribute



significantly to global economy", said Mr. Kugelman. He also highlighted the issues dominating in South Asia and said, "disputes between India and Pakistan have paralysed South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC). China's growing influence in the region, its territorial provocation, Belt and Road Initiative and wolf warrior diplomacy have further aggravated the tensions in the region".

Speaking on India's role in the changing world order, Mr. Kugelman said, "India should position itself as a 'soft power' rather than a 'hard power'. It had taken the world's center stage by playing a significant role in distributing pharmaceuticals and covid vaccines to various nations". He concluded the session by speaking about the issues that could arise with the NATO nations' military withdrawal from Afghanistan.

#### International Webinar on 'Future of Crime Scene Investigation'

orensic Science, a unit of the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Webinar titled 'Future of Crime Scene Investigation' on March 26, 2021. The Presidential Address by Rev. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru, delineated the prerequisite for practical knowledge in Forensic Science.

The Chief Guest, Shri. Maithili Sharan Gupta, IPS, National President Crime Free Bharat Mission & Former DGP (Police Reforms) Madhya Pradesh, in his Inaugural Address, explicated the scope and future ambitions of the Crime Free Bharat Mission under the Government of India.

The Webinar had four scientific sessions titled 'Accident Investigation and its Dynamics,' '3D Crime Scene Scanning

- Evolution, Documenting and Analyzing a Fire Scene', 'Bullet Trajectory and Blood Spatter Analysis in 3D' and 'Crime Scene Reconstruction: From the Foundation to the Future.' The resource persons were Dr. Sally Lukose, Professor and Dean of School of Allied Health Sciences, Sharda University, Greater Noida and the Head of Academic-cum-Forensic Science Department, College of Traffic Management, Institute of Road Traffic Education (IRTE), Faridabad, Dr. Satendra Yadav, Public Safety Expert & Crime Scene Trainer, Leica Geosystems, Switzerland, Mr. Brad Joice, Detective Sergeant, York Regional Police, Ontario, Canada, Mr. Zachery Kowalske, Detective & Crime Scene Reconstructionist, Roswell Police Department, Georgia, United States respectively.

### Interactive Lecture on 'The Importance of **Higher Education in Today's Dynamic Business Environment'**

he Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Lecture Series on July 12, 2019. Ms. Teresa Jacobs, Director, ISDC, UK, delivered an interactive lecture on 'The Importance of Higher Education in Today's Dynamic Business Environment'. The lecture addressed the

multifarious approaches adopted by the higher education sector to manage the competitive business environment. The speaker shed light on the significance of higher education in meeting the holistic development of the student community.

#### KRISYM: A \$5 Trillion Economy – Resurgence and Resilience in the Post COVID 19 World

ristu Jayanti School of Management organised the 14th International Conference KRISYM 2021 on the theme 'A \$5 Trillion Economy - Resurgence and Resilience in the Post COVID 19 World' on 7 & 8 January 2021. KRISYM 2021, the two-day international conference was inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Dr. Philip G Laird, Vice President, Innovation, Global and Academic Partnerships, Trinity Western University, Canada. Fr. Dr Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) delivered the presidential address.

Dr. Philip spoke about the various recovery patterns postpandemic COVID 19 and on the resilient journey ahead specifically for India. He critically assessed the opportunities and the challenges that India would face in its journey to reach the \$5trillion mark. He attributed this challenging journey to the committed leaders of India and their efforts.

The first day of the conference comprised of two keynote sessions and a plenary session. Dr. Easwaramoorthy Rangaswamy, Principal & Provost, Amity Global Institute, Singapore, spoke on Skills & Workforce Development Strategies - Post COVID. Dr Chen Liu, Director of MBA Programs, School of Business, Trinity Western University, Canada, addressed the topic 'Resilience Business Continuity Plans - Post-COVID' citing the dip in the US economy. She concluded her speech by attributing the innovation and digitalisation to the economic resilience in the coming days.

On the second day of KRISM, Dr. Doug Gilbert, Founder & CEO of Edupartner Solutions, Principal of Lone Tree Academics, Colorado, USA, delivered the keynote address on 'Teaching Resilience in Management.' He defined resilience at three levels - personal level, group & team

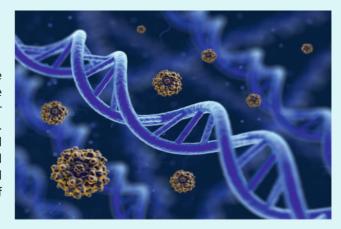


level and the organisation & environment level. The fourth keynote session was chaired by Dr. Prasad Padmanabhan, Professor of Finance, Myra Stafford Pryor Chair of Free Enterprise, Sam Walton Fellow, St. Mary's University, Texas, USA, on the topic 'Banking & Financial Services Sector'. Dr Prasad warned that many of the banks are in a cushion zone with a lot of liquidity and moving forward they might slip into a caution zone.

Dr. Mark Halvorson, Associate Dean, Leadership Program, Trinity Western University, graced the valedictory session with his enriching address. Dr. Mark elaborated on one of the most significant challenges that the leaders face: 'The Curse of Knowledge'. He also explained the ingenuity gap by Homer Dixon, the matrix of systems learning and leadership, the self-leadership, team leadership, organisational leadership and the whole ecosystem leadership and the core competencies that are to be developed.

### **International Expert Lecture Series** on 'Viral Vectors: Overcoming **Hurdles for Commercialization of Gene Therapy**'

he Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Expert Lecture Series on 'Viral Vectors: Overcoming Hurdles for Commercialization of Gene Therapy' on September 15, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Sam Laurel Stephen, Principal Scientist, National Biologics Centre, Darlington, United Kingdom. Dr. Stephen shared his research on lentiviral and retroviral uses for gene transfer, emphasizing the concept of virus gene modification and its success in research.



# International Virtual Conference on Sustainable Biotechnology



The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), conducted an International Virtual Conference on "Sustainable Biotechnology" on 18 and 19 March 2021. Prof.M.Krishnan, the Honourable Vice-Chancellor of Madurai Kamaraj University, Tamil Nadu, was the chief guest of the programme.

Sustainable development has become indispensable in the current world, as it constitutes a strong support factor for the process of facing crises and the need for conserving the available natural resources from being over-exploited. The transformations that happened during the last few decades due to the significant evolution of biotechnology research have now reached a stage of explaining living processes at the molecular level. Prof. M. Krishnan insisted on a practical approach in Biotechnology and the application of microbial products to bring about sustainability in health and agriculture. Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous)

Bangalore, stated that the focus should be on finding new strategies towards using natural resources and maintaining a sustainable ecosystem through a biotechnological approach.

The conference explored the avenues of sustainable development through Biotechnology. The two-day programme included six technical sessions delivered by international experts and three panels for research paper presentations mainly focused on Green Energy, Biotechnology & Health, Sustainable Crop Production, Environmental Monitoring, Biofertilizers & Biopesticides, Environmental Biotechnology and Drug Discovery. The technical sessions were on the topics "Bacterial Honeycomb" by Dr. Thamarai Kannan, University of Bedfordshire, UK, "Microalgae based Biorefineries" by Dr. Nidia Caeteno, University of Porto, Portugal, "Pathogenesis Mechanism and Emerging Therapeutic Options for Covid 19" by Dr. Saravanan, Mekelle University, Ethiopia, "Physics- Based and AI- Based Computational Strategies for Drug Discovery: In Silico Screening and Multi-Parametric Compound Optimization" by Dr. Anil Nair, Icagen Ligand Company, US, "Microbial Conversion of Greenhouse Gases into Value-added Products" by Dr. Lisa Stein, University of Alberta, Canada, "Sustainable Manufacturing of Biosurfactants Challenges and Possibilities of Research and Industry" was delivered by Dr. Rahman, Tara Biologicals, UK.

The conference provided major insights to promote sustainability in the society and environment through biotechnology.

# International Guest Lecture on Supply Chain & Global Supply Chain

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Guest Lecture on 'Supply Chain & Global Supply Chain' on January 07, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Dinesh S Dave, Professor & Head, Department of Computer Information Systems & Supply Chain Management, John Walker College of Management, Appalachian State University, North Carolina, USA. Dr. Dave initiated the session with an elementary introduction to supply chain management and the processes involved quoting examples of Amazon, Flipkart, and Target. The speaker enumerated the three essential flows in the chain - Product, Information, and Finance.



#### International Lecture on 'Artificial Intelligence and Deep Learning Revolution'

he Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Lecture on 'Artificial Intelligence and Deep Learning Revolution' on January 21, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Guy Brown, Head, Department of Computer Science, University of Sheffield, UK. The lecture set the groundwork for understanding the differences between Artificial Learning and Machine Learning and how to apply both principles in the real-world scenario.



#### International Lecture on 'Science Adventures: **Unravelling Mysteries** One Experiment at a Time'



he DBT star college scheme aims at inspiring undergraduate students to take up experimental science as their career and to instil the practical skills that are required to achieve this. After the sanctioning of the scheme to the Department of Life Sciences in February 2020, the department has been keen on organising events and activities that would contribute to the achievement of

this goal. The inspire lecture series is yet another step towards the goal. Through the lecture series, undergraduate students will be introduced to the complicated yet interesting process of scientific inquiry through interactions with researchers and industrialists from across the globe. The first lecture in the series was organised on the topic 'Science Adventures: Unravelling Mysteries One Experiment at a Time' on 26 February 2020. The second lecture was organised on 05 March 2021. Dr. Jospeh Jose Thottacherry, Research Associate, St. Johnston Laboratory, Welcome Trust/CRUK Gurdon Institute, University of Cambridge was the resource person for the session. An accomplished young researcher in the field of cell biology, Dr. Joseph focused on the basic concepts of the scientific method in his talk. He took the students on an interesting journey through his experiences as a budding scientist. He explained how research problems are identified and hypotheses are generated to solve the problem. He elaborated on the various aspects of designing experiments to prove/ disprove the hypothesis. He also explained how critical it is to be cautious while inferring causalities and how not to make mistakes. The session was interactive throughout by the active participation of the students.

#### International Webinar and Alumni Interaction on 'Applications of Mass Spectrometry in Biology'

he Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online International Webinar and Alumni Interaction on 'Applications of Mass Spectrometry in Biology' on June 26, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Monita Muralidharan, Staff Scientist, Department of Cellular & Molecular Pharmacology, University of California, San Francisco. The large-scale identification of protein-small molecule interaction and workflow of sample preparation for MS Analysis were explained. The session also elaborated on Structural Proteomics and Sequence Determination by Tandem Mass Spectrometry.



#### International Webinar on **Future of Crime Scene Investigation**

he Unit of Forensic Science, Department of Life Sciences organised an International Webinar titled 'Future of Crime Scene Investigation' on 26 March 2021. The webinar aimed to look into newer and more modern avenues in crime scene investigation to expose the students to more contemporary updated knowledge. Shri. Maithili Sharan Gupta, IPS, National President Crime Free Bharat Mission & Former DGP (Police Reforms) of Madhya Pradesh inaugurated the webinar and explained the scope, working, and future ambitions of the Crime Free Bharat mission under the Govt. Of India. He praised the administration of Kristu Jayanti College for organising a webinar on such a needful topic. He encouraged the delegates and students to take part and be benefitted through the one-day webinar. Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bangalore, highlighted the need for Forensic Science in today's society. He also reiterated the need for practical knowledge being imparted to today's students and how it is necessary to help them achieve great things in their career.

The webinar had four diverse topics related to crime scene investigation - Accident Investigation and its Dynamics, 3D Crime Scene Scanning - Evolution, Documenting and Analysing a Fire Scene, Bullet Trajectory and Blood Spatter Analysis 3D and Crime Scene Reconstruction: From the Foundation to the Future. Each topic dealt with different domains in the field of crime scene investigation, and it left a lasting message in the student's minds. Dr. Sally Lukose, Professor and Dean of School of Allied Health Sciences in Sharda University, Greater Noida, spoke about accident investigation and its dynamics. Dr. Sally started the session by breaking down the meaning behind the word 'accident' and explained how it is usually perceived. She discussed the statistics of road accidents as given by WHO (World Health Organization) and offered specific solutions to prevent such accidents from occurring. Dr. Sally spoke about a very useful technology called PC Crash, which helps in the 3D reconstruction of an accident scene, which will help investigators better understand an accident's happenings. The session was concluded by Dr. Sally answering some queries about the topic. She also implanted the idea in the participants that accident investigation should be looked at as an interdisciplinary approach.

The second session on "3D Crime Scene Scanning -Evolution, Documenting and Analysing a Fire Scene" was taken by Dr. Satendra Yadav, Public Safety Expert & Crime Scene Trainer, Leica Geosystems, Switzerland. He talked about 3D Crime Scene Scanning and its Evolution. He started by explaining how 3D scanning technology began and why documentation is necessary, especially when it comes to court trials. He then proceeded to show various technologies that could be used to document and take necessary measurements of the crime scene. Dr Yadav gave



instances from real-life cases that he had worked on where he had used photogrammetry as a means of documenting a crime scene. He further explained why measurements are an important factor in the documentation of a scene and introduced a new technology that could provide accurate measurements.

Mr Brad Joice, Detective Sergeant, York Regional Police, Ontario, Canada, spoke about "Bullet Trajectory and Blood Spatter Analysis in 3D". The session focused on roles played by a crime scene investigator, the changes brought about in forensic science with this advancing technology and emphasised the accuracy of 3D technology in ballistics and blood pattern analysis. Reminiscing the scenes from the famous series-Dexter, blood pattern analysis was put to light by Mr. Brad, focusing on how the string line method and older software programs like Backtrack from 1987 to Hemostat from 2006, can be a very time consuming and lesser efficient approach in comparison with the currently available devices and methods. To young forensic science students, the session taken up by Mr. Brad was not just engaging but also an interesting learning platform that opened their eyes to how important it is to adapt and adopt to the changing times keeping in mind the basic principles that are part of the regular curriculum.

Mr. Zachery Kowalske, Detective & Crime Scene Reconstructionist at Roswell Police Department, Georgia, United States, took the last session on "Crime Scene Reconstruction: From the Foundation to the Future". Mr. Zachery touched upon the different crime scene reconstruction techniques covered in the previous sessions and explained how they occupy the recent trend in crime scene documentation. He showed glimpses of different textbooks and research papers that have devised new crime scene reconstruction techniques in the past. The resource person finally explained the advantages and tamper-proof nature of 3D crime scene documentation technology. He used two case examples from his field experience to explain the crime scene documentation techniques that are put in practice and how blood pattern analysis and bullet trajectory analysis help in crime scene reconstruction to a great deal. He took the delegates and students through the process of crime scene documentation used in two high profile cases that he had investigated. Students could understand the great detail to which a crime scene has to be analysed to make it able to be reconstructed in the lab.

Expert Lecture on 'Popularity and Credibility in the News Business'

**Cyber Crime** 

**Expert Lecture on Sports Journalism** 

Guest Lecture on 'Visualisation and Visual Storytelling'

**Literary Popular Culture** 

Expert Talk on 'Professional Qualities of Commerce'

**Webinar on Patent Registration Process** 

**Healthy Learning through Yoga** 

**Expert Lecture on Research Paradigm - Transformative Social Work Practice** 

**Guest Lecture on 'Gender in Cinema'** 

**Guest Lecture on The Soul of India** 

National Level Online Webinar on "The Order of Global Business in Post-Pandemic Era"

Expert Lecture on Intellectual Property Rights & Indian Pharmaceutical Industry

Virtual Expert Talk on 'Union Budget 2021-2022'

**Expert Session on 'Budget 2019-20'** 

Guest Lecture on Environmental Social Governance Impact on Global Credit Markets'

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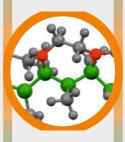
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Webinar on 'Self-Awareness and Productivity'

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Webinar on the Role of Statistics in Decision Making

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Guest Lecture on 'Prevention of Emotional Violence against Women: A Psychosocial Approach'

Lecture Series on 'Gems of Karnataka Series III: Contributions of Prof Shadakshari Settar'

**Guest Lecture on 'Forensic and Psychology'** 





# **Expert Lecture on 'Popularity and Credibility in the News Business'**

The Department of Media Studies (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised an expert lecture on 'Popularity and Credibility in the News Business' on 21 October 2020. Dr. Keval J Kumar, Adjunct Faculty, MICA and Former Director of Symbiosis Institute of Mass Communication, Pune, was the resource person for the event.

In his address, Dr. Kumar spoke about the unethical practices of Google and Facebook, their involvement in a scandal that leaked user data and the corruption within these big technology companies erodes their credibility. He opined that monopolistic practices of such organisations disrupt the social and political compass. Dr. Kumar went on to add that the prevalent use of Artificial Intelligence further questions the validity of social media due to vague policies on privacy and its infringement. He drew attention to the dearth of research at these companies. In comparison, Dr. Kumar stated that the trustworthiness of legacy media is still intact.

Further, Dr. Kumar emphasised on independent journalism being the need of the hour and appealed for its support in the current scenario. Like most mainstream media, in his opinion, had commercialised news, he stressed the necessity of consuming news from alternative sources. The younger generation, he said, is unable to distinguish between 'influencers' and 'legitimate journalists' due to their obsession with social media and internet celebrity culture.

Dr. Kumar advised that for good journalists' public interest is essential, but not at the cost of journalistic integrity while also reminding the participants that the media is the watchdog of the society. He added that responsible journalism should hold governing authorities accountable to people.



## **Cyber Crime**

The Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College organised an expert lecture on, "Cyber Crime" on 24 October 2020, discussing the need for social workers to be aware and alert in dealing with cyber-crime issues. Ms Saee Petkar, Information Security Manager, Tata Consultancy Services, was the guest speaker for the occasion.

She began the lecture with the basics of cyber-crime and its various types. She addressed how children, students and adults are vulnerable to this new age danger through social media, video games and in some cases, even financial fraud. She cautioned that professional social workers need to be aware, alert and in tune with what is happening in the surroundings and how they can help themselves and also people around them. Ms Saee conducted the talk in an interactive manner. The session helped students to develop both personally and professionally.



#### Guest Lecture on Nobel Laureate Prof. Amartya Sen

The Department of Economics organised a guest lecture on the topic "Nobel Laureate Prof. Amartya Sen-Humane Face of Economics" on 3 November 2020. Dr Alex M Thomas, Assistant Professor, Azim Premji University, was the resource person. He enlightened the audience about the concepts of the surplus approach, marginality approach, the capabilities approach and Pareto efficiency.

Dr. Thomas emphasised on the importance of education in improving an economy and also suggested an application of economic ideas and paradigms to the upliftment of the society. Students were exposed to various functional areas of the economy, and they acquired practical knowledge of different operations of the economic system. They were also exposed to multiple thoughts of Dr Amartya Sen, a Nobel Laureate in the field of economics.

#### **Expert Lecture on Sports Journalism**

"Sports Journalists are not created nor manufactured, they are born", said Shri. K Pradeep, Senior Sports Journalist and Former Senior Deputy Editor of Metro Plus, The Hindu while addressing the students on the topic 'Sports Journalism'. The expert lecture was organised by the Department of Media Studies on 24 November 2020. Addressing the students of MA Journalism and Mass Communication, Shri. Pradeep led the students through his journey from a college lecturer to a celebrated Sports Journalist.

Sharing his experience, Shri. Pradeep recalled how, during his days, sports desks were shunned and considered as a toy department. He said this was because sporting was not part of our cultural ethos, and media houses focused on politics, business, and entertainment news as these sections invited more readers.

Shri. Pradeep advised aspiring sports journalists to acquire the fundamental skills of reporting and interviewing no



matter whatever beat they choose as a specialisation. He said, "when you become a sports journalist don't just look for sports, but also, look for stories around it, and when you write, make it analytical and charming". He also listed out, the do's and don'ts while being in sports reporting and writing. He concluded the session by asserting that, "all one needs is an undying passion for journalism. There may be downsides to this job, but it will give you a front seat in life."

#### Guest Lecture on 'Visualisation and Visual Storytelling'

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a guest lecture on the topics 'Visualisation and Visual Storytelling' on 09 December 2020. The resource person for the event was Mr. Prijin Raj, Creative Head at Lemonmint Creative Ads, Kochi.

Mr. Prijin Raj described ideation as a process of generating creative ideas. Further, he defined visualisation as the process of giving visual form to information using images and text. Visualisation helps in effective brand-recall. The visualisation process primarily involves ideation, copy and design. Mr. Prijin Raj also shared his design creations with the students and gave a brief insight into branding and rebranding as well. The workshop allowed the students to

explore creative applicability and understand its functioning in the commercial world. An interactive session with the participants followed the resource person's informative talk.



### **Literary Popular Culture**

The Department of English organised an online Expert Lecture on Literary Popular Culture on 28 November 2020. The resource person was Dr. Girish D. Pawar, Assistant Professor in the Department of English of the University of Hyderabad. His lecture was entitled "Is There a Text in 'Popular' Culture?"



Dr. Girish Pawar began his lecture with an introduction to the study of popular culture and how it emerged by questioning the dominance of "high culture" in academia. He spoke about different types of popular culture and how they were discussed and analysed. He described how it is difficult to define or explain "popular culture" because of the reason that it is not confined only to a particular set of characteristics. He went on to argue that the characteristic features of different popular cultural productions are very vibrant and vivid from one type to the other, even when they may share similarities. He illustrated this by explaining how each book in the famous Harry Potter series by J.K. Rowling, through detailed analysis, can be said to belong to different genres.



#### **Expert Talk on** 'Professional Qualities of Commerce'

The Department of Commerce (PG) organised an Online Expert Talk on 'Professional Qualities of Commerce' on October 09, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Baba Gnanakumar P, Professor & Director of Centre for Consultancy and Corporate Training, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru. The session inculcated in students' various professional attributes and nuances while preparing for a job interview.

#### Webinar on **Patent Registration Process**

The Department of Economics and the Department of Law, Kristu Jayanti College, jointly organised an online Guest Lecture titled 'Patent Registration Process' on August 14, 2020. The resource person was Ms. Anjali Suresh, Senior Associate, Banana IP Counsels, Bengaluru.

Ms. Suresh discussed the patent registration process in India, emphasizing prior art search before applying for patent rights. According to the speaker, Patents are crucial because they provide individuals with both recognition and monetary compensation.



#### **Healthy Learning through Yoga**

The Department of Commerce (PG) organised an online webinar on 'Healthy Learning through Yoga' as a part of the Fit India Movement on August 29, 2020. The resource person was Prof. Vigraanth Bapu K.G, Assistant Professor & Yoga Trainer, Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous).

The session inculcated the value of holistic well-being by throwing light on the significant benefits of Yoga. The first session presented the theoretical aspects with a detailed overview of the practicality of Yoga, different asanas, and breathing techniques for enhancing immunity. In the second session, Mr Bapu demonstrated Surya Namaskar and the procedure for doing Sthiram, Sukham, Asanas, followed by Vrikshasana or Tree Pose.

#### **Expert Lecture on Research Paradigm - Transformative Social Work Practice**

The Department of Social Work organised an Expert Lecture on 'Transformative Social Work Practice' on August 20, 2020. Brother Joseph Charuplakkal George, Head, Department of Social Work, Marian College, Kuttikanam, Kerala, chaired the session.

The speaker highlighted the evolving theoretical implications of social work, stressing research as a predominant area of consideration. The session delved into Ontology, Epistemology, and its methods along with positivism, postpositivism, critical theory, constructivism, and postmodernism.

#### Guest Lecture on 'Gender in Cinema'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College, organised a guest lecture on 'Gender in Cinema' on 14 December 2020. Dr Vellikkeel Raghavan, Assistant Professor, Central University of Kerala, was the guest speaker of the day.

Dr Raghavan helped the students to trace the background of the queer category, specifically regarding the genre of films in India. He explained how Queer study is a by-product of the poststructuralist paradigm of understanding things. To comprehend the concept of gueer cinema, one has to acknowledge the fact that mainstream commercial cinema across the world represents heterosexual culture and context. Within the heterosexual cinematic paradigm itself, there is a patriarchal dominance, which pushes the concerns of women to a secondary or peripheral position. The prominent movies that were discussed were the celebrated queer films of Cheryl Dunye, 'The Watermelon Women' and the queer film 'Bomgay.' The session was made invigorating with videos and presentations.

#### **Guest Lecture on The Soul of India**

The Department of English (PG) conducted a guest lecture titled 'The Soul of India' on 18 December 2020. The resource person was Mr. Francis Xavier, Agro-Ecologist, Consultant at ADITI Organic Certifications.

Mr. Xavier began his session on 'Agriculture in India' by reflecting various aspects of rural India with photographs. He traced out the evolution of the agricultural sector of our country and emphasised that the best fertiliser is the farmer's footprint. He was able to draw attention to the importance of cleanliness maintained in India's tribal villages and appreciated their commitment towards cultivation and farming.

Speaking on dynamic farming, Mr. Xavier used the examples of multi-storeyed cropping in Malanad, Kerala, Thudis in Haryana. Later, he discussed the disadvantage of putting manure directly in the soil, which results in root burn, which is the burning up of the roots of crops. Mr. Xavier elaborated on the size and stacking of haystacks that depend upon the geography and weather conditions. He also introduced us to the tribal community of Araku Valley who engage in coffee production. He commented on the versatility of mud in rural construction and the tools used for ploughing. He then made us aware of the anthills' usefulness, which brings out much calcium and enriches the soil and helps in nitrogen fixation. He



then discussed the disadvantage of growing tea plantations, including deforestation of large areas, mono-cropping, soil erosion etc.

Mr. Xavier talked about rain-fed crops that are cultivated only during rainy seasons. This type of farming does not include pesticides, and only local seeds are used for the cultivation. The pulses are treated with castor paste, which is made out of castor seeds that weed out worms from the crop. He introduced some of the scientific methods and processing of the agricultural sector. He also mentioned the role of livestock in agriculture. He engaged the participants by asking questions and also conducted a quiz in the session. He ended the session with a quote, "He who plants a seed beneath the sod, and waits to see, believes in God."

#### National Level Online Webinar on "The Order of Global Business in Post-Pandemic Era"

The Department of Commerce (PG) organised a National Level Online Webinar on 'The Order of Global Business in Post- Pandemic Era' on September 08, 2020. The resource person was Dr S. Janakiraman, Professor, PG & Research Department of Economics, Government Arts College, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. The speaker underlined the significant issues, challenges, and opportunities stressing the markedly varied facets of global business in the postepidemic era.



#### **Expert Lecture on Intellectual Property Rights & Indian Pharmaceutical Industry**

The Department of Economics of Kristu Jayanti College organised an expert talk on 'Intellectual Property Rights & Indian Pharmaceutical Industry: The Key Challenges' on 12 August 2020. Dr. T.Purushoth Prabhu, Head, Department of Pharmacognosy, C.L.Baid Metha College of Pharmacy, Thoraipakkam was the resource person. The talk familiarised the students about Intellectual Property Rights and its significance in the pharmaceutical industry in India.

Dr. Purushoth Prabhu explained the significance of Intellectual Property Rights in Indian Pharmaceutical Industry. He elaborated how patents help pharmaceutical companies' exclusive rights to manufacture and market drugs for 20 years. IPR is a prerequisite for pharmaceutical companies for identification, planning, commercialisation, and protection of the invention.

Dr. Prabhu emphasised the role of the Intellectual Property rights in providing medicine at a lower price to the ordinary people. He explained all the pros and cons of IPR and challenges in the pharmaceutical industry. The resource person discussed the various life-saving medicines which are patented.

#### **Virtual Expert Talk on** 'Union Budget 2021-2022'

The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Virtual Expert Talk on 'Union Budget 2021-2022' on February 02, 2021. The resource person was Mr. Sudhakar Giridharan, Chartered Accountant. The talk comprehensively analysed the Union Budget 2021-2022 presented by Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Union Minister for Finance & Corporate Affairs.



#### **Expert Session on** 'Budget 2019-20'

The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Session on 'Budget 2019-20' on July 06, 2019. Mr. Sudhakar G, Director - Taxation, Deloitte, delivered highlights on the Union Budget 2019-20 presented by Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance Minister. The session addressed all significant aspects of the Budget like Total Expenditure, Receipts, Deficits, and GDP.





## **Environmental Social Governance** Impact on Global Credit Markets'

The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Guest Lecture on 'Environmental Social Governance: Impact on Global Credit Markets' on May 29, 2020. The resource person was Mr. S. Subbramanya, Lead Financial Data Analyst, Moody's Investors Services Support Centre, Bengaluru. The speaker discussed how the ESG and credit market correspond in financial products, company profit, and credit rating, elucidating environmental, social, and governance factors.

#### Guest Lecture on 'Clinical Trials'

The Department of Statistics (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Clinical Trials' on March 31, 2021, and April 01, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Rajesh Kumar Konduru, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Kalapet, Puducherry. The series explored clinical, therapeutic, and prophylactic trials, observational, cross-sectional, prospective, retrospective, and randomized control studies, odds ratio and confidence interval, and relative risk.

Dr. Amit Kumar Mishra, Assistant Professor, Department of Community and Family Medicine, All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Raipur, and Chhattisgarh, on the second day, discussed diagnostic efficacy, the application of the Bayes theorem, sensitivity, specificity, false negative and false positive rates, Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC) curve, and Body Mass Index (BMI).

#### Webinar on 'Impact of Banking and Financial Sector in the Post COVID-19 Economy'

The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Webinar on 'Impact of Banking and Financial Sector in the Post COVID-19 Economy' on May 19, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Rayner Ephraim, Assistant General Manager, South Indian Bank, Mr. Ephraim commenced the lecture with a discussion on the robust Indian financial system progressing on to the impact of COVID on the Banking and Financial Sector, highlighting Government, RBI & SEBI interventions.

#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Personal Finance'

The Department of Commerce (UG) organised a Guest Lecture on 'Personal Finance' on December 08, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Pandurang Patkar, Founder, and Director of Future Care Academy, Bangalore. The session imparted a multi-dimensional perspective on personal finance, altering the traditional investment plan to a systematic one with lower risk and a greater return.



The Department of Physics, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised a Guest Lecture Series on November 12, 2020, on 'Nobel Prize in Physics 2020'. Dr. Parameswaran Ajith, Associate Professor, International Centre for Theoretical Sciences (ICTS), TIFR, Bangalore, delivered the lecture. The speaker introduced the contributions of Nobel Laureates Roger Penrose, Reinhard Genzel, and Andrea Ghez. The lecture provided an insight into the basics of the general theory of relativity, addressing its importance and applications in the study of black holes and gravitational waves.



#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Financial Literacy on Capital Markets'

The Department of Commerce (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), and Investor's Club organised a Guest Lecture on 'Financial Literacy on Capital Markets' on March 27, 2021. The resource person, Mr. Hariharan Narayan, Deputy Manager, National Stock Exchange of India Ltd., highlighted India's capital markets' significance and functions. In the second session, Mr. Thejas N, Assistant Manager, Karnataka Head, NSDL, briefed about the financial literacy in capital markets, stressing the investor's dos and don'ts, followed by the regulatory framework and various investment avenues.



### **Expert Lecture on** '5G Technology'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College, organised an Online Expert Lecture on '5G Technology' on October 17, 2020. The resource person was Dr. A. Amali Asha, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, Loyola College, Chennai. Dr. Asha commenced with India's digital ambition specifying the constantly evolving need for higher speed, smart cities, industrial automation, and connected devices that make 5G inevitable.

#### **Expert Lecture on 'Logistics & Supply Chain Management Strategy for** E-Commerce'

The Department of Commerce (PG) organised an Online Expert Lecture on 'Logistics & Supply Chain Management Strategy for E-Commerce' on October 20, 2020. The resource person was Dr. R. Rajasekaran, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce, PSG College of Arts & Science (NIRF Ranked:25), Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. The lecture highlighted the various facets of Logistics and Supply Chain Management for e-commerce detailing the varied challenges, issues, and opportunities in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic.

#### **Expert Lecture on** Basics of Social Media Law

The Department of Social Work organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Basics of Social Media Law' on September 29, 2020. Dr. Mohan R Bolla, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College of Law, Bengaluru, chaired the session. Dr. Bolla stressed the essentialities of social media discussing privacy issues, law procedures, and selective content sharing.

#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Mutual Funds in India'

The Department of Commerce (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Mutual Funds in India'. The resource person was Mr. Varrun Yoganatham, Regional Manager, RBD Reliance Nippon Life Asset Management Limited, Bangalore. The session focused on the investment channels (Asset Allocation), tax planning for savings and investment with prominence on Mutual Fund.



#### **Guest Lecture on 'Relevance** of Gandhian Nonviolence in the Third Millennium'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Javanti College, organised an online Guest Lecture on 'Relevance of Gandhian Nonviolence in the Third Millennium' on October 3, 2020. The resource person was Dr. T. Ravichandran, Assistant Professor, Centre for Gandhian Studies & Director, Gandhian Constructive Programme Museum, Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, Tamil Nadu. The speaker briefed on the positive facets of non-violence, such as compassion and brotherhood.





#### **Guest Lecture on** 'FLUTTER (Mobile Management)'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Flutter (Mobile Management)' on September 19, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Solomon S, Lead Developer, Lucid Plus IT Solutions. Mr. Solomon highlighted the latest Reactive Framework focusing on the advanced receptive system, which makes Flutter unique. The benefits of using Flutter include compatibility, high performance, fast development process, cost-effectiveness, and widget customization.

#### **Guest Lecture on** 'The Birth and Death of Stars'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Guest Lecture on 'The Birth and Death of Stars' on September 19, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Sindhu Pandey, Research Associate, Aryabhatta Research Institute of Observational Sciences (ARIES), Nainital. Dr. Pandey spoke at lengths about the lifecycle of stars from the 'protostar', the first stage in the birth of a star, to the 'neutron star,' which is the collapsed core of the star.

#### **Guest Lecture Series on** 'Official Statistics and National Income'

The Department of Statistics (UG) Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised a Guest Lecture Series on 'Official Statistics and National Income' on March 13, 2021, and March 27, 2021. The series was handled by Dr. Rajeswari Kasturi, ISS, Director (Statistics), Karnataka Evaluation Authority, Bengaluru, Ministry of Statistics, Govt. of India. The topics discussed were History of ISS, Present Official Statistics System in India, Functions of NSO, CSO, and NSSO. The second day witnessed deliberations on National Income Statistics, Trade Statistics, Statistics of Labour and Employment, Financial and Banking Statistics, Measure GDP, Macro-Economic Indicators, and Second Advance Estimates of National Income.

#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Internet and Security'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Guest Lecture on 'Internet and Security' on September 19, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Umesh T J, Developer Associate, GTLC(IN) SAP Labs India Pvt. Ltd. The speaker introduced the network security system concept, which protects businesses from data theft, sabotage, and detrimental spyware.

### Webinar on 'Agriculture and Non-agricultural **Commodity Trading in Indian Commodity Derivatives Market'**

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru, organised a webinar titled 'Agriculture and Non-agricultural Commodity Trading in Indian Commodity Derivatives Market' on October 01, 2020. The resource person was Prof. Shihabudheen, Assistant Professor, Farooq College, Calicut, Kerala. He discussed the importance of eliminating risk while investing and the corelationship between the stock market and gold price.



### **Expert Lecture on** 'Spintronics in Modern Data **Storage Technology'**

The Department of Computer (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Spintronics in Modern Data Storage Technology' on October 24, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Pintu Das, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, IIT Delhi. Given its higher electromagnetic spectrum frequencies, Dr. Das anticipated the futuristic development of Optical Spintronics for optical data storage. The speaker equated the interest in Spintronics to the saturation of physical limits of conventional electronics.



#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Women in Labour Market'

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Javanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Women in Labour Market' on February 26, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Channama Kambara, Assistant Professor, Institute of Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru. Dr. Kambara explicated on the dwindling female labour force highlighting restrictive customs, the necessity of educating and empowering women, especially in rural India.

#### Lecture on 'Blockchain Technology'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Lecture on 'Blockchain Technology' on September 26, 2020. The resource person was Ms. R. Sangeetha, Assistant CIT Coordinator, and Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, Lady Doak College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu. The lecture commenced with a brief introduction to Blockchain technology, highlighting authorization in the digital world that preclude the need for many centralized administrators. Ms. Sangeetha also highlighted the downside of the technology.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Contributions of Nobel Prize Winners in Economics 2020 (Auction Theory)'

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Contributions of Nobel Prize Winners in Economics 2020 (Auction Theory)' on October 22, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Sheetal Bharat, Assistant Professor, Dr. BR Ambedkar School of Economics, Bengaluru. Dr. Bharat introduced the contributions of Professor Paul R Milogram and Professor Robert B Wilson, Nobel Laureates in Economics, for their invention and improvement of auction theory with new auction formats.

#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Lead a Healthy Life to Keep Hearts Beating FIT India 2020'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Guest Lecture on 'Lead a Healthy Life to Keep Hearts Beating FIT India 2020' on August 29, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Divya Jain, Officer, Onco Nutritionist, Cytecare Hospital, Bengaluru. Dr. Jain stressed the necessity of a heart- healthy diet that is low in saturated fat, trans fat, and sodium content, delineating a healthy diet plan.



#### **Alumni Lecture Series on** 'The Importance of Learning and **Career Growth Opportunities'**

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Alumni Lecture Series on 'The Importance of Learning and Career Growth Opportunities' on August 29, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Praveen, Global People Service Advisor, Nutanix, Bengaluru. The speaker enumerated the key points to develop employability skills asserting the significance of learning opportunities and groundwork for successful career growth.

#### Lecture on 'Vedic Maths'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a lecture on 'Vedic Maths' on January 25, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Krishna Prasad K. Associate Professor, Department of Computer and Information Sciences, Srinivas University, Mangaluru. Mr. Prasad introduced various Vedic Math methods such as base method, multiple and sub multiple methods, general multiplication: vertically and crosswise; also highlighting the principle involved in each.



#### **Placement Orientation Training Programme** on 'Get Ready for the Interview'

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru, organised a Placement Orientation Training Programme titled 'Get Ready for the Interview' on November 16, 2020. The speaker was Prof. Sen B Mathews, Associate Professor & Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru. The speaker delved in detail on the nuances of capability building and proficiency while seeking employment opportunities.

#### **Expert Lecture on 'Scope of Social** Work Practice in Mental Health Services'

The Department of Social Work initiated an Expert Lecture on 'Scope of Social Work Practice in Mental Health Services' on August 26, 2020. The session was chaired by Dr. F.X. Lovelina Little Flower, Professor, and Head, Department of Social work, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore. Dr. Lovelina highlighted the necessity of social workers in handling mental health issues underscoring the different methods of social work.

#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Applications of Math in Engineering'

The Department of Mathematics, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Applications of Math in Engineering' on January 21, 2020. The resource person was Rev. Fr. Ajeesh, Department of Basic Sciences & Humanities, Rajagiri School of Engineering & Technology, Kerala. The speaker explained the application of numerical analysis, combinatorics, logic analysis, and algebra in various engineering streams. Referring to Mathematics as the heart of Engineering, Fr. Ajeesh also motivated the students.



#### **National Webinar on** 'Scientific Validation of Some **Ethnobotanical Plants'**

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a National Webinar on December 15, 2020, on 'Scientific Validation of some Ethnobotanical Plants.' The resource person was Fr. Dr. S. Ignacimuthu, Distinguished Scientist, Director, Xavier Research Foundation, Former Vice-Chancellor, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore & University of Madras, Chennai. The speaker deliberated upon the active constituents of various medicinal plants and their role in combating diseases, highlighting the need to switch over to traditional herbal medicines in the wake of COVID-19.



#### SAMVIDHAN-Webinar on **Constitutional Values**

The Department of Political Science organised a Webinar on Constitutional Values titled 'Ideals of Indian Constitution' on November 26, 2020. The speaker Prof. Mahesh S Betasur, Assistant Professor, Kristu Jayanti College of Law, foregrounded how Constitution reflects specific values that form the core of the political system.



#### Webinar on 'Forensic Odontology and Its Application'

Forensic Science, a unit of the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Forensic Odontology and its Application' on June 16, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Akhil Shetty, Oral Pathologist and Forensic Odontologist. Dr. Shetty shed light on the procedures employed in the field and analyzed case studies.

#### **Expert Lecture on** 'Security Audit and Its Relation to Forensic Science'

Forensic Science, a Department of Life Sciences unit, organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Security Audit and Its Relation to Forensic Science' on September 19, 2020. The resource person, Mr. Sai Krishna, Security Analyst, Intuit India Product Development Centre, Bangalore, presented security audits and their relation to Forensic Science, highlighting security suggestions and security grading.

#### Webinar on 'Tobacco, Disease and Distress-An Awareness'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Tobacco, Disease and Distress-An Awareness' on May 30, 2020, to observe No Tobacco Day. The resource person was Dr. Chetana T, M.D, DNB, Cancer Screening Manager, Indian Cancer Society, Bengaluru. The session explicated the effect of tobacco consumption among youngsters and the elderly.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Application of Statistics in Corporate **Decision Making'**

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Application of Statistics in Corporate Decision Making' on February 15, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Rohit Punnoose, Director, Data Science and Analytics, Target India Bengaluru. Mr. Rohit enumerated the importance of Data in the corporate sector, highlighting tailored solutions for customers based on available data from social media.



#### **Expert Talk on 'TB: Current Scenario'**

To commemorate World Tuberculosis Day, the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), conducted an Expert Talk titled 'TB: Current Scenario' on March 24, 2021. The resource person was Dr. M Muthuraj, Bacteriologist & Head, State TB Training and Demonstration Center, Government Hospital for Chest Disease, Puducherry. Dr. Muthuraj provided insights about the contagious disease in the wake of COVID-19.

#### Webinar on 'Valuing Water'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Valuing Water' on the occasion of World Water Day on March 22, 2021. The resource person was Dr. K. Parameshwari, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, Karunya Institute of Technology and Sciences, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. The session instilled awareness about the importance of 'blue gold,' highlighting water scarcity and pollutants.

#### Webinar on

#### 'Immune Responses to SARs-COV-2 & Related Infections'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Webinar on 'Immune Responses to SARs-COV-2 & Related Infections' on May 08, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Sandeep T, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology, M. S Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru. The speaker elaborated on the mechanism of recognition and initiation of SARS-COV-2, highlighting the role of various immune cells in the defense process against COVID-19.



#### Webinar on

#### 'Green Technologies for Recovery of Bioenergy from Municipal and Industrial Solid Wastes'

The Department of Life Sciences (UG), and Environment Club of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Green Technologies for Recovery of Bioenergy from Municipal and Industrial Solid Wastes' to commemorate World Environment Day on June 05, 2021. Dr. S V Srinivasan, Senior Principal Scientist, Department of Environmental Engineering, CSIR-Central Leather Research Institute (CLRI), was the resource person.

Dr. Srinivasan introduced biotechnology enabled green approaches in solving the problem of accumulating municipal and industrial solid waste. Different ways of converting waste into biofuels using green strategies were also discussed.

#### Webinar on 'Impact of COVID-19 on Indian Economy'

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar titled 'Impact of COVID-19 on Indian Economy' on May 13, 2020. The resource person was Dr. S. Madheswaran, Director, Institute of Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru. The speaker discussed the current economic status, the impact of COVID-19, and its implication on migrant workers.



#### **Career Talk on** 'Career Opportunities in **Government Sector'**

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Career Talk on 'Career Opportunities in Government Sector' on May 06, 2021. The resource person was Mr. K. Satheesh, Founder and Director, Explore Academy, Coimbatore. The speaker gave an insight into the career opportunities in the government sector, railways and SSC, followed by exhaustive guidelines to prepare for the examination.

#### **Expert Lecture on Transformative Social Work Practice: Role of** Social Workers in Realizing SDG 1

The Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College (the academic hub for SDG1), organised an Expert Lecture Series titled 'Transformative Social Work Practice: Role of Social Workers in Realizing SDG 1' on August 21, 2020. The session was chaired by Rev. Fr. Andrews Raja J, Head, Department of Social Work, Sacred Heart College, Tirupatthur. Fr. Raja highlighted the instrumental merit of social workers in handling poverty alleviation interventions meant for achieving the Sustainable Goals set by the United Nations.



### Webinar on 'Conservation of Biodiversity to make the occasion of **World Biodiversity Day**

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Conservation of Biodiversity to make the occasion of World Biodiversity Day' on May 22, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Mathew Dan, Senior Scientist and Head, Division of Plant Genetic Resource, Jawaharlal Nehru Tropical Botanic Garden and Research Institute, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.

Dr. Dan explained the different types of biodiversity; Genetic, Species, and Ecological, specifying the significance of conservation methods, such as gene banks, wildlife sanctuaries, plant and animal reserves.

#### **Expert Talk on** 'Women in Biology'

To commemorate International Day of Women and Girls in Science, the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Talk on 'Women in Biology' on February 11, 2021. The resource person was Dr. E. Jayadevi Variyar, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology and Microbiology, Kannur University, Thalassery Campus, Kerala. Dr. Variyar enumerated the statistics on the lower percentage of women population in STEM, sharing insights on the lives of women scientists who braved objections and barriers.

#### **Expert Talk on** 'Wetlands: Kidneys of Earth'

To commemorate the 50th year of the Ramsar Convention, the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Talk on 'Wetlands: Kidneys of Earth.' The resource person was Mr. M. Rajesh. Assistant Professor, (PG) & Research Department of Zoology, The American College, Madurai. The speaker stressed facts and statistics in wetland conservation emphasising sustainability.

#### **Expert Talk on 'Women in Conservation'**

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) commemorated International Day of Women and Girls in Science by organising an Expert Talk titled 'Women in Conservation' on February 11, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Madhoolika Agrawal, Professor, and Head, Department of Botany, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi. The speaker discussed the indispensable role of women in Biodiversity conservation and knowledge advancement.

#### Thematic Lecture on 'Future of STI: Impact on Education, Skills and Work'

To commemorate National Science Day, the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), in association with Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology (KSCST), organised a Thematic Lecture titled 'Future of STI: Impact on Education, Skills and Work' on February 27, 2021. Dr. Binoy K Saikia, Senior Scientist, CSIR-North East Institute of Science and Technology, Jorhat, Assam, was the chief guest for the Inaugural Ceremony. Dr. Saikia emphasized the necessity of translating science and technology into indigenous start-ups to meet market requirements, generate employment, and make the country selfsufficient. The Inaugural Ceremony was followed by various competitions like Quiz, Essay Competition, Science Business Idea Contest, and Lecture Contest.

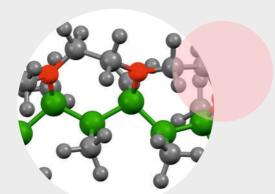


To commemorate International Darwin's Day, the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture titled 'How Genes Influence on Natural Selection' on February 15, 2021. The resource person was Dr. S Dinakaran, Professor and Head, Department of Zoology, The Madura College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu. Dr. Dinakaran shared his expertise on accentuating the role of genes, mutation, polymorphism, genetic drift, and types of natural selection in evolution, highlighting Evolutionary Biology.



#### **Expert Talk on** 'Cancer: Risk and Prevention'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), commemorated World Cancer Day by organising an Expert Talk on 'Cancer: Risk and Prevention' on February 04, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Shweta Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru. Dr. Sharma emphasized the risk factors such as tobacco use, alcohol consumption, obesity, work environment, and lack of physical workout.



#### **Guest Lecture on** 'Polymers as Medical Implants'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Polymers as Medical Implants' as part of BIOVENTURA 2K20, an intra-collegiate Biofest, on November 20, 2020. The guest speaker was Prof. Mukesh Doble, Professor Emeritus, Department of Biotechnology, IIT Chennai. Prof. Doble discussed several biomaterials and their uses, expressing his views on polymers, process control, and industry safety measures.

### **Expert Lecture Series on** 'Bioleaching, Bioprocess and Bioproduct (3B's Industry)'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Expert Lecture Series titled 'Bioleaching, Bioprocess and Bioproduct (3B's Industry)' on October 24, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Parthiba Karthikeyan, Research Assistant Professor, University of Houston, Texas, USA. Dr. Kathikeyan discussed bioleaching, its importance, and the process of extracting metals through cleaner technology, emphasizing the use of bioprocess techniques for efficient resource utilization.



#### **Expert Lecture on Family Social** Work: Need of the Hour

The Department of Social Work organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Family Social Work: Need of the Hour' to commemorate International Day of Families on May 15, 2021. The speaker was Shri. Narasimhan Dwarakanath, Counselling Psychologist, You & Me Counselling, Bangalore. Family social workers' necessities, goals, and multifaceted issues families face, including children, were outlined. Mr. Narasimhan also stressed the necessity of family assessment in family counselling, describing how it entails recognizing patterns and concerns in the family that are directly related to the issue.

#### **Expert Lecture on Cyber Crime**

The Department of Social Work organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Cyber Crime' on October 24, 2020. The speaker was Ms. Saee Petkar, Information Security Manager, Tata Consultancy Services. Ms. Petkar initiated the lecture with the basics of cyber-crime, focusing on the vulnerable targets, and the crucial role of a social worker in identifying such perils.

### Webinar on 'Identifying Business Opportunities'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar titled 'Identifying Business Opportunities' on September 19, 2020. The resource person was Prof. Lavanya K, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce and Management, C.B Bhandari Jain College, Bengaluru. The speaker discussed the various opportunities for an entrepreneur to flourish and establish success in the prospective field.

#### **Expert Lecture on Transformative** Social Work Practices

The Department of Social Work organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Transformative Social Work Practices' on October 17, 2020. The speaker was Dr. A J Christopher, Retired Professor, Department of Social Work, Sacred Heart College. Dr. Christopher described social workers as reflective critical thinkers. It is crucial to be updated to become a transforming and progressive professional was conveyed.

#### **Workshop on Human Rights and** Covid 19-A Right to **Health Perspective**

Department of Political Science has organised a workshop on "Human Rights and Covid 19-A Right to Health perspective", on 10th December 2020 to commemorate the International Human Rights Day through online mode between 2.15 to 3.15 pm with the 2020 Theme: Recover Better - Stand Up for Human

The workshop began with a silent prayer. Mr Sanjay of Class III Sem HEP was the MC for the program. The welcome speech was given by Ms Deepthi, the student coordinator and the introduction of the guest was done by Prof. S.J. Michael, Head of the Department of Political Science and Coordinator for the Department of Social Sciences and languages.

The resource person Dr Biruda Raju, Asst. Prof. Dept. of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) divided the students into different breakup rooms in Zoom and they were given a topic to discuss among themselves and then an enriching discussion took place over the importance of Rights and Health. Sir focused more on nutritious foods; he shared a small video to all the participants depicting the inhuman treatment done to the Covid patients. Resource person has enlightened the audience with Human Rights. The students actively participated in the discussion and raised their queries to the resource person. Ms Athira proposed the vote of thanks for the session.

#### Panel Discussion on How do Emerging Technologies Affect the Creative Economy

The Department of Media Studies (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Student Panel Discussion on 'How do Emerging Technologies Affect the Creative Economy?' on January 04, 2021. Dr. Juby Thomas, Programme Co-ordinator, was the moderator for the session. The panellists were Haptarishi Roy Saikia, Rumi Besra, Sakshi Amani, and Gopika Raj, first-year MA JMC students. They deliberated on advanced technologies and how it affects media content creation and production.

### Webinar on

'Biodiversity Assessment and Conservation Strategies for Major Lakes of Bengaluru'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Webinar on 'Biodiversity Assessment and Conservation Strategies for Major Lakes of Bengaluru' on May 22, 2020. The resource person was Dr. N Nandini, Professor, and Chairperson, Department of Environmental Science, Bangalore University, Bengaluru. Dr. Nandini stressed the necessity of sustainable development, highlighting citizen's moral responsibility to protect and preserve lakes. Heavy metal accumulation and cross-contamination of sewage have led to numerous diseases in the residents of lakeview apartments.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'International Day of Peace: A Holistic View'

To commemorate Global Peace Day, the Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a guest lecture titled 'International Day of Peace: A Holistic View' on September 21, 2020. The resource person was Prof. M. William Baskaran, Ph.D., Centre for Gandhian Studies, Gandhigram Rural Institute, (Deemed to be University), Gandhigram, India. The speaker discussed India's GPI (Global Peace Index) and the economic impact of violence on the global economy, moving on to the different types of Peace; Negative, Positive, and Cultural.



### **Expert Lecture on 'Forensic Psychology and Expert Witness Testimony'**

Forensic Science, a unit of the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Forensic Psychology and Expert Witness Testimony' on January 09, 2020. The session was handled by Mr. Sunny Joseph, Consultant Clinical Psychologist and Forensic Psychologist. Mr. Joseph briefed on Forensic Science and expert witness testimony, elaborating on the qualifications required and how a Forensic expert is summoned in the court.

### Career Guidance Talk on Career **Opportunities in Government Sectors**

A Career Guidance Talk on Career Opportunities in Government Sectors was organised by the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru on 6th May 2021. The session was exclusively arranged for the final year UG and PG students of the Life Sciences Department.

The keynote speaker of the session was Mr K. Satheesh, Founder and Director of Explore Academy, Coimbatore. Dr C. M. Reena Josephine, the moderator of the session, introduced the speaker to the audience. Mr K. Satheesh is presently the Founder & Managing Director of Explore Academy Coimbatore which is an institute that focuses on preparing students to sharpen their skills and improve their performance in order to build positive, steady, and profitable results in exam preparation. He gave an insight into the various opportunities which are available in different sectors

of the government. He started the talk with the different job opportunities in the banking sector followed by guidelines on the preparation of those exams. He also gave an extensive explanation on how to prepare and apply for the various positions in Railways. He also highlighted the preparation of exams for SSC.

Towards the end of his presentation, he emphasised that once you are in these sectors, the future is secure and safe as these sectors provide the employees with a good salary package and other benefits. He patiently and enthusiastically answered and cleared the doubts and queries that were raised by the students and delegates. A vote of thanks was proposed by the moderator of the session, Dr C. M. Reena Josephine.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Self-Acceptence'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Self-Acceptance' on September 05, 2020. The resource person was Ms. Sathyapriya Sakarias, Counselling Psychologist, Research Scholar, and NLP Master Practitioner & Trainer. Ms. Sakarias discussed the basics of self-acceptance, factors that contribute to a poor self-image, and practical tips to love oneself unconditionally.



### **Expert Lecture on** 'Application of Artificial **Intelligence in Business'**

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Application of Artificial Intelligence in Business' on September 26, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Akshant Agarwal, Chief Executive Officer, Virtuality India, Certified by NASSCOM. The speaker elucidated Artificial Intelligence, Human Intelligence in variance with Machine Learning.



### Guest Lecture on 'Mental Illness'

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Guest Lecture on 'Mental Illness' on August 18, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Sreeraj VS, DPM, DNB, MNAMS, PDF (Clinical Neurosciences and Therapeutics in Schizophrenia) Assistant Professor/Clinician Scientist Accelerator program for Discovery in Brain disorders using stem cells (ADBS), Department of Psychiatry NIMHANS, Bengaluru, Karnataka. The speaker stressed the importance, benefits of mental fitness, mind- body connection, being positive, staying fit during pandemic elaborating on mental dexterity exercises.

### Webinar on 'Challenges to Startups in Post COVID-19 World'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Webinar on 'Challenges to Startups in Post COVID-19 World' on June 06, 2020. Mr. Thaneshwar Singh, Founder MD, Lentra Business Solution Pvt Ltd, was the resource person. The speaker briefed about the challenges each industry faces, providing insights on how challenges can be turned into opportunities for Startups.

### Webinar on 'Individual Social Responsibility in COVID-19 World'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar titled 'Individual Social Responsibility in COVID-19 World' on June 27, 2020. The resource person was Mrs. Srilatha K S, HR, ABB Global Industries & Services Pvt. Ltd. Bengaluru. The speaker highlighted the need to address any situation by skilling, reskilling, upskilling, and reinventing in the changing environment.

### **Motivational Session on** 'Master-Training as a Career'

The Department of Management (UG), in association with the Centre for Soft Skills Training of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Motivational Session on 'Master-Training as a Career' on March 27, 2021. The resource person was Prof. T. Somasundaram, Assistant Professor, Department of Management & Staff Incharge, Centre for Soft Skills Training (CSST), Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru. The speaker discussed training concepts in different dimensions like coaching, teaching, mentoring, and learning.

### Webinar on 'Introduction to Capital Market'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Introduction to Capital Market' on February 20, 2021. The resource person was Mr. Prabhakar V, Senior Trainer, Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd. The speaker created awareness about the capital market, operational mode, and opportunities at different levels.

### Webinar on 'Redefining Higher Education in the New Normal'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar titled 'Redefining Higher Education in the New Normal' on January 23, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Rupa Gunaseelan, Director, Bharathiar School of Management, Coimbatore. Dr. Gunaseelan briefed about the educational implications of current uses of Artificial Intelligence as an aid in solving problems and accomplishing tasks. The speaker pointed out how technological innovation makes students more globalized and interconnected, elaborating on MOOC, online books, audio content, images, and videos.



### **Student Orientation Program**

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Student Orientation Programme on December 18, 2020. The orientation was conducted by Ms. Aaira Fathima, Manager - Operations, ISDC, Bengaluru. The roadmap of the CGMA covering aspects such as the nature of delivery, study material, and the mode of examination was explained.



## **Guest Lecture on** 'Career Opportunities in Sports Industry'

The Department of Management (UG), in collaboration with the Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations (CECR), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Career Opportunities in Sports Industry' on December 05, 2020. The resource person was Mr. G. Srinivvasan, CEO, Sporjo. Mr. Srinivvasan described the dynamic job roles available in the industry categorized into Operations, Sales, Data & Analytics, CRM, Marketing, and Broadcast.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Nurturing an **Entrepreneurial Mindset'**

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Nurturing an Entrepreneurial Mindset' on December 19, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Armugam C, Entrepreneur, and Consultant, Agro Chakra International, Chennai. The speaker explicated the nobleness of entrepreneurship as a career in serving society.

### **Expert Lecture on** 'Popularity and Credibility in the **News Business'**

The Department of Media Studies (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Popularity and Credibility in the News Business' on October 21, 2020. Dr. Keval J Kumar, Adjunct Faculty, MICA and Former Director of Symbiosis Institute of Mass Communication, Pune, was the resource person. Dr. Kumar spoke about the unethical practices of Google and Facebook, their involvement in leaking user data, and how corruption corrodes their credibility. The speaker opined that monopolistic practices of such corporates would disrupt the social and political compass.

### **EXPERT LECTURES & WEBINARS**



### **Expert Talk on** 'Learning in a Dynamic Global Environment'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Expert Talk on 'Learning in a Dynamic Global Environment' on February 18, 2019. The guest speakers were Dr. Per Markus Anderson, Associate Dean, Global Learning Concordia College, Minnesota, USA, and Prof. Christopher J. Mason, Interim Director, Offutt School of Business. Dr. Anderson explained the impact of globalization, emphasizing 'serving' rather than being 'served' using Biblical reference, which states 'Love your neighbour as you love yourself.' Prof. Mason discussed the concepts of opportunity prioritizing, problem-solving and precise decisions.



### **Guest Lecture on** 'An Overview of Corporate Culture'

The Department of Management (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'An Overview of Corporate Culture' on February 02, 2019. The resource person was Mr. Sandeep Titus, Marketing Manager, ARDEX Endura, Bengaluru. Mr. Titus enumerated various aspects such as expectations, networking, and growth.

### **Expert Lecture on** 'Placement Orientation'

The Department of Media Studies (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Placement Orientation' on March 31, 2021. Prof. Sen B. Mathews, Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations, Kristu Jayanti College, was the resource person. Prof. Mathews delineated the etiquettes and the methods to prepare for an interview.

### **Expert Lecture on** 'Placement Orientation-III'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Placement Orientation-III' on March 25, 2021. The resource person was Prof. Sen B. Mathews, Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations, Kristu Jayanti College. The session dealt with aspects of preparation, grooming, employer parameters, and time management.

### **Expert Lecture on** 'Sports Journalists'

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Sports Journalists' on November 24, 2020. The resource person was Shri. K Pradeep, Senior Sports Journalist and Former Senior Deputy Editor of Metro Plus, The Hindu. The speaker shared his experiences, mentioning how media houses focus on politics, business, and entertainment news than sports.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Visualisation and Visual Storytelling'

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Visualisation and Visual Storytelling' on December 09, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Prijin Raj, Creative Head, Lemonmint Creative Ads, Kochi. Mr. Raj defined the process of giving visual form to information using images and text.

### Guest Lecture on 'Photo Journalism'

The Department of Media Studies (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a virtual Guest Lecture titled 'Photo Journalism' on December 15, 2020. The resource person was Shri. Pattabi Raman, Photojournalist, The New Indian Express, Pondicherry. The speaker shared his experiences and described the versatility of the art of storytelling using photographs.

### **Expert Lecture on 'Data Journalism'**

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture on 'Data Journalism' on November 21, 2020. Ms. Annapurani Vaidyanathan, Data Journalist, The Hindu Business Line, was the speaker. Ms. Vaidyanathan addressed the students with detailed insights on Data Journalism and visualization.

### Seminar on 'Meet the Counsellor'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Seminar titled 'Meet the Counsellor' on January 20, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Alice Aloysius, Student Counsellor, Guidance and Counselling, Kristu Jayanti College. The speaker highlighted the importance of counselling and its focus, especially on college students.



### Guest Lecture on 'The Soul of India'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'The Soul of India' on December 18, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Francis Xavier, Agro-Ecologist and Consultant, ADITI Organic Certifications. Mr. Xavier traced the evolution of the agricultural sector in India and the nobility of the profession.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Lead the New Normal'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Lead the New Normal' on October 23, 2020. Prof. Sen B Mathews, Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations, Kristu Jayanti College, was the resource person. The speaker highlighted the way forward in training, placements, and opportunities in the new normal.

### **Expert Talk on World Tuberculosis Day** Webinar on TB – Current Scenario

As a part of World Tuberculosis Day, the Department of Life Sciences conducted an Expert talk through the Zoom platform on 24th March 2021. The resource person for the session was Dr M Muthuraj, Bacteriologist & Head state TB training and Demonstration centre, Intermediate reference laboratory, Government Hospital for Chest Disease, Puducherry. He gave insights about the topic - 'TB Current Scenario'. The session was conducted for the benefit of undergraduate students of the department.

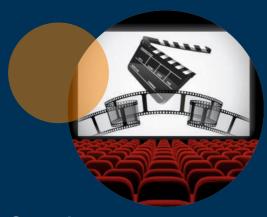
The session was moderated by Ms Malathi R, Assistant Professor, Department of Life Sciences who welcomed the resource person, the dignitaries and the audience. A wide range of diseases affecting the respiratory system is seen worldwide, the best example is the current covid-19 that has slaughtered many lives. TB is one of the top three contagious diseases that kill people worldwide, it is a worldwide pandemic. Through proper medication and preventive measures, the incidence of TB can be reduced. In this session, Dr Muthuraj gave proper insights about the contagious disease. The session was loaded with numerous queries,



doubts from the audience and Dr Muthuraj sir gladly answered and put all the uncertainties revolving in the students' minds to rest. The program ended on a positive note with a vote of thanks, leaving the audience with inspiration and opening up new perspectives about enhancing their knowledge.

### **Expert Lecture on** 'Professional Skills'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Professional Skills' on October 21, 2020. The resource person was Prof. Sen B. Mathews, Faculty and Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations, Kristu Jayanti College. The speaker focused on critical thinking, teamwork, communication skill, and organizational etiquette.



### **Guest Lecture on** 'Gender in Cinema'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on 'Gender in Cinema' on December 14, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Vellikkeel Raghavan, Assistant Professor, Central University of Kerala. Dr. Raghavan explained how Queer Studies is a by-product of the poststructuralist paradigm of understanding things. To comprehend the concept of queer cinema, one has to acknowledge that mainstream commercial cinema represents heterosexual culture and context.



### **Expert Talk on 'Society, Theatre and** Classroom: Mahesh Dattani in **Conversation with Jayantians'**

The Department of English (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Talk titled 'Society, Theatre and Classroom: Mahesh Dattani in Conversation with Jayantians' on March 17, 2021. The speaker was Mr. Mahesh Dattani, Celebrated Playwright, Director, Actor, Writer, and the first playwright in English to be conferred the Sahitya Akademi Award. Mr. Dattani described his dedication to the social issues related to caste, gender, belief systems, religion, and minorities

### **Expert Lecture on** 'Psychology and Language **Learning: Interconnections** and Interventions'

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Psychology and Language Learning: Interconnections and Interventions' on November 02, 2020. Dr. B. S. Jamuna, Dean (Retd.), Faculty of Arts, University of Kerala, was the resource person. The speaker focused on the learning theories such as Chomsky's Innateness and Constructivism, highlighting the pedagogical implications, advantages and disadvantages.

### Webinar on 'Upskilling for Successful Living'

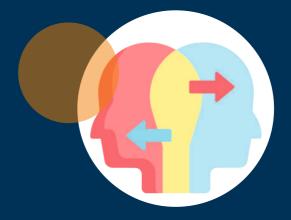
The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar titled 'Upskilling for Successful Living' on September 23, 2020. Ms. Anuradha Parakkat, Director of Knowledge Exchange, was the resource person. Ms. Parakkat focused on the importance of confidence, stating how a peaceful state of mind could be achieved through positive self-affirmations.

### Guest Lecture on 'Personal Effectiveness through **Emotional Intelligence'**

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Personal Effectiveness through Emotional Intelligence' on October 15, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Smarty P Mukundan, Faculty Member, State Bank Institute of Leadership. The session dealt with self-awareness and unleashing the potential inherent in every individual.

### Webinar on 'Self-Awareness and **Productivity'**

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar titled 'Self-Awareness and Productivity' on September 8, 2020. Ms. Kalpana Yuvarraaj, Award-winning artist, Curator, and Entrepreneur, was the resource person. The speaker highlighted the concepts in Pathanjali Yoga Sutra, Yamas, and Niyamas Yamas, including Ahimsa, Satya, Aastya, Brahmacharya, Grihasta, and Aparigraha. Ahimsa emphasizes non-violence physically, mentally, and verbally.



### **Second Edition of** 'Gems of Karnataka Series II: Dewan K Seshadri Iyer'

The Department of History, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the Second Edition of 'Gems of Karnataka Series II: Dewan K Seshadri Iyer' to commemorate the contributions of eminent personalities in Karnataka. Dr. B Narasingaraja Naidu spoke at length about Dewan K Seshadri Iyer's contributions to the development of Karnataka, referring to him as one of the 'Makers of Modern Bangalore.'

### **Online Guest Lecture on** 'Role of Museums in 21st Century'

The Department of History, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), in collaboration with Sofia Girls College, Ajmer, organised an online Guest Lecture on 'Role of Museums in 21st Century' on December 05, 2020. The resource person, Ms. Namrata Sarmah, discussed the various attributes of museology.



### **Expert Lecture on 'Shakespeare** on Stage, Shakespeare on Page'

The Department of English (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Shakespeare on Stage, Shakespeare on Page' on December 11, 2020. The resource person was Prof. Josy Joseph, Associate Professor, SB College, Changanassery. The lecture contained a detailed discussion on Shakespeare's performance, script, characters, and the influence of his plays.

### Webinar on the Role of Statistics in Decision Making

The Department of Statistics organised a webinar on "Role of Statistics in Decision Making" to commemorate National Statistics Day on 29 June 2020. The objective of the programme was to provide emphasis on the prospects of higher studies in Statistics and on employability/ entrepreneurship. The session started with the inaugural address by Rev. Fr. Dr Augustine George, Principal.

Dr Rajeswari Kasturi, Deputy Director-General, National Statistical Office (NSO), Field Operation Division (FOD), Regional Office, Bangalore was the resource person of the session. She gave an overview of the contributions of Prof Mahalanobis P C to the growth and development of India especially from the second five-year planning by closely working with the policy formulations. She then explained the structure and functioning of ISS, SSS, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, and other departments which use statistical information and analysis for their functioning. She elaborated on the career opportunities available for statisticians in the government sector. It was indeed an extremely valuable session that imparted a lot of information for the students.

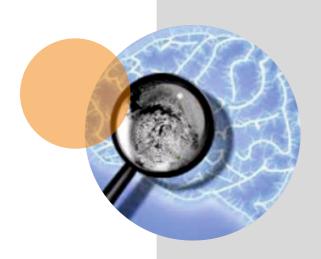
### **EXPERT LECTURES & WEBINARS**



### **Expert Lecture on** "Macrocosm to Microcosm: An Exploration of Micro Narratives"

The Department of English, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Expert Lecture on 'Macrocosm to Microcosm: An Exploration of Micro Narratives' on September 29, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Kavita Shastri, Associate Professor, Head, Department of English and Media Studies, Vijaya College, Jayanagar, Bengaluru.

The lecture traced a brief history of micro-narratives and explored its present scope, with examples and illustrations from literature, cave painting, Twitter feeds, and social media post. The speaker highlighted the relevance of micro-narratives, as they are tools for the self-expression of the manifold voices from all walks of society.



### **Guest Lecture on 'Preparation** for Civil Services Examination-Staying Motivated and Focused'

The Department of History organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Preparation for Civil Services Examination- Staying Motivated and Focused' on August 13, 2020. The resource person was Ms. Maiza Mohammed, Alumni, Kristu Jayanti College. The speaker shared various tips to accomplish greater heights in UPSC.

### **Guest Lecture on 'Prevention** of Emotional Violence against Women: A Psychosocial Approach'

The Department of Political Science, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture titled 'Prevention of Emotional Violence against Women: A Psychosocial Approach' on November 25, 2020. The guest speaker was Dr. Winnie Joyce A, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College. The speaker gave an insight into an individual's emotional aspect, highlighting methods to treat negative emotions.

### **Lecture Series on 'Gems of** Karnataka Series III: Contributions of Prof Shadakshari Settar'

The Department of History, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Lecture Series titled 'Gems of Karnataka Series III: Contributions of Prof Shadakshari Settar' on October 10, 2020, to commemorate and celebrate the lives and contributions of eminent personalities who have contributed to the socio-political, economic and cultural arena of Karnataka. The resource person was Prof. Dominic D, Special Officer, Ramanagar, Bangalore University, and Professor, Kannada Study Centre, Bangalore University. The resource person effectively spoke about the life and contributions of Prof. Shadakshari Settar.

### **Guest Lecture on** 'Forensic and Psychology'

The Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an International Guest Lecture on 'Forensic and Psychology' on February 15, 2020. The session was led by Dr. Philip Laird, Trinity Western University, Canada. The speaker initiated the lecture by describing three sensational criminal cases in Canada, wherein the defendants claimed mental instability. Dr. Laird focused on criminal and legal psychology by introducing several key terminologies and their implications from the perspective of psychology and law.

# SEMINARS CONFERENCES

**Contribution of Nobel Prize Winners in Economics 2020** 

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Seminar on Contribution of Nobel Prize Winners in Economics 2020

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Virtual National Webinar on November 06, 2020, titled 'Contribution of Nobel Prize Winners in Economics 2020.' Dr. Haripriya Gundimeda, Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay, was the resource person.

Dr. Haripriya elaborated on auction theory and the contributions of the Nobel Prize winners Dr. Paul Milgrom and Dr. Robert Wilson, highlighting the impact of auction theory on other fields like Game Theory, Matching Theory, and Utility Pricing. Dr. Haripriya also explained the applicability of the auction theory to the real world of public debts, the bond market, and the electricity market.



The Department of Mathematics, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a National Seminar on 'Recent Trends in Pure and Applied Mathematics' on November 13, 2020. Prof. B.V. Rathish Kumar, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (IIT Kanpur), inaugurated the session.

Prof. Kumar highlighted the relevance of mathematical modelling and the importance of numerical methods in the current scenario elaborating on mesh generation and finite element methods.

The first keynote session was by Dr. Bidhan Chandra Sardar, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Indian Institute of Technology Ropar (IIT Ropar). Dr. Sardar emphasized modelling and solving a real-world problem using ordinary differential equations. Dr. A. Amutha, Assistant Professor, PG and Research Department of Mathematics, The American College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu, spoke on 'Dynamic Approach of Slope Number in Graph Theory.' Dr. Amutha introduced graphs, networks, minimum domination set, coloring, slope stability analysis, and social network analysis.



The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online Webinar on 'Transition from Campus to Corporate' on August 08, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Kamal Kanth T, Regional Vice

President, Salesforce, Bengaluru. Mr. Kanth spoke about the importance of employability skills to cope with the corporate environment by identifying one's weaknesses and strengths.



### Webinar on 'Mental Health Act and Norms for Private Practice'

The Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Webinar on 'Mental Health Act and Norms for Private Practice' on November 21, 2020. The resource person was Ms. Rama Subramanian, Advocate, High Court, Mumbai.

Ms. Rama spoke about mental healthcare and services for persons with mental illness and protecting, promoting, and fulfilling their rights during the delivery of mental healthcare and services. Dr. Krishnan Bhatt and Mr. Vigraanth Bapu K G, Faculty Members, Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College, handled two technical sessions.

### **National Conference on Cultural Crossings: Diffusing Borders**

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a National Conference titled 'Cultural Crossings: Diffusing Borders' on February 10 and February 11,

Hon. Justice P.S Narayana, Former Judge of High Court, Andhra Pradesh, was the Chief Guest, and Prof. Joseph Bathanti, Poet Laureate and Award-Winning author, was the Keynote Speaker. Hon. Justice P.S Narayana spoke about the interrelatedness of culture and ethics, stating examples from his own experiences with the Indian judiciary and the slender divisions between diverse expressions of culture, tradition, civilization, customs, practices, caste, religion, politics, nationalism, internationalism, regionalism, minority rights, linguistic groups and the like.

Prof. Joseph Bathanti narrated the unpopular history and the progressive pedagogy of Black Mountain College that made it the first institution in the Jim Crow south state of North Carolina to admit a student of colour, Alma Stone Williams, in 1944.

In the plenary session, Dr. Rajesh Sharma, Professor, and Head, Department of English, Punjab University, Patiala, briefly introduced cultural studies and Raymond Williams.



### International Adolescent **Health Week - Adolescent Resilience during the Pandemic**

The International Adolescent Health Week global event with the theme 'Adolescent Resilience during Pandemic' was conducted by the Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College, Autonomous, Bengaluru, on 24 March 2021. Dr Nityananda S Kuntasetty, Chairperson BAHA (Bangalore Adolescent Health Association) and Senior Consultant at ESI Hospital Bangalore, was the programme's chief guest. In his Inaugural address, Dr Nityananda introduced to the realities of paediatrics, adolescent health care in India and the intricacies in handling or caring for adolescents. In his presidential address, Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal-Kristu Jayanti College, emphasised the need to help adolescents have holistic growth by improving the emotional, psychosocial and spiritual well-being and the need to practice yoga and different forms of meditation. Further, during the session, Dr Fr Augustine George felicitated Mr Alen Saii for receiving the title of Grand Master from the Asia Book of World Records and India Book of Records.

Ms Tanvi Nair, a first-year Postgraduate Psychology student, was felicitated by Dr Molly Joy for being selected as the student ambassador for IAHW. The event consisted of four keynote sessions. Dr Laura A.Offutt MD, FACP Internal Medicine Physician Founder of IAHW, addressed the audience through a recorded session where she shared the birth and growth of

IAHW since its inception in 2016. Dr Dzung Vo, MD, FAAP, Pediatrician, Adolescent Medicine, British Columbia Children's Hospital, took the second keynote session. She spoke about mindfulness and its significance in maintaining adolescents' mental well-being through a recorded video. The third session was taken by Dr Preethi M Galagali, MD, PGDAP, FIAP Consultant Adolescent Health Specialist and Pediatrician addressed the students on the mental wellbeing of adolescents through a zoom call. In the fourth keynote session, Dr Nityananda spoke about life skills, adolescent health and issues, parenting. He addressed many questions about divorce and parenting styles as well. After the keynote sessions, three competitions -Photography (Freeze the Moment), Poster making (Creare) and JAM (Justa-minute) were conducted. The students took part in the events with great enthusiasm. The PG students of the department of psychology performed a skit that depicted the lives of four adolescent friends during the lockdown period and how they overcame their problems through resilience. The event ended with the valedictory session and the prize distribution.

### **National Conference on** 'Emerging Trends in Accounting, Finance and Taxation Post COVID-19'

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the second conference in the spectrum series of Virtual National Conference from October 23 to October 24, 2020, on the theme, 'Emerging Trends in Accounting, Finance and Taxation Post COVID-19'. Dr. Ahmed Eshra, Dean, School of Business and Accounting, Monroe College, USA, was the chief guest. Dr. Eshra emphasized the use of cloud technology in the field of accounting.

The first keynote session by Mr. Manoranjan Sharma, Chief Economists, Infomerics Ratings & Former Chief Economist & General Manager, Canara Bank, dealt on the topic 'Trends in Banking in the Post COVID 19 World'. The second keynote session by Mr. Naheem Mahtab, Senior Lecturer & Coordinator, Department of Accounting, School of Business & Entrepreneurship Independent University, Bangladesh, discussed the topic 'Emerging Trends in Financial Report & Accounting Processes Post Covid-19.'

The third keynote session was on 'Financing and Investments in the Post COVID 19 Era' delivered by Dr. A Kanagaraj, Professor of Finance, XLRI Jamshedpur. In the fourth keynote session, Mr. Sandeep Jhunjhunwala, Partner, Nangia Andersen LLP, explained how the pandemic had affected the Taxation processes.



### Virtual National Media Conference on **Media Portrayals in Pandemic Times**

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the fifth edition of the National Media Conference titled 'Media Portrayals in Pandemic Times' on March 19 and 20, 2021. Dr. Adnan Kisa, Professor and Pro-Dean, Health Policy and Economics, School of Health Sciences, Kristiania University College, Oslo, was the chief guest. In his inaugural address, Dr. Kisa said 'infodemic' caused by misinformation adversely affected racial, sexual and religious minorities and worsened their miseries during pandemic times.

The two-day conference had four plenary sessions and two parallel sessions of paper presentations. Plenary session I on the topic 'Organised Crimes in Global Scenario' was delivered by Shri. Josy Joseph, Investigative Journalist, and Founder, The Confluence Media.

Ms. Rituparna Chatterjee, Deputy Asia Editor, The Independent, handled the plenary session II on 'Women Voices and Media Role during Pandemic.' Ms. Sarvapriya Sangwan, BBC YouTube Editor for Indian Languages, was the speaker of the plenary session III on the topic 'Digital Journalism in Pandemic Times.'

The plenary session IV was on 'Fake News and Media Literacy' by Ms. Geetika Rustogi, Content lead, To The New.



### Webinar on "Stand up Human Rights"

The Women Empowerment Cell of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised a Webinar on 'Stand Up for Human Rights' on December 12, 2020. Mr. Saji Thomas, Advocate, High Court of Kerala, was the chief guest.

Mr. Thomas spoke about women's rights, highlighting the right to life and liberty, freedom from slavery and torture, freedom of opinion and expression, and the right to work and education.

National Conference on 'The Story: Life Narratives of Experience, Memory, Identity and Agency'

The Department of English (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a National Conference on 'The Story: Life Narratives of Experience, Memory, Identity and Agency' on March 25 and 26, 2021.

In his Presidential Address, Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, shared insights on life narratives as a medium for identity and survival. The inaugural Keynote Speech by Dr. Nandini Sahu, Indian Poet, Creative Writer and Academician, stressed the importance of life writing along creative writing lines with snippets from her career.

The Plenary Session I titled 'Testimonios as Social History' was delivered by Dr. T Marx, Professor, Department of English, School of English, Pondicherry University. Dr. N P Ashley, Assistant Professor, Department of English, St Stephen's College, Delhi, handled the Plenary Session II with the pertinent topic 'The Great Indian Maid: Lives, Stories and the Problematic of Domestic Work.'

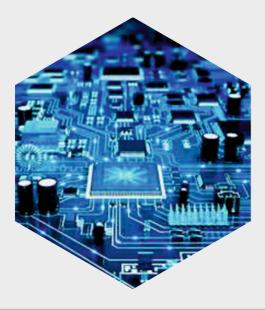
Dr. Sreenath Muraleedharan K, Assistant Professor (Sr Gr) and Research Guide, Department of English and Languages, School of Arts & Sciences, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Kochi, addressed the participants in the Plenary Session III on the topic, 'Writing Travel, Writing Life: Tracing Trajectories of Self.'

The resource persons for the Panel Discussion on 'The Discourse of Life Narratives: A Dialogue' were Dr. Rani P L (Associate Professor and Head, Sri Satya Sai Institute of

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Higher Learning, Anantapur Campus, Andhra Pradesh), Dr. Preeti Kumar (Assistant Professor, St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam, Kerala) and Dr. Prayer Elmo Raj (Assistant Professor, PG & Research Department of English, Pachaiyappa's College, Chennai). Dr. V P Krishna Prabha moderated the session

# National Electronics Conference 'Recent Trends and Developments in Electronics and Communication Technologies'



The Department of Electronics, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Virtual National Electronics Conference (ViNECON-2020) on November 11, 2020, on the theme, 'Recent Trends and Developments in Electronics and Communication Technologies.'

The chief guest of the programme was Dr. Ajay Agarwal, Sr. Principal Scientist, Area Co-ordinator, Group Head, CSIR- Central Electronics Engineering Research Institute, Pilani. Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, addressed the audience and highlighted the importance of research in Electronics in the present era.

Dr. Rana Mukherji, Professor, The ICFAI University, Jaipur, India, delivered the keynote address on 'Global Transformations through Internet of Things. The conference also had a technical session on 'Intelligent Connectivity: The fusion of 5G, AI and IoT' by Dr. K David, H.H. The Rajah's College, Tamil Nadu.

### **Tech Talk Series** 'Building Innovative Applications using IoT'

The Department of Computer Science (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Tech Talk Series on 'Building Innovative Applications using IoT" on December 05, 2020. Dr. Shobha K. R, Senior Member, IEEE, MWIE MIEEE - ComSoc, LMISTE, MIAENG, IEEE Student branch Counsellor, Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bengaluru, was the resource person. The Tech Talk provided an introduction to the Internet of Things (IoT) and discussed the different applications of IoT in real-life systems.

### **National Conference on** 'Upskilling and Reskilling in **Applied Psychology'**

The Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the seventh edition of Insight 2021, a National Conference titled 'Upskilling and Reskilling in Applied Psychology' on February 26 and 27,

Prof. Arti Bakshi, Head, Department of Psychology, University of Jammu, was the chief guest. Prof. Bakshi spoke about reskilling and upskilling in research, education, teaching, and the workplace and gave insight into the role of digital arenas and teaching pedagogies that can enhance the learner's learning experience.

The Keynote session I by Dr. Prasanna Kumar, Head, Career Development Centre, PES Trust and Head of the Department, Management, PES Institute of Technology and Management, Shimoga, Karnataka, spoke on Skill Enhancement and Training.

Ms. Nithi Sharma, Pearson India Pvt Ltd, took the keynote session II on 'Emerging Trends in Assessment.' The keynote session III on 'Upskilling and Organization Change' was by Mr. Suresh Michael, Additional General Manager (HR), BEL Corporate Office, Bengaluru. Dr. Mohammed Abeer, Senior Counsellor, IIT Kharagpur, in the keynote session IV, emphasized how therapists should be able to remove the obstacles the clients face, highlighting the scarcity of skilled mental health professionals and the importance of upskilling the present working mental health professionals.

Ms. Tanuja Babre, Programme Co-ordinator, i-call, Technology-Assisted Counselling and Ethics, Visiting Faculty, TISS, Mumbai, spoke on the 'Challenges and Ethics in Online or Tele-counselling.' Dr. H Ganesh Bhatt, MES Education Institution, explained 'Re-equipping in Changing Arenas of Education.'



### **National Webinar on** 'Scientific Validation of Some Ethnobotanical Plants'

The department of Life Sciences organised an online national seminar on 15 December 2020. Rev Dr S. Ignacimuthu, Scientist and Director, Xavier Research Foundation was the key speaker.

Dr S. Ignacimuthu delivered the keynote address on 'Scientific Validation of Some Ethnobotanical Plants', where he stressed upon the need to identify plants of medicinal importance. He validated its potential activities and brought it to the knowledge of the society. Dr. S. Ignacimuthu through his slides beautifully explained the use of local plants used in the traditional system of medicine. He explained the use of ethnomedicines. He deliberated upon the active constituents of various medicinal plants and their role in combating diseases. He highlighted the need to switch over to traditional herbal medicines to cure and ward off a number of human ailments including COVID. He urged the young audience to focus on herbal research and introduce newer plant products into the society. After the inaugural address, the session was open for discussion. Dr S. Ignacimuthu answered the queries of the audience.

# Book Launch of The Zoo in My Backyard

A Day with an Author series was organised by the Department of English (PG) on October 12, 2020, which also incorporated the book launch of *The Zoo in My Backyard* by the eminent author Mrs Usha Rajagopalan. The book launch was then followed by an interactive session between the author and a poet, writer Mrs Maitreyee B Chowdhury.

The book was launched by Rev. Dr Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) and the first copy were handed to the HOD of the Department of English (PG). During the book launch, Rev. Dr Augustine George expressed his thoughts on the book and how he could relate to it as it took him back to his childhood days.

The interactive session put forth by the department showcased several relevant queries by Mrs Maitryee B Chowdhury which started with the inspiration Mrs Usha had for writing the book The Zoo in my Backyard. She talked about how relevant it was for young minds, especially focusing on the urban kids who are not acquainted with the rural lifestyle alongside nature.

Mrs Usha Rajagopalan very enthusiastically answered all the queries. She explained how her childhood experiences influenced her to write this book. "This book is a tribute" she mentioned while explaining that a number of people moulded her into the person she is today. Mrs Usha further discussed the importance of childhood exposure in one's personal growth and pitched on the conservation of nature. Further, the author mentioned how her book would be an eye-opener to the people who are not acquainted with the distinctive rustic life. Through her narration, the readers got an opportunity to walk through the pastoral world. When questioned about her future works or sequel to the book, she expressed her plans to pen down the humorous experiences she had near the Puttenahalli Lake (Bengaluru).

The session concluded with advice and tips for the students to keep in mind while authoring or editing any piece of writing. Both the dignitaries pitched in information about the importance of reading, writing, and editing. Finally, Mrs Maitryee B Chowdhury put forth a writing formula- "to read like a critic and edit like an enemy".

70 participants including the Principal, the faculty members, the students of the English department (PG), invited guests and the alumni were mesmerized by the weave of words that swathed them in the author's narrative.



USHA RAJAGOPALAN

# Seminar on Gender Sensitization

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Seminar on 'Gender Sensitisation' on October 17, 2020. Dr. Sheeja Krishnakumar, Faculty, School of Management, Kristu Jayanti College, was the speaker. Dr. Krishnakumar discussed the social construction of gender at home and in workplaces.



# SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Skill Development Lecture on Capital Markets in India

**Skill Development Session on Community Engagement** 

**Skill Development Webinar on Investing in Stock Markets** 

Skill Development Workshop on Measuring Risk and Return: How and Why?

Skill Development Session on Productive Programming in Java

Use of AI/ML - A Cyber Security Perspective

'Technical Infrastructure supporting Web Applications'

Poster Designing Competition on International Anti-Corruption Day

Sensitization Lecture on Physical Fitness and Mental Well-being

Skill Development Programme on 'Journey towards Freedom from Poverty: An Alternative Policy for India'

**Virtual Conclave on Corporate Social Responsibility** 

Academia Industry Innovative Series (AIIS) - Campus to Corporate-The Need

**Skill Development Orientation on Prospects of ACCA Programme** 

**Skill Enrichment Programme on Stem Cell** 

Online Certificate Course - 'A Systemic Approach to Financial Inclusion (Self-Paced)'

**Webinar on Tribal Community Development** 

Student Colloquium- 2020-21

International Day for Biological Diversity 2021- Intra Collegiate Fest

'The Gender Gap in Employment: What's Holding Women Back?'

Skill Development Programme on 'Intellectual Property Rights & Indian Pharmaceutical Industry: The Key Challenges'

**Orientation on Psychoeducation and Field Work** 

**Intra-departmental Poster Making Competition** 

Outreach Programme 'Prerana- Introduction to Experimental Science'- Training for Science students

**Quiz Competition – 'A Tribute to the Legend Leo Tolstoy'** 















# SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

First Anniversary Celebration of Fit India Movement - Wellness Talk on 'Hack Your Happy Hormones from Food'

**Mobile Photography Competition** 

**Rereading Gandhian Principles in the Digital Age** 

**Building Innovative Applications using IoT** 

Orientation Session on 'Ideology of Gandhian thoughts for 21st Century Youth'

Alumni Expert Session on Cell Lines in Modern Cancer Research

Institutions Innovation Council - My Story: Hear From an Entrepreneur-I

Viral Vectors: Overcoming hurdles for commercialization of Gene Therapy

**Technical Community Inauguration** 

**Solving Real-Life Problems Using Cognitive Computing** 

**Industry Expert Training (IET) Introduction to Graphic Designing Tools** 

Leadership Programme on Importance of Leadership Development in Long Term Career Planning

**Career Readiness through Competencies** 

Industry Institute Interface (3i) 'Journey of a Data Scientist in the Big Data World'

**Expert Lecture on Oncology Social Work: Scope & Challenges** 

**Industry Expert Training on Power Bl** 

**Theatre Production and Krysalis Release** 

**National Reading Day Quiz** 

The Legacy and Influence of French Literature

The Poets League

Two Day Workshop on Individual and Group Counselling Skills

**Webinar on National Education Policy** 

Syntagma (Online Quiz)

Personal Branding and Employability Skills for Social Work Professionals

Perspective Building Lecture on 'Covid-19 Pandemic: What Would Gandhi Do?'

















### **Skill Development Lecture** on Capital Markets in India

The Department of Commerce (UG) & Investor's Club, Kristu Jayanti College, organised a Skill Development Lecture in association with BSE - IPF titled 'Capital Markets in India', under the Investor Education Program (IEP) on May 08, 2021. Mr N. Mohan Kumar, Co-Partner of Ashirvad Financial Services, Lotus Knowlwealth Pvt. Ltd., was the resource person.

Mr Kumar initiated the lecture with a discourse on savings and investing moving on to capital appreciation sharing insights about mutual funds, investment schemes, and financial products in the capital markets.

### **Skill Development Session on Community Engagement**

The Department of Commerce (UG), with Social Outreach Programme, organised a Skill Development Session on 'Community Engagement'. The session's speaker was Dr Jonas Richard A, Head, Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College. Dr Richard exhorted the importance of community engagement during the pandemic, highlighting the principles of community organization, facilitation skills, and helping one another during challenging situations. The session encouraged students to have a constructive lifestyle.



### Skill Development Workshop on Measuring Risk and Return: How and Why?

The Department of Commerce, Kristu Jayanti College, organised a Skill Development Workshop on 'Measuring Risk and Return: How and Why?' on March 29, 2021. The resource person was Prof. K Kiran Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous). Prof. Kumar initiated the workshop with the basics of risks and return, types of return, expected return, average return, probability, safety, and guarantee return. Numerical sums such as standard deviation and its usage to measure risk and calculation were demonstrated.

# Skill Development Session on Productive Programming in Java

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a Workshop titled 'Productive Programming in Java' on November 03, 2020. The resource person, Mr. Ganesh Samarthym, Co-Founder, Code- Ops Technologies, Bengaluru, introduced Productive Programming and handled the session using Intellij IDEA IDE Tool, explaining the code segments using live templates, autofixes, and refactoring.

# Use of AI/ML - A Cyber Security Perspective

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a lecture titled 'Use of AI/ML - A Cyber Security Perspective' on October 23, 2020. Dr. Mohammed Misbahuddin, Joint Director, ACTS & BD, Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (CDAC), Bengaluru, was the resource person.

Dr. Misbahuddin emphasized the use and misuse of the internet, specifying statistically on cybercrimes such as credit card frauds, email bombing, cyberstalking, forgery, defamation, and cyber-terrorism. He also explained the operational structure of IDS (Intrusion Detection System) and IPS (Intrusion Prevention System), concluding with social engineering aspects.



# Poster Designing Competition on International Anti-Corruption Day

"Corruption is criminal, immoral and the ultimate betrayal of public trust" words of António Guterres, UN Secretary-General. To commemorate International Anti-Corruption Day, the Department of Political Science organised a Poster Designing Competition for all Political Science students to raise consciousness on the types, impacts, and measures to prevent corruption. The competition, which commenced from December 9, to 11, 2020, was noted for active participation.

Abhijit Jayant Sinha, Senior Architect, Infinx India Pvt. Ltd, Bengaluru, India. Mr. Abhijit spoke at lengths about the functioning of Domain Name Servers, discussing applications and hosting on

clouds. The speaker also stressed on load balancers and how to handle disaster recovery.

# Sensitization Lecture on Physical Fitness and Mental Well-being

The Department of Social Work organised a Sensitization Lecture titled 'Physical Fitness and Mental Wellbeing' on August 29, 2020. The session chaired by Dr. Nirupama Franklyn, Public Health Consultant, Bangalore Baptist Hospital, highlighted the innumerable health concerns resulting from physical inactivity, underlining the importance of exercise. Ms. Franklyn also addressed topics on mental health and mental wellbeing.

# Skill Development Programme on 'Journey towards Freedom from Poverty: An Alternative Policy for India'

The Economics Club organised an Expert Talk on 'Journey towards Freedom from Poverty: An Alternative Policy for India' on September 19, 2020. The Chief Guest was Dr Shobana Nelasco, Head and Associate Professor, Research Center of Economics, Fatima College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu, Former Faculty Fellow of UGC, ICSSR, and London School of Economics and Political Science, London.

The talk commenced with a brief explanation of the disease, poverty, hunger, and death in India. The Suresh Tendulkar Committee of 2005 and the schemes it includes were discussed. The speaker updated the gathering on various Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) as an alternative policy towards freedom from poverty. Dr Nelasco also briefed on the necessity to adopt Universal Basic Income (UBI) approach. The talk ended with a quote by Swami Vivekananda, "Society does not go down because of the activities of criminals, but because of the inactivities of good people."



### **Virtual Conclave on Corporate Social Responsibility**

The Department of Social Work organised a two-day virtual conclave on 'Corporate Social Responsibility on August 13 and 14, 2020. Day one, session one, chaired by Dominic Thomas, Associate Manager of CSR in Dr. BR and CR Shetty Foundation, focussed on the need for TBL Reporting System, Global Standards for measuring impact, and Social Research on Investment. The second session, chaired by Mr. Prithviraj Franklin, Global Community Welfare Lead, Cognizant Outreach, Bengaluru, specifically stressed the necessity of volunteering.

Day two, session one, chaired by Mr. Raju, Director of CSR, Indigo (Inter Globe Aviation Ltd.), focused on the scope of CSR, highlighting the specific practices and initiatives of Indigo. The second session of the day, chaired by Ms. Rubini Ve, Proprietor Mind Craft Café, highlighted the CSR provisions, Companies Act on the practicality of implementing CSR projects. The final session of the conclave, chaired by the Head of CSR Quess Corp Ltd. Bengaluru, Smitha B. Sreenivas, explored the impact of CSR on the education sector.

# Academia Industry Innovative Series (AIIS) - Campus to Corporate-The Need

Kristu Jayanti School of Management organised industry interaction on 02 January 2021 through its Academia Industry Innovative Series platform (AIIS). Shri. Jacob C Mundanpallil, Program Head- Goldman Sachs 10000 Women NSRCEL (Start-up Hub), IIM- Bangalore was the guest speaker.

Shri. Jacob C Mundanpallil, Program Head - Goldman Sachs 10000 Women NSRCEL, during his session briefly explained the transition from Campus to Corporate/ Career. The transition phase according to him requires more planning with a concrete objective. The transition from campus to career needs more attention as it involves a lot of planning. While planning for transition one should take account of the personal goals and ambitions. The objective of the planning must ensure that the person possesses the necessary skills to enable the person to cope up with the corporate culture and climate. Also, he added that research suggests that the success of the transition period will have a major impact on aspects like salary, advancement, job satisfaction, and ability to have cordial relationships within the organization as well as on one's feelings of success, accountability, and commitment to the job. And, the impact will last for many years and not just for the first few years.

He gave the students a clear idea about the factors which

companies look for in candidates. It includes knowledge / qualification, hard-working nature, real-world education, loyalty, leadership qualities, and communication ability. He said that possessing good soft skills, the required technical skills, effective communication skills, and a winning resume will help to face the interview with courage and confidence. Making the first impression as an effective contributor will make the process of transition easier. Mannerism, behaviour, the way one dresses up, the way one carries themselves are some of the personality traits that set the tone for future success on the part of the employer.

In his session, he mentioned some tips to succeed during the initial period of transition. The first one is punctuality which is mandatory. Strictly follow the rules and regulations of the corporate. Listen, observe, and pay attention before jumping to any conclusions. Stay away from internal politics and gossip. Follow professional ethics by imparting values and manners. Be a learner, learn to grow. Complete the assignments before time so that one will have time to make changes if required. Pay keen attention to corporate culture to learn how things work within the organizations'. He also discussed the biggest problems one will face when transitioning from campus to corporate and how one can achieve work-life balance.

# Skill Development Orientation on Prospects of ACCA Programme

The Department of Commerce organised a Skill Development Orientation on 'Prospects of ACCA Programme' on March 10, 2021. The speaker, Ms Vasumathi R Shetty, National Head, Learning and Delivery, ISDC, focused on the prospects of ACCA, in-depth analysis of the course, and accentuated the methodology to succeed in the ACCA examination.

### **Skill Enrichment Programme on Stem Cell**

The Department of Life Science organised a skill enrichment programme on 'Stem Cell: The Latest Medical Breakthrough' on 28 November 2020. Dr. D Avinash Gandhi, Mother Cell Regenerative Centre, Tamil Nadu, was the resource person for the talk.

Dr. Gandhi threw light on how mythology can be taken into research. He addressed new approaches available in regenerative medicine which include the Microchip implant, Biopen, 3D Arteries and Educator therapy. He also spoke about the progress taking place in regenerative medicine. He discussed various stem cell therapies and the success rates of the same. Dr. Gandhi concluded his talk by sharing the correlation between bench side, bedside and institutions.

### Online Certificate Course - 'A Systemic Approach to Financial Inclusion (Self-Paced)'

Under the aegis of Economics Club, 48 BA Economics students completed the World Bank certified course titled 'A Systemic Approach to Financial Inclusion (Self- Paced)' conducted from August 09, 2020, to September 20, 2020. The course helped to understand financial inclusion and the systemic approach to make financial service markets more inclusive.

# Webinar on Tribal Community Development

The Department of Social Work initiated an Expert Lecture Series titled 'Sustainable Livelihood Promotion of Tribal Community Development' on August 19, 2020. Dr. Alan Godfrey, PG Coordinator, Department of Social Work, St. Joseph's College, Bengaluru, chaired the session. Dr. Godfrey highlighted the interventions in promoting sustainable livelihood, focusing on tribal communities, stressing the process's specialized mechanisms and underlying challenges.

### Student Colloquium- 2020-21

The Department of Economics organised a student colloquium on the topic 'New Education Policy: An Analysis' on August 28, 2020. Students participated actively and expressed their views on NEP as the need of the hour. They unanimously opined that NEP would paint a new era in education, enhancing the youth's job-oriented skills.



# 'The Gender Gap in Employment: What's Holding Women Back?'

The Department of Economics organised a Guest Lecture titled 'The Gender Gap in Employment: What's Holding Women Back? on August 31, 2020. The resource person, Dr Kavitha Mary, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Loyola College, Chennai, spoke about the importance of women's education and empowerment, which leads to autonomy and decision-making power. Dr Mary raised her opinion on changing certain stereotypes and customs that chain women from employment. Dr Mary also spoke at great lengths about the labour performance gender participation rate (LEPR) and the report of ILO (Indian Labour Organization), which focuses on the low rate of involvement of women labourers in India.

### Skill Development Programme on 'Intellectual Property Rights & Indian Pharmaceutical Industry: The Key Challenges'

The Department of Economics organised an online Expert Talk on the topic 'Intellectual Property Rights & Indian Pharmaceutical Industry: The Key Challenges' on February 12, 2020. The resource person was Dr. T. Purushoth Prabhu, Professor & HOD, C.L. Baid Metha College of Pharmacy, Chennai.

Mr. Prabhu underlined how patents accord pharmaceutical corporations exclusive rights to commercialise pharmaceuticals for a period of 20 years, preventing anyone from manufacture and sales. Pharmaceutical firms must have IPR to identify, plan, commercialise, supply medicine to the general public at a lower cost and defend their inventions.

### Orientation on Psychoeducation and Field Work

The Department of Psychology organised an Orientation on 'Psychoeducation and Field Work' on March 15, 2021. The session, handled by Ms. Soumya Simon, Assistant Professor, Kristu Jayanti College, discussed various fieldwork settings and their working style, emphasizing the need and requirements of the clients and the institution. The session culminated with an overview of fieldwork report writing.



The Department of Life Sciences conducted a poster-making and poem writing competition for UG students on April 22, 2021, titled 'Green Technologies' to commemorate Earth Day. All participants competed in the events with great zeal and enthusiasm.

# Outreach Programme 'Prerana- Introduction to Experimental Science'- Training for Science students

The Department of Life Sciences organised an Outreach Program as part of the DBT Star College Scheme for the students of Royal Concord PU College and St. Vincent Pallotti PU College. Training to identify gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria, qualitative assay for the contaminant present in the milk sample, separation and qualitative determination of nucleic acid using agarose gel electrophoresis, and identification of amino acid present in the unknown sample using paper chromatography were demonstrated.

# Quiz Competition — 'A Tribute to the Legend Leo Tolstoy'

In association with the Department of Humanities, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) the Quiz Club organized a Quiz Competition titled 'A Tribute to the Legend Leo Tolstoy' on November 20, 2020. The event, categorized into four rounds, explored the phenomenal Leo Tolstoy's biography and literary works.

### **Mobile Photography Competition**

Kristu Jayanti College celebrated International Day of Peace on September 21, 2020, by organizing a mobile photography competition. The competition themed as 'Peace' intended to capture an individual's academic and social side.

### First Anniversary Celebration of Fit India Movement - Wellness Talk on 'Hack Your Happy Hormones from Food'

To mark the first anniversary of the Fit India Movement, the Department of Life Sciences organised a Wellness Talk on August 29, 2020, titled 'Hack Your Happy Hormones from Food.' The resource person, Dr. Anto Cordelia Tanislaus, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemical Science, Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman, Perak, Malaysia, focused on hormones including Dopamine, Serotonin, Oxytocin, and Endorphins. The session included discussions on the functions, ailments, deficiency, and stimulation of these hormones. The students were briefed on the diet to be followed to stimulate each of these hormones properly.



### **Rereading Gandhian Principles in the Digital Age**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a 'Rereading Gandhian Principles in the Digital Age' session on October 03, 2020. The resource person, Dr. J. Jehoson Jiresh, Department of Arts and Humanities, Christ Academy Institute for Advanced Studies, Bengaluru, stressed the relevance of Gandhian thoughts, values, and principles along the lines of free speech in today's world.

### **Building Innovative Applications using IoT**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a Webinar as part of the Tech Talk Series titled 'Building Innovative Applications using IoT' on December 05, 2020. Dr. Shobha K. R, Student Branch Counsellor, Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bangalore, was the resource person. Dr. Shobha emphasized the applicability of IoT in making life effortless and mentioned the dynamic nature of IoT devices, which adds(aids?) to the challenges.

### Orientation Session on 'Ideology of Gandhian thoughts for 21st Century Youth'

To observe Gandhi Jayanti, the Department of Life Sciences conducted an Orientation Lecture titled 'Ideology of Gandhian thoughts for 21st Century Youth' on October 05, 2020. The resource person, Dr. R. Venkata Ravi, Centre for Lifelong Learning and Extension, Gandhigram Rural Institute, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu, spoke about the four aspects of freedom - Political, Economic, Social, and Cultural, encouraging the audience to reflect on Gandhi's ideas of leadership which are intended for the youth.

### Alumni Expert Session on Cell Lines in Modern Cancer Research

As part of the Alumni Expert Lecture Series, the Department of Life Sciences conducted a webinar on 'Cell Lines in Modern Cancer Research' on October 03, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Alphy Rose James, Project Manager, Department of Infectious Disease, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. Dr. James spoke in detail about the various cell lines used and motivated to study cancer's biological processes. The speaker also encouraged the audience to take up research as their career option, launching new vistas on cancer research.



# Institutions Innovation Council - My Story: Hear From an Entrepreneur-I

Institution Innovation Council of Kristu Jayanti College organised an Interaction titled 'My Story: Hear from an Entrepreneur' on September 06, 2020. The resource person, Mr. Nirmal George, Head of Operations, BuildNext, Ernakulam, Kerala, enthralled the audience through his remarkable account as an entrepreneur, motivating everyone to embark on a similar journey.

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# Viral Vectors: Overcoming hurdles for commercialization of Gene Therapy

The Department of Life Sciences conducted an International Online Webinar titled 'Viral Vectors: Overcoming hurdles for commercialization of Gene Therapy' on September 15, 2020. The resource person was Dr. Sam Laurel Stephen, Principal Scientist, National Biologics Centre, Darlington, United Kingdom. Dr. Stephen emphasized the concept of virus gene modification and its success in research, sharing his perspectives on lentiviral and retroviral uses for gene transfer.

# **Technical Community Inauguration**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) inaugurated 'Technical Community' on September 19, 2020. The lists of Technical Communities for the academic year were 'Current Trend in Programming Technologies,' 'Computer Architecture & Operations' (OS, Hardware, Io T), 'Networking & Security', 'Software Engineering & Project Management', 'Analytics Era / Research & Development and Creative Design' (UI/UX Design, Web Design). After the Inaugural ceremony, the lists of activities to be conducted under the community were discussed.

# **Solving Real-Life Problems Using Cognitive Computing**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a virtual Tech-Talk in association with IEEE, Bangalore Section titled 'Solving Real-Life Problems Using Cognitive Computing' on September 26, 2020. The speaker, Mr. Nishant Krishna, Software Architect, Inventor and Mentor, Co-Founder, TechMachinery Labs, Bangalore, emphasized the importance of Converging Technologies such as Analytics and Artificial Intelligence of Cognitive Systems, and the critical challenges in the IoT World.

The session delved into Edge Computing and Industry 4.0, Hyper-Realistic Artificial Intelligence, imparting conversational AI Behaviour, the Turing Test and Natural Language Processing, Sentiment Analysis, Metadata Classification, Cognitive Application, and Emerging Cognitive Computing areas and Future Applications of Cognitive Computing.



# Industry Expert Training (IET) Introduction to Graphic Designing Tools

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised an Industry Expert Training (IET) titled 'Introduction to Graphic Designing Tools' on September 18, 2020. The resource person, Mr. Kurian George

Cheripurathu, Alumni of KJC, Managing Partner Grid Technologies Doha, Qatar, presented an introduction to the need for technical students' awareness on learning graphic tools through demonstration of various posters, banners, and websites.

Students were also acquainted with The Photoshop Environment, Basic Image Manipulation, Bitmap Images, Color Basics, Color Modes and Models, Painting Tools, Painting Tools, Brush Settings, Using the Brushes Palette, Making Selections, Selection Basics, Filling and Stroking, and Layers. Mr. George also explained Adobe illustrator as a tool for graphical designing with the aid of Raster and Vector images, Illustrator's environment, Illustrator's tools and palettes & Views in Illustrator.

### **Leadership Programme on Importance** of Leadership Development in Long **Term Career Planning**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a Leadership Programme titled 'Importance of Leadership Development in Long Term Career Planning' on September 19, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Shinto Joseph, Director, South East Asia Operations, LDRA India.

Mr. Joseph introduced the changing concept of VUCA (Volatility, Uncertainty, Complexity, and Ambiguity) in the new normal. The explanation for Industry 4.0 and its demand for technically skilled leaders was emphasized, and also focused on the essential skills of a leader.

### **Career Readiness through Competencies**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised a Webinar titled 'Career Readiness through Competencies' on August 29, 2020. Prof. Sen B. Mathews, Associate Professor, School of Business & Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations (CECR), Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru, delivered the lecture. Prof. Mathews' interactive session provided inputs and pointers on how to face placements with confidence.



The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised the Industry Institute Interface (3i) programme titled 'Journey of a Data Scientist in the Big Data World' on September 05, 2020. Ms. Ashwini Ramani, IT Architect, Big Data and Information Management, IBM Bengaluru, India, was the resource person. Ms. Ramani gave an overview of Big Data Analytics, followed by the steps in the Data Life Cycle, and the role of a Data Scientist. Topics on Multi-Cloud and Hybrid Cloud, Automation, Microservices and containers, Open Source, DevOps, & DataOps, Data Science, and AI were also discussed.

### Expert Lecture on Oncology Social Work: Scope & Challenges

The Department of Social Work organised an Expert Lecture titled 'Oncology Social Work: Scope and challenges' on November 21, 2020. The speaker was Ms. Sumki Begum, National Program Coordinator, Sanjeevani-Life Beyond Cancer, Mumbai. Ms. Sumki Begum initiated the discussion by highlighting the three aspects of cancer awareness: early detection, lowering the risk of developing cancer, and making a substantial difference in a cancer patient's life. The role of a professional social worker in enhancing the quality of life of a patient was discussed.

### **Industry Expert Training on Power BI**

The Department of Computer Science (PG) organised an Industry Expert Training titled 'Power BI' on August 14, 2020. The resource persons were Mr. Jerin John, Associate Solution Designer, Business Intelligence, Data Semantics, Bangalore, and Mr. Aravindan M, Associate Solution Designer, Business Intelligence, Data Semantics, Bangalore.

Mr. John presented an introduction to BI, the difference between BI and AI, general BI architecture, and ETL components of Power BI. A hands-on mode by Mr. Aravindan familiarized the participants with the desktop version of Power BI. The Interface of BI, data import options, data validation, navigator, display option, row and column manipulations, delimiter options, merging of columns, dealing with a query, establishing relations, and data visualisations were explained systematically.

The session also introduced the concepts of connecting to SQL server, Fact table, Data importing from SQL data server, Dimension table, different dimensions- time, product, location, and Power Query Editor.

# Theatre Production and Krysalis Release

The release of the Department in-house publication 'Krysalis' and Theatre Production 'Inside Out' was organised by the Department of English (PG) on March 16, 2021.

The third edition of Krysalis, themed 'Rhythm,' was released by Rev Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College. The chief guests for the release of Theatre Production 'Inside Out: The Battle Within' were Ms. Nirmala Govindarajan, novelist, and journalist, Rev. Fr. Emmanuel P.J, Director, Kristu Jayanti College of Law, and Dr. Mohan R Bolla, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College of Law. The play of a duration of thirty minutes was projected, after which the theatre team was introduced.



### **National Reading Day Quiz**

The Department of Media Studies (PG) organised an Online Reading Quiz on June 19, 2021, on the occasion of National Reading Day. The quiz witnessed healthy competition among the students with Prathana Neoge, entitled as the winner.

### The Legacy and Influence of French Literature

The International Relations Office, Kristu Jayanti College, and the Department of English (PG), in partnership with the Office of International Education and Development, Appalachian State University, conducted 'The Legacy and Influence of French Literature' on April 27, 2021. The speaker was Ms. Rebekah Spurgeon, Cultural Ambassador, Appalachian State University. Ms. Spurgeon elucidated the various aspects of French literature from the historical periods, enumerating the texts and her interaction with the texts as a French National.

### The Poets League

The Department of English (PG) hosted the fourth edition of The Poets League, an intra- departmental activity, on March 31, 2021. This event was arranged exclusively to inspire poets and provide a space for poetry. The poems recited covered themes of women, love, healing, happiness, and loneliness. The poems were written on wooden planks and exhibited.

# Two Day Workshop on Individual and Group Counselling Skills

The Department of Psychology organised a two-day Workshop on 'Individual and Group Counselling Skills' on March 17 and 18, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Romate John, Head of Department of Psychology; Dean of School of Social and Behavioural Sciences; Director of IQAC; Director of International Affairs; Director-in-charge of the Regional Centre of the Central University of Karnataka.

On day one, Dr. John explained the Egan model of Counselling with the aid of demonstrations, role- plays, and snippets from personal life. On the second day, models like the Carkhuff, Ivey, and Ivey, the required micro and macro skills were elucidated, outlining the eleven generic stages, from notification to termination of the group.

### Webinar on National Education Policy

The Department of Political Science organized an Online Webinar on 'National Education Policy' on September 11, 2020, to instill awareness on the new National Educational Policy. Dr. Mustafa, the Dean, and Professor, Department of Education, Central University, Kerala, was the resource person for the session. The engaging lecture discussed the aspects of the National Educational Policy, emphasizing its benefits.

### Syntagma (Online Quiz)

To commemorate Constitution Day, the Department of Political Science organised 'SYNTAGMA' - an Online Quiz from November 26 to 27, 2020. Participants from across the country took part in the quiz with E-certificates issued to those who scored above 80%.



In association with the Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations, the Department of Social Work organised a virtual training session titled 'Personal Branding and Employability Skills for Social Work Professionals' on September 30, 2020. The session was chaired by Prof. Sen B Mathews, Associate Professor, School of Business & Director, Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations (CECR), Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru. Prof. Mathews discussed his insights of being 'organization ready' and the basics of a competent profile, facilitating essential information on current recruitment trends.

# Perspective Building Lecture on 'Covid-19 Pandemic: What Would Gandhi Do?'

The Department of Social Work organised a Perspective Building Lecture titled 'Covid-19 Pandemic: What Would Gandhi Do?' on October 03, 2020. The speaker was Dr. M. William Baskaran, Professor, and Dean, Centre for Gandhian Studies, School of Social Sciences, The Gandhigram Rural Institute, Tamil Nadu. Dr. Baskaran discussed the necessity of bringing a Gandhian approach to the current health crisis focusing on action and welfare measures.



### **WORKSHOP**

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**Workshop on Data Analysis and Interpretation** 

Workshop on 'Planning and Designing of Radio Programme'

**E-Filing of IT Returns** 

**Workshop on Data Analysis for HR and Marketing Projects** 

**Workshop on Research Process for Minor Project** 















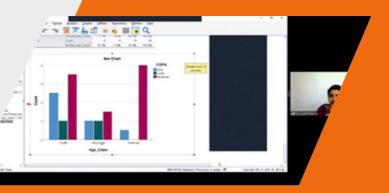
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### **Skill Development** Workshop on Basics of Income Tax

The Department of Commerce (UG) organised a "Skill Development Workshop on Basics of Income Tax" on 31 March 2021. The resource person of the session, Prof. Madhumathi T K, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce addressed IV Semester CBCS - Basics of Investment Management Class. She gave an overview of the basic concepts of income tax including Assessee, Assessment year, Financial year, Hindu Undivided Family, TDS, Resident, Non-Resident, Society, Trust, Business, Investment in tax saving instruments, Income tax slab, and Heads of income.

### **Skill Development Workshop on Ratio Analysis**

The Department of Commerce (UG) organised a "Skill Development Workshop on Ratio Analysis" on 25 March 2021 for IV Semester CBCS - Basics of Investment Management Class. The resource person, Prof. Aneesha K Shaji talked about various ratio analysis concepts such as Liquid ratio, Solvency ratio, Activity ratio, Profitability ratio in detail. Numerical sums related to various ratios were demonstrated and explained. Students found it very useful as they understood the concept of ratio analysis and the importance of its calculation.



### Workshop on 'Online Stock Trading -How and Why?'

The Economics Club of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised a workshop on the title "Online Stock Trading - How and Why?' with the aim of guiding the students on how to do online trading and get benefitted from it. Prof. Kiran Kumar was the resource person of the workshop. He created awareness among students by discussing the strategies of investing in the financial markets, developing the knowledge related to financial markets, and the services provided by the Stock Market. Also, he introduced the students to two new mobile applications which would better help them in understanding online stock trading.

## Two-Day Virtual Workshop on 'Data **Analysis using SPSS'**

The Department of Commerce (PG) organised a "Two-Day Virtual Workshop on Data Analysis Using SPSS" on 10, 11 Economics students as a part of the skill development program. The workshop was inaugurated by Rev. Fr. Lijo P Thomas, Financial Administrator, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous). Dr Jyothi Manoj, Associate Professor, Department of Statistics was the resource person. She elaborated on the usage and application of various statistical tools and techniques with the help of SPSS Statistics 20 to test hypothetical data of real-life business problems. The students felt that the learnings of the session will be helpful for them to prepare quality research articles and projects in consequent semesters as a part of their academic curriculum.

### **National Level Workshop on Applied Econometrics**

The Department of Economics (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a National Level Workshop on Applied Econometrics on 24 & 25 February 2020 for PG students. The workshop was inaugurated by Rev. Fr Lijo P Thomas, the Financial Administrator of Kristu Jayanti College. He enlightened the students about the importance of statistics and econometrics in day-to-day life. The workshop dealt with two main topics: "Introduction to Econometrics Software- Gretl: Descriptive Statistics and Graphical Representations" and " Cointegration and Error Correlation Mechanism: Concept of Causality." Dr Justin Michael Nelson and Dr Jyoti Manoj were the resource persons of the sessions. They enunciated the major concepts related to econometrics which will be very useful for the students to analyse research work.





### **National Workshop on Advanced Statistical Analysis** using SPSS

The Department of Management (UG) organised a fiveday "National Workshop on Advanced Statistical Analysis using SPSS" from 14 December 2020 to 18 December 2020. The workshop was inaugurated by Rev Dr Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous). Dr Jyoti Manoj and Dr Vinoth Balakrishnan were the resource persons. The workshop aimed to equip academicians, researchers and other stakeholders to gain practical insights on data collection tools, statistical tools along with the application of technology of data processing and statistical analysis in social science research. The workshop will enable the researchers to analyse the multidisciplinary data during the research work.

### VIRTUOSO 2020 **Management Workshop**

A workshop, Virtuoso was conducted by the Department of Management on 25 September 2020. It aimed at giving the students exposure to the verticals of management. The workshop was divided into six events, namely: Best CEO, Human Resource, Marketing, Finance, Business Quiz and Entrepreneurship. It was organised by final year students for the first-year students of the department. The inauguration session was held on 25 September 2020. The Chief Guest for the session was Shri. Amit Khanna, General Manager, Human Resource, Bangalore International Airport Limited, Bengaluru. He gave an insight into the dynamic world of business and the new trends. Virtuoso helped the students to learn about several crucial skills needed in the corporate world such as presentation skills, strategy skills, etc. They were given a wholesome learning experience of various functional departments in a business organization and its functioning.

### **One-day Bridge Workshop on Science of Soldering**

Department of Electronics organised a one-day bridge workshop on "Science of Soldering" on 15 March 2021. Asst. Prof. Amjad Hassan Khan and Dr Mayank Pandey were the resource persons of the workshop. Prof. Amjad explained the way in which different electronic components are identified and used in electronics. Students had handson experience and were able to solder the circuit on the lug strip. Dr Mayank Pandey on the other hand explained the procedure to solder the circuit on the Printed Circuit Board (PCB). The workshop provided a learning experience for the students and provided them with a platform to learn and build the circuits on the PCB.





### Training on MS Excel for **Social Work Professionals**

The Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College organised a training programme, "Microsoft Excel for Social work Professionals" on 15 January 2021 to help the social work

Prof. Vani Chakraborty, Department of Computer Science, Kristu Jayanti College was the resource person. She initiated the session with an introduction to MS Excel and explained the basic elements of Excel. She highlighted how to format the worksheet and the presentation of data, including conditional formatting. Prof. Vani guided the students in the usage of formulas and functions. She briefed the students on the application of pivot, charts and graphs for the representation of data.

The entire session was well structured and was made interactive with the help of guizzes and discussions. This hands-on training helped the students learn the basic functionalities of MS Excel and its usage.

### **Online Certification Course on Cyber Psychology**

An online certification course on Cyber Psychology was conducted from 7 April-27April 2021 by the Department of Computer Science (UG) and the Department of Psychology. The program was inaugurated by Dr Lancy D'Souza, Professor of Psychology, Maharaja's College, Mysore on 7 April 2021. Dr Lancy covered the basics of Cyber Psychology and stressed the importance of the subject while taking up research work. The presidential address was given by Rev Fr. Emmanuel P J, Director, Kristu Jayanti College of Law. Father reiterated the significance of undertaking a course on "Cyber Psychology" in the present scenario.

### **Managing your Mental Health During COVID-19**

The webinar on "Managing your Mental Health during COVID-19" evoked a feeling of positivity among the faculty and students of the Department of Computer Science (UG). The webinar was conducted for 3 days from 24 May 2021 to 26 May 2021 year wise. The resource person for the session, Mr Vigraanth Bapu. K. G, enlightened the virtual gathering on the insights of mental health and what one can do to overcome the stress they were going through. He urged the students towards self-care by engaging themselves in activities which are very important to maintain a healthy body and mind. He encouraged students to exercise on a regular basis as it would lead to positive changes in a person's well-being. He also shared tips on how to improve one's sleep schedule. The session relieved students from their mental stress and helped in training their minds to accept reality and hope for a better future.





### **Creatrix-Where Creativity Meets Science!**

Creatrix was conducted on 7th February 2020 by the Department of Life Sciences (UG) for undergraduate students. The event was inagurated by Dr Gopalakrishna Ramaswamy, Founder and CEO, Theracues provided an opportunity for the students to present innovative working models related to Biotechnology, Microbiology, Biochemistry, Genetics, Botany and Forensic Science. The students suggested new approaches to solve the rising environmental crisis, in a scientific way.

### Salesforce -Women in Tech Initiative

The Department of Computer Science (UG) organised "A Technical Briefing Session on Salesforce Fundamentals - Women in Tech Initiative". Mr Mahendra, Salesforce Developer and Ms Milda Thomas, Salesforce Quality Assurance Manager were the resource persons of the session. Mr Mahendra gave an overview of Salesforce and shared about the various opportunities available for freshers to get into Salesforce. He enlightened the students about the lightning platform that is used to build industry-specific applications. He encouraged the students to enrich their knowledge in coding and also take up a salesforce course that would enable them to get into salesforce as salesforce administrators. Ms Milda oriented the students regarding the process in which the women job seekers are introduced to Salesforce through self-quided Trailmix work and weekly virtual learning sessions. She also encouraged women job seekers to explore career paths within the ecosystem through networking opportunities with partners and customers by utilising the trailblazer connect.

### Workshop on **Electric Car Designing and Future of Electric Car in India**

National Service Scheme Unit of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bangalore, in association with Saur Urja Vehicle Challenge (SUVC), conducted a workshop on Electric Car Designing and the Future of Electric Car in India on 28 February 2021. The workshop aimed to create awareness among the students about the importance of electric cars and sustainable energy about the future of electric cars in

Mr Rahul Rajput, the founder of SUVC, Mr Ajith Singh, CEO of SUVC and Mr Kishore Murugan, zonal head of SUVC, were the resource persons of the workshop. Mr Rahul Rajput introduced solar-powered electric cars to the students. Mr Kishore Murugan elaborated on electric car designing. He explained the scope of electric cars in the future of India. Mr Bharat introduced the usage of Electric cars, their basic functions, their working principle and their use for the environment.



### Workshop on Individual and Group Counselling Skills

The Department of Psychology organised a two-day workshop on individual and group counselling skills on 17 and 18 March 2021. The resource person for the session was Dr Romate John, Head of Department of Psychology; Dean of School of Social and Behavioural Sciences; Director of IQAC; Director of International Affairs; Director-in-charge of the Regional Centre of the Central University of Karnataka.

Dr Romate John started the workshop with some energisers. students knew about the meaning of counselling, the guidance and were exposed to the skills, approaches, and models of counselling. On the first day, he explained the Egan model of counselling elaborately with the help of short demonstrations and role-plays and a lot of insights, personal experiences, and tips about various nuances that psychological counselling comes with. He also kept

conducting energisers, games and short competitions related to the model being taught to keep the session lively. He emphasised the difference between a demand and a request as a counsellor and how a counsellor should always give importance to the client's right to choose. On the second day, he conducted an elaborate role-play session during the first half of the session, demonstrating all stages and steps in the model taught on the previous day. Other models like the Carkhuff; Ivey and Ivey models and all required micro and macro skills were explained. In demonstrations to explain important skills and the major stages in group counselling. Dr John outlined eleven generic stages from notification to termination of the group. Overall, the two-day workshop was very informative and insightful for the trainee counsellors.

### **WORKSHOP**

### Media-tech Workshop on Adobe InDesign

The Department of Media Studies (PG), organised a two-day Media-tech workshop on InDesign on 12 & 13 October 2020 for I Sem MA JMC students. Mr Praveen Kumar Nayak, Founder and CEO of ARTEMYCK Design Studio, was the resource person. He explained the functions of various tools in InDesign and elaborated on the visual principles of creating a magazine and newspaper layout. He covered areas such as placing and formatting images, paragraph styles in InDesign, applying colour themes, working with layers, package, save, export, and print files in InDesign. The workshop helped students to understand the principles of design and application in InDesign software.

### Create Art – A Workshop

The Department of English (PG) organised a workshop on 'Create Art' on 6 January 2020. The purpose of this workshop was to explore new modalities of expression in order to broaden the artistic range and creative experience of the students. Ms Samyuktha Rao, an art curator was the resource person. She started the session by dividing the students into groups of six and within the short time, she explained through the activities that each and everyone has got an artist hidden within them. This was a fruitful experience for the students as the resource person gave many tips to make the artwork creative using eco-friendly products.





### **In-Design A Workshop**

The Department of English (PG) organised a workshop titled 'In-Design' on 7 February 2020. The purpose of this workshop was to familiarise the students with various page layout techniques that can be effectively used for the designing of magazines and other creative works. The resource person of the workshop was Prof. Abdul Rasheed, Faculty, Department of MCJ, Kristu Jayanti College. He briefed the students about the software and its various opportunities in the designing field. The practical learning session introduced the students to the software which is primarily intended for the purpose of magazine editing. He also introduced various technical terms like bleed, slug, gutter etc.

### The Language of Silence

The Department of English (PG) organised a workshop on "The Language of Silence" for the final year students on 22 January 2020. Prof. Maria Goretti J, Head of the Department of Sign Language at Dr S. R. C Institute of Speech and Hearing, Bengaluru was the resource person. She oriented the students regarding the ways to deal with deaf people and stressed the importance of learning Indian Sign Language (ISL). She taught them several deaf vocabularies such as relationships, colours, numbers, and different varieties of food. She concluded the session by reasserting the importance of preserving the precious gifts of speech and hearing and the means to take care of our ears. The students enjoyed the interactive session and learnt the art of communicating sans words.

## **NATAKA SIDHANTA** Theatre Workshop

The Department of English (PG) organised "Nataka Sidhanta", a Theatre Workshop on 8 January 2020. The purpose of the workshop was to sensitise the students to the various theoretical aspects of theatre. Dr Pavithra, Faculty in Theatre Arts, Department of Performing Arts, Bangalore University was the resource person. She helped the students to familiarize themselves with the origin, theories of theatre and the theorists by explaining to them the structure of these theories along with an explanation of Aristotle's 'structure of a play'. The workshop was very beneficial for the students because they were able to sensitize themselves to the 'isms' of theatre which includes Classicism, Neoclassicism, Realism, Naturalism, Expressionism and Symbolism.





## **Workshop on Gender Sensitisation: Promoting Gender Equality and Preventing Gender-based Violence**

The Department of Social Work organised a two-day workshop on "Gender Sensitisation: Promoting Gender Equality and Preventing Gender-based Violence" on 19, 20 conducted by Ms Mercy Kappen, Founder, Visthar, Bengaluru; Dr David Selvaraj, Co-founder, Visthar Bengaluru and Ms Asha, Gender sensitisation expert, Bengaluru. The workshop had various interactive activities that allowed the trainees to unlearn and question and more importantly discuss the various nuances of gender and its related concepts. The trainees realised that discourses regarding the equality of all genders are essential to bringing about an actual change and awareness in society.

## **Training on MS Excel for Social Work Professionals**

The Department of Social Work organised training on "Microsoft Excel for Social Work Professionals" on 15 significance of Microsoft Excel and its usage. The training was facilitated by Prof. Vani Chakraborty from the Department of Computer Science, Kristu Jayanti College, (Autonomous), Bangalore. She initiated the session with an introduction to MS Excel and then enumerated the basic elements of Excel such as formatting the worksheet, the presentation of data including conditional formatting and the usage of formulas and functions. She briefed the students about the application of pivot, charts and graphs for the representation of data. This training helped the students learn the basic functionalities of MS Excel and its usage.

#### **WORKSHOP**

### Workshop on Basic Math using Python

Department of Mathematics (UG) conducted a Python workshop for the first year B.Sc students on 7 February 2021. Mr Shivakumar B. N, the resource person gave an introduction to the software by sharing some interesting facts and features of Python. He reinforced the scope of learning Python in the field of mathematics by explaining the usage of mathematical operators, operator's precedence rule, python arithmetic and comparison operators, python assignment operators, conditional statements, plotting curves and trigonometric functions in python. The session was very informative and interesting for the students as they could comprehend the basic mathematics through python.

## **Virtual Workshop on Getting Started** with Alice3

The Department of Computer Science (UG) in association with Oracle Academy organised a Virtual Workshop on Java using Alice3 on 5 November 2020. The resource person of the workshop, Mr Jayaprakash Anjarapu, Oracle Academy, provided a detailed introduction about Alice3 software and its uses. He elaborated on how Alice3 uses a drag and drop environment to create computer animations using 3D models. He created a virtual environment and showed how to assign specific properties to an object in Alice3. He concluded the session by orienting the students about the different career opportunities available in the field.



## Workshop on **Data Analysis and Interpretation**

The Department of Media Studies (PG), organised a two-day workshop on Data Analysis and Interpretation for the final year postgraduate students of MA Journalism and Mass Communication (MA JMC) on 16, 17 December 2020 to train the students on how to do data analysis and interpretation from the researched data using Statistical Package for Social Science (SPPS). Shri. Harikrishnan Bhaskaran, Assistant Professor in the Department of Journalism and Creative Writing, School of University of Himachal Pradesh was the resource person of the workshop. He discussed how qualitative and quantitative data can be analyzed and interpreted. He further brought out the various aspects of widely used research techniques in social science, especially in communication research such as survey, focus group discussion and interview, and content analysis. The workshop will be helpful for students to write the thesis.

## Workshop on 'Planning and Designing of Radio Programme<sup>4</sup>

The Department of Media Studies (PG) organised a workshop on "Planning and Designing of Radio Programme" on 5 December 2020. The resource person of the event was Mr Fahad Raza, Transmission Executive at All India Radio, Calicut. He appreciated the college for putting in efforts to bring out radio programmes through KJC Radio. He described the process and various formats involved in radio production He also explained to the students about the importance and scope of special audience programmes. He shared his own experience in All India Radio as a radio presenter and also about the rebranding of AIR in the upcoming years.

## **E-Filing of IT Returns**

Kristu Jayanti Tax Advisory Cell (KJTAC) of the Department of Commerce (PG) organised the third edition of the Skill Development Workshop on "E-Filing of IT Returns" on 27 November 2020. Prof. Bharti Ranade, M.Com, CA, was the resource person for the session.

Prof. Bharti Ranade expounded about tax planning information and services and tax-saving sheltered schemes for meeting divergent tax-saving objectives of individual income tax assesses. Besides e-tax filing services, she also highlighted a plethora of advisory services on various tax planning and saving schemes that are available to suit varying income tax savings objectives of individual tax assesses. She provided a comprehensive overview of various aspects of IT filing including, who can file, consequences of not filing IT returns, Prerequisites for Filing Return of Income and Online Return Filing Procedure.

A total of 148 participants actively attended the Skill Development Workshop on "e-Filing of IT Returns. The workshop benefitted students and faculty members by providing income tax-related know-how information and services.



## Workshop on **Data Analysis for HR and Marketing Projects**

Kristu Jayanti School of Management conducted a workshop on Data Analysis for HR and Marketing Projects', on 18 November 2020. Dr Bala Sendhil Kumar G, Associate Professor, School of Management, was the resource person.

Dr Bala gave a brief introduction to data analysis. Explaining the different types of data, Dr Bala highlighted the various statistical tools and tests that could be used to analyse the different types of data. Every test was explained with sample data, the reason behind choosing a particular test for a specific type of data, the process of analysis, and the interpretation and presentation of the findings. He introduced the SPSS application for data analysis. Various data analysis and hypothesis testing tools such as Independent Sample T-Test, Chi-Square, ANOVA, Correlation, simple regression and multiple regressions were explained practically. The workshop helped the final year students to complete their data analysis for the project report.

## Workshop on Research Process for **Minor Project**

The Department of Psychology organised a webinar on 9 December 2020 on 'Research Process for Minor project' for M.Sc. Psychology students. Dr Molly Joy, Head, Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College was the resource person.

The session focused on defining a research problem, identifying the sample for the study, selecting the sample, formulating the objectives and research questions, formulating hypotheses, hypotheses. Dr Molly also explained how to interpret the results and write a discussion of a project. The students were also given an

## **FESTS**

**Fade In: Documentary Festival** 

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#### **ATRIUM 2021**

The Unit of Forensic Science, Department of Life Sciences with the support and management of Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) organised Atrium 2021, an intracollegiate forensic fest for the first year and second-year undergraduate students of forensic science. This forensic fest aimed at discovering students' knowledge and understanding of the subject as it offered a wide range of science-related events. The events were conducted by the teachers of the unit of forensic science. The fest was executed with a total of 10 events and was organised at its best of quality. The fest was conducted online due to the pandemic situation using the ZOOM platform. The highspirited forensic fest started with preliminary rounds of various events on 3rd March 2021.

Atrium, the first forensic fest in the college, selected the theme, crime and investigation. With respect to this, the events were organised accordingly. Cognitionis- the quiz event had a preliminary round and a time limit was given for each question to be answered. This kept the students on their feet even though the competition was virtual. Events like

Scleus Fabula tested their writing and intuitive skills as the event dealt with writing a crime story but based on scientific facts. To bring out the forensic scientist or the detective within them, events like Inquisitor, Obscura, Fortitudo aimed at testing their investigation, intuitive, observation skills respectively. Events like Parle (debate), Pictura (Logo Designing), and Prescripta (sketching) were organised and these tested their artistic skills. Realis (the documentary contest) was themed as "Water-the essence of life". The last event was Qualis which analysed the best participation and performance of the students.



#### SAVISHKAR 2020

Savishkar is a management exhibition which is organised annually by the Department of Management. It aimed at giving all the young management aspirants an opportunity to showcase their innovative ideas and logical skills induced in their management concept. The exhibition was inaugurated by Ms Arthi Sunil, Founder director, Indriya

Lifestyle Ventures. It was a grand platform for all the 1st year BBA students to showcase their management concepts and ideologies through handcrafted models of both static models and working models. The exhibits of the event primarily focused on the aspects of innovative, futuristic, pragmatic concepts which have the potential to bring a herculean change in society through solutions.

## **Innovatio 2020**

Innovatio 2020 is a business plan competition conducted exclusively for the final year students of the Department of Management (BBA). The main purpose of this competition was to develop entrepreneurship ability and to inculcate the needed confidence and knowledge to start a business. Innovatio 2020 was inaugurated by Mr Paniraj Murthy, CEO & Logistics, NextStep Logistics Pvt Ltd and Ms Shobha Satish, Founder & Director, NextStep Logistics Pvt Ltd on 24 January 2020. The guest emphasised that passion is an integral aspect for an entrepreneur to establish a successful business. The event provided a platform for the budding entrepreneurs to showcase their business ideas and gather opinions on the areas of improvement.



## **Fade In: Documentary Festival**

Film Club, in association with the Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised 'Fade In: Documentary Festival' on October 24, 2020. The chief guest of the event was Dr. C.S. Venkiteswaran, Documentary Filmmaker and Critic. Dr. Venkiteswaran explicated that a documentary reflects the real world, unlike other film genres.

## **Mediarchy - Intracollegiate Media Fest**

The Department of Media Studies, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the first edition of the Intra-collegiate Media Fest 'Mediarchy - The Power of Media' on December 08, 2020. Shri Jitender Bhargava, Director PRCI, Author and Former Executive Director of Air India, inaugurated the event. Shri Bhargava spoke about the power of media in a democracy motivating aspiring journalists. The first edition of the media fest comprised six events that tested the students' reporting, photography, videography, designing, marketing, and analytical skills.

## Stimuli 2020: National Level Virtual **Inter-Collegiate Psychology Fest**

The Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the sixth edition of 'STIMULI 2020', a National Level Inter-Collegiate Psychology Fest, themed 'Self Development through Reskilling and Upskilling' on October 13, 2020.

Dr. Sandra Joseph, Principal, Jesus and Mary College, New Delhi, was the Chief Guest. In his Presidential address, Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, spoke about the importance of connecting with each other. Indian Institute of Psychology and Research (IIPR), Bengaluru won the Overall Championship, and CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru, won the runners-up trophy in the various events conducted.

## **ACUMEN 2020: Intra Collegiate Management Fest**

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the Intra-Collegiate Management Fest ACUMEN 2020 on October 15 and 16, 2020.

Ms. Lakshmi Konnanath, Director and Founder, VICIGI, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, inaugurated the fest. Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, stressed the importance of values and adaptability in the current corporate world. The fest comprised events like Best Manager, Best Management Team, Public Relations, Digital Marketing, Wealth Management, and Best CEO.

## **Bioventura Intra-Collegiate Biofest**

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Bioventura 2020 -Intra-Collegiate Biofest, themed 'The Pandemic' from November 18 to 20, 2020. Prof. Mukesh Doble, Professor Emeritus, Department of Biotechnology, IIT Chennai, was the chief quest. Prof. Doble delivered a keynote address on the topic 'Polymers as Medical Implants.'



## **Prodigy 2020**

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Prodigy 2020, a National Inter-Collegiate Management Fest, themed 'Armageddon' with the tagline, 'Can You Outlive the End.'

The fest was inaugurated by Ms. Arthi Sunil, Founder Director, Indriya Lifestyle Ventures. Ms. Sunil spoke about the importance of achieving excellence and quality in work without compromising ethics and values. The events comprised Stock Broker, Interest Rate Analysis, Wealth Management, Scarcity Optimization, Margin Call, The Lone Wolf, Designated Survivor, and Shark Tank.



#### Connoisseur 2020

The Life Science Club, in association with The Department of Life Sciences (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Connoisseur 2020, an Intra-Collegiate Biofest on the theme 'Bio verse' from October 9 to 14, 2020. Ms. Suja Sajiv, Manager-People Relations, Molecular Connections Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, was the Chief Guest. Various fest events were quiz, debate, poster making, lecture competition, bio-manager, shipwreck, mask designing, and minute to win.



### **Quiz-Tech Intellect**

The Quiz Club in association with Department of Computer Science (UG) organized a "Quiz - Tech Intellect" on 5 December 2020. The quiz was all about the Modern Technology software and its evolution. The students participated very enthusiastically and made it a huge success.

### **National Mathematics Day**

The Department of Mathematics, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), in association with The Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology, celebrated National Mathematics Day on December 04, 2020. The speakers were Dr. Dileep Kumar, Assistant professor, Department of Mathematics, University of Kerala, and Dr. R.S. Selvaraj, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematics, NIT Warangal.

Dr. Kumar spoke about the applications of Mathematics in various fields like - applications in day-to-day life, calculus, number theory, differential equations, Fourier transforms, and astrophysics. On the other hand, Dr. Selvaraj spoke about ubiquitous Mathematics, Gabriel's Horn, applications of linear algebra in robotics, navigation, and locomotion.

### Estimato 2020 Statistics Fest

The Department of Statistics, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised ESTIMATO, a National Inter-Collegiate Statistics Fest, on World Statistics Fest on October 28, 2020. The events organised during the fest were Quiz, Statistical Paradox, and Data Challenge.

#### Adroit 2020

The Department of Commerce (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Adroit 2020: Inter-Collegiate Commerce Fest on January 31 and February 1, 2020. The fest events were Best Manager, Public Relations, Human Resource, Marketing, Finance, Mock Stock, Business Quiz, Tourism Marketing, Travel Hunt, Event Strategist, and Travel Quiz.



The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Innovatio 2021 on April 19, 2021. The Chief Guest was Dr. K.P. Najeemudeen, Founder and CEO, Crea Insights - Business Research & Creative Solutions. Dr. Najeemudeen shared his entrepreneurial wisdom, life experiences, and suggestions to begin the business journey.



## Impulse 2K20

The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised IMPULSE 2K20, an Intra-Collegiate Commerce PG themed 'Rhythm of Renaissance' on December 09, 2020. The Chief Guest was Dr. Anil Kumar, Associate Professor, Shri Ram College of Commerce, University of Delhi, New Delhi. The core events of Impulse 2K20 were Financial Analyst, Auditor, Venture Capitalist, Investment Banker, Mock Stock, and Tax Advisory.

### **Inquizitive 2020**

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Inquizitive 2020, the second edition of the Business Quiz Competition, on November 28, 2020.

#### Oberiu 2020

The Department of English (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the fourth edition of the Intra-Departmental Literary Fest, Oberiu 2K20, on November 04, 2020. The Chief Guest was Ms. Roshni Dinaker, Film Director and Fashion Designer, who has carved a niche in the Kannada, Tamil, and Malayalam film industries since 2002. The chief guest opined that Oberiu 2K20's key ingredient replicates 'good competition' and a 'healthy exhibition of talents.'

#### Lumos

The Photography Club, in association with The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Lumos, a photography exhibition. Online photography and photo battle competitions were conducted.

## **Synchronize**

The Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised Synchronize, the Intra-Collegiate Fest on October 22 and 23, 2020. The resource person for the inaugural session was Dr. Anal Acharya, Professor, St. Xavier's College, Kolkata. Several events were conducted based on the theme of Robotic Process Automation (RPA): Ideathon, Physics Event, Stats Event, Maths Event, Electronics Event, Graphotech, IT Quiz, Coding and Debugging, and Webiplex.





### Xactitude IT Fest 2021

The Department of Computer Science, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised the annual Science and Technology festival Xactitude 2021 on February 11 and 12, 2021. The theme of the fest was 'Robotic Process Automation.'

Mr. Ajith Mathew George, Cofounder, Sysfore Technologies, Bengaluru, inaugurated the fest. Mr. Mathew emphasized the future of work and sustainability in the IT industry. The events included Knowledge Agent (IT Quiz), Wintask (Coding & Debugging event), Solvexia (Mathematics event), Botstatz (Statistics event), Electroneek (Electronics event), and Xcelerator One (Physics Event).

# FDP on 'Understanding Cyber Space and Maintaining Safety'

Forensic Science, a unit of the Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online FDP on 'Understanding Cyber Space and Maintaining Safety' from June 10 to 12, 2020. The resource person was Mr. Don Caeiro, Assistant Professor, Forensic Science, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru. The session elaborated on cyberspace, technology, and cybercrimes.

## FDP on 'SARS-COV-2 Research: Insights from Computational Biology'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online FDP on 'SARS-COV-2 Research: Insights from Computational Biology' from May 11, 2020, to May 15, 2020. The resource persons were Dr. Dileep Francis & Dr. Sangeetha Menon, Assistant Professors, Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College. The session focused on the biological aspects of the virus and how Computational Biology helped the world to understand the virus better.

## FDP on 'Insights in Intellectual Property Rights and Patenting'

The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised an Online FDP on 'Insights in Intellectual Property Rights and Patenting' from June 11 to 13, 2020.

Mr. Nitin Nair, Senior Partner, BananaIP (BIP) Counsels, Bengaluru, elaborated on patents, types, and functionality. Mr.Manoj Madhavan, Assistant Controller of Patents and Designs, Chennai, briefed about IPR, trademarks, copyrights, logo, and patenting system in India. Ms. Bindu Sharma, Founder & CEO, Origiin IP Solutions LLP, Bengaluru, enlightened the contributions of various organizations in IPR and Patenting such as Shoolini University and Amity University.





## Mitrotsava Virtual Alumni Meet 2021

ristu Jayanti Alumni Association hosted the annual alumni meet 'Mitrotsava' on 31 January 2021. True to the Jayantian spirit, the association left no stone unturned and hosted this year's alumni meet in a virtual format due to pandemic restrictions.

Over a thousand alumni registered for the event and participated virtually on the Zoom and YouTube platforms. Mr Andrew Jayapaul, the former contestant of the Big Boss Kannada reality show and alumnus of Kristu Jayanti College, was the host of the event. At the virtual alumni meet, alumni glimpsed through a virtual campus tour of the campus's recent developments.

Robin Reynolds, the president of the association, welcomed the gathering and reinforced the alumni community's need to stand together to support one another. Fr. Dr. Augustine George,

the principal, delivered the presidential address. Dr Aloysius Edwad J, Dr Calistus Jude and Dr Gopakumar AV, the deans of Kristu Jayanti College, presented the institution's achievements and milestones. Rev. Fr. Josekutty PD, the Director, Chavara Institutions, Pala, and Former Principal Kristu Jayanti College wished the alumnae the very best. Rev. Fr. Sebastian Thekkedathu Augustine, Delegate Superior of CMI, New York & Rev. Fr. Issac PJ, Principal, Mary Matha College, Periyakulam also felicitated the gathering.

After the formal gather, the various departments organised sessions with alumni, where they shared their success stories and followed up the development of the department. The virtual event provided a platform for the former students to connect with their Alma mater.





## Webinar on 'National Education Policy'

The Department of political science has organised an online "Webinar on National Educational Policy" to bring awareness to the new national education policy. The webinar began with a silent prayer. Prof. Rukmini Kakoty, MC for the program, welcomed everyone for the programme. Dr Mustafa, the Dean and Professor, Department of Education, Central University, Kerala was the resource person for the session. The session began with the Presidential address given by Rev. Father Josekutty P. D., Director of Kristu Jayanti College; Welcome Speech was given by Prof. S.J. Michael, Head of the Department and Coordinator for the Department of Social Science and languages followed by the introduction of the Chief Guest by Dr Shareef. The resource person gave an insight into the characteristics of the National Educational policy highlighting the advantages of the policy. The session ended with a vote of thanks proposed by Dr Kaveri Swami.

## **Guest Lecture on Prevention of Emotional Violence against Women:** A Psychosocial Approach

Department of Political Science has organised a Guest Lecture on 25th November 2020 through online mode between 2.15 to 3.15 pm. The Guest Lecture began with a silent prayer. Sanjay of Class III Sem HEP was the MC for the program, the welcome speech was given by Deepthi, the student coordinator and the guest was introduced by Dr Kaveri Swami, Faculty Coordinator, Department of Political Science. Dr Winnie Joyce A, Asst. Prof. Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College was the guest of the day. She delivered a guest lecture on the topic, Prevention of Emotional Violence against Women: A Psychosocial Approach. The resource person gave an insight into the emotions of an individual. The resource person also spoke about how to treat Negative Emotions. Everybody has a right to exhibit their emotion through anger, love, affection, tears etc. It should not be considered as the sole domain of women. The resource person conducted a poll in the course of the session. Later, Shubham, the student coordinator proposed the vote of thanks.

## Vidyarthi Vichara – Students **Presentation**

Department of Political Science has organised Vidyarthi Vichara - Students Presentation on 26th November 2020 through online mode to commemorate the day which is also celebrated as Samvidhan Diwas or Law Day. As all Indians know, 26th Nov. 1949 holds great importance in the history of India. A number of students presented their views on various aspects of the Indian Constitution, its process of formulation and its foundational ideals and values. This event gave the students an opportunity to learn and find out on their own about the Constitution and what our founding fathers had envisaged.

## Webinar on Constitutional Values "SAMVIDHAN"

Department of Political Science has organised a Webinar on Constitutional Values titled "SAMVIDHAN" on 26th November 2020 through online mode between 10.45 to 11.45 am. Prof. Mahesh S Betasur, Assistant Professor, Kristu Jayanti College of Law, was the guest of the day. He delivered a lecture on the topic - "Ideals of Indian Constitution". The Resource person spoke about the meaning and importance of the Constitution. He also spoke about the Preamble -a preface to the Indian Constitution. He discussed Constitutional values such as Liberty, Justice, Equality and Fraternity and spoke about Impartiality, Transparency and Accountability, Public Welfare through various articles of the Constitution. The Session was very informative and interactive.

## **QUIZVID-19**

The Department of political science has organised QUIZVID-19, an online Quiz programme to bring awareness to the ongoing world pandemic under the able leadership of Prof. S. J. Michael, Head of the Department and Coordinator for the Department of Social Science. He was assisted by the Department faculty members and the co-conveners of the quiz- Dr Kaveri Swami and Prof. Shareef Povval. The Quiz was inaugurated by Rev. Fr. Dr Augustine George. The Quiz was opened to all from 1st July 2020, 10 am to 6th July 2020, 5 pm. 852 participants across the country participated in the Quiz and E- certificate was provided to all those who scored above

## Syntagma (Online Quiz)

The Department of Political Science has organised "SYNTAGMA" - An online Quiz from 26th November 2020 to 27th November 2020 to commemorate Constitution Day. The quiz was open to all. Nearly 177 participants across the country participated in the quiz and an E- Certificate was provided to all those who scored above 80%.



# OBSERVATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS

Sarvodaya Day titled "Our Bapu"

**Anniversary Celebration of Fit India Movement** 

**Essay Writing Competition** 

**Aikyathe-Commemorating Unity Day** 

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)

International Day for Elimination of Violence against Women

**Girl Child Day** 

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'World No Tobacco Day'

**International Accounting Day** 

**World Suicide Prevention Day** 

International Day of Women and Girls in Science

Fit India Movement National Sports Day - 2020 Wellness through Yoga

**World Earth Day** 

**Parakram Diwas** 

**World Social Work Day 2021** 

**International Women's Day Conference 2021** 

**SAMVIDHAN DIWAS - Commemorating the Adoption of the Constitution of India** 

**National Reading Day Celebration** 

**International Accounting Day** 

Poster Designing Competition on account of International Anti-Corruption Day

**Remembering Mahatma** 

**Shaheed Diwas - Martyr's Day Celebration** 

















## Sarvodaya Day titled "Our Bapu"

Every year, Martyrs' Day is observed on January 30 to mark the death anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, known as the father of the nation, across the country. In remembrance of the great soul, the Department of Political Science has organised the Student's Presentation. Students of the Department of Political Science were asked to do the presentation on Bapu from 10.45 am to 12.30 as this is the day where the entire world as a whole, mourn for the loss of the most inspiring personality, "Our Bapu."

Students were asked to cover the journey of Mahatma Gandhi's life through their presentations. Deepthi, the Student Coordinator, presented her insights on the early life of Gandhi while Joel John talked about the Influencers on Gandhi. Rashi Singh Deo presented on the topic of Sarvodaya and the Ideals of Sarvodaya. Satyagraha and techniques of Satyagraha were presented by Jebin Moncy and Relevance of Gandhian Ideologies in the 21st century by Pooja Patil. Amid the presentation, at 11 am, the presentation was put on hold to observe One Minute silence for the great soul. The day honours all those who gave their lives for the nation. Martyrs' Day which is also known as Sarvodaya Day or Shaheed Diwas also marks the assassination of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi.

## Anniversary Celebration of Fit India Movement

The Department of Economics organised an online Yoga Session titled 'Yoga to boost Immune System: Self-care during Pandemic' on August 29, 2020, to celebrate Fit India Movement. The Yoga instructor Ms. Tejaswi V, Cofounder and Managing Partner, FitNcalm, Bengaluru, performed Yoga asanas focusing on ways to attain physical and mental strength, thereby providing a peaceful mind and body.

## **Essay Writing Competition**

The Department of Political Science has organised an Online Essay competition to commemorate the UNO Day with a Title as "World Health Organization: Arm Twisting by Rich Countries" for the students of the Political Science Department. The competition was opened from 24th to 28th Oct. 2020. Hundreds of students participated in this completion and the winners were given the prizes.

# Aikyathe-Commemorating Unity Day

The Department of Political Science has observed 31st October 2020 as "Aikyathe" commemorating Unity Day. The Department organised a competition for Political Science students to participate in Slogan Writing titled "Unity and Diversity" and another competition for Sketching titled "Unity is Strength". Participants were requested to submit their sketching as an image pdf file. The link was opened for all students from 31st October 2020 to 7th November 2020.



# Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)

Kristu Jayanti School of Management celebrated Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31 October 2020 to commemorate the 145th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel through the Zoom platform. Ms Evangeline Lawrence Rajan, Student Coordinator, delivered a speech on the topic, 'Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and His Achievements'. An audiovisual documentary on the life and contributions of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel was screened. Ms Reema Regi and Mr Alan Varghese Alamparampil, student coordinators, presented speeches on topics, 'National Unity Day' and 'Statue of Unity' respectively. Ms Megha Scaria, the student coordinator, spoke on the topic, 'Leadership Lessons from Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel'. Students organised a live quiz on Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and the National Unity Day.

Various competitions such as Slogan writing, Digital Wallpaper making and Digital Photography were conducted. The participants of the competitions presented their creative contents and explained them to the audience. The students and the faculty members took the National Unity Day Pledge on the occasion.

# International Day for Elimination of Violence against Women

The Department of Political Science, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), organised a Guest Lecture on November 25, 2020, on International Day for Elimination of Violence against Women. The guest was Dr. Winnie Joyce A, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College. Dr. Joyce spoke about the prevention of emotional violence against women

## **Girl Child Day**

Women Empowerment Cell, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), celebrated National Girl Child Day on January 24, 2021, by organising a collage-making and photo essay writing competition on 'Our Space Our Right.'



### **Anexartisia-20**

The Department of Political Science has organised Anexartisia-20, an online Quiz programme to bring awareness and information relating to Independence Day under the able leadership of Prof. S. J. Michael, Head of the Department and Coordinator for the Department of Social Science. The Department faculty members and the coconveners of the quiz- Dr Kaveri Swami and Prof. Shareef Povval assisted him efficiently in the conduct of the programme. The contest was kept open from 15th August 2020 to 18th August 2020, at 5 pm. 337 participants across the country participated in the Quiz and E-certificate was provided to all those who scored above 80%.







As a part of 'World No Tobacco Day', The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), conducted a Wellness Webinar Session on May 31, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Punith Shetty, Publication and External Opportunities Officer, Applied Global Public Health Initiative, New York, USA. Dr. Shetty introduced the theme, 'Quitters are Winners' enumerating behavioural, pharmaceutical, AIinfused approaches to reduce and refrain from tobacco use.

## **International Accounting Day**

The Department of Commerce (PG) commemorated International Accounting Day by conducting a video and PowerPoint presentation on November 10, 2020. The inclusive presentation touched upon various concepts and conventions of international accounting, portraying glimpses of Luca Pacioli, bookkeeping practices unveiled by Luca Pacioli, and the relevance of mathematical concepts. The robust advancements and significant breakthroughs in international accounting through the Middle Ages and Renaissance were discussed.

## **World Suicide Prevention Day**

The Department of Social Work organised a Sensitization Lecture titled 'Building Hopes and Saving Lives' to commemorate World Suicide Prevention Day on September 10, 2020. Dr. Kanmani T.R., Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatric Social Work, National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS), was the resource person. Dr. Kanmani delineated the implications of suicidal thoughts, sensitizing the methods to handle such situations.

## **International Day of** Women and Girls in Science

The Department of Computer Science (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), celebrated International Day of Women and Girls in Science on February 11, 2021, by conducting presentations and quizzes on Kalpana Chawla, Anandi Gopal Joshi, Divya Gokulnath, Lakshmi Pratury, Indra Nooyi and other women achievers in science and technology.



## Fit India Movement National Sports Day - 2020 Wellness through Yoga

To commemorate the Fit India Movement initiative, the Department of Computer Science (PG) arranged a "Wellness through Yoga" program on August 29, 2020. The resource person was Ms. Yogini Rekha Murari, Certified Professional Power Yoga Teacher and Advanced Yoga Practioner. Ms. Murari demonstrated various asanas, meditation techniques, and eye exercises, delving into the theoretical benefits of yoga.





## **World Earth Day**

"The earth is what we all have in common" - Wendell Berry

Earth Day is observed annually on April 22 to demonstrate support for environmental protection. According to the UN, "Despite ongoing efforts, biodiversity is deteriorating worldwide at rates unprecedented in human history. It is estimated that around one million animal and plant species are now threatened with extinction". Therefore, to highlight environmental issues like loss of biodiversity, increasing pollution, every year Earth Day is observed.

The theme of Earth Day 2021 was "Restore Our Earth". The climate change and coronavirus pandemic have reminded people of the harm they caused. Thus, we must Restore Our Earth as it is our duty to care for the natural habitat we live in.

To commemorate this day, the Department of Life Sciences, conducted a poster making and Poem writing competition for the UG batch of students on the topic "Green Technologies". The competition started with great zeal and enthusiasm. Young modernists were thrilled to be a part of a colourful, vibrant and energizing event. Every student was given ample opportunities to participate and show their talent. Students came up with varied talent abilities and interests buried deep within them. The biggest challenge is how students can manage and apply them creatively and such competitions improve the qualities of students to excel in life.

The students were asked to submit their posters and poems through Isevents@kristujayanti.com and the results were announced the next day, attractive prizes and certificates were distributed. The event was coordinated by Dr Challaraj Emmanuel, Associate Professor, Department of Life Sciences. The events were judged by faculty members, Dr Sonia Angeline, Dr Indira M.N., Mr Jeremiah Justus and Ms Alna Maria Isaac.

### **Parakram Diwas**

The Indian Government has decided 23rd January to celebrate as "Parakram Diwas" every year to commemorate the 125th birth anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose and inspire the youth of the country. Following the initiatives of the Government, the Department of Political Science also decided to celebrate the Parakram Diwas in its own unique way. Thus, the students of the department were asked to exhibit their talents through their inner creativity through events such as Poetry writing and so on. Many students participated in the event and won prizes also. Gowri Sreekumar of I Sem JPsEng won the First prize in poetry writing and Aparna V Pillai of I Sem JPsEng won the first prize in writing Nataji's thought.





## **World Social Work Day 2021**

The Department of Social Work commemorated World Social Work Day with a series of events titled 'Ubuntu: I am because, we are - strengthening social solidarity and global connectedness'. A Documentary Presentation showcased the basic principles of Social Work and the responsibilities of professional social workers. Other events include a flash mob, street play, and skit.

## **International Women's Day Conference 2021**

The Department of Social Work organised an International Women's Day Conference titled 'Empowering Women as Change Makers' on March 08, 2021. Rev. Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, delivered the presidential address where he highlighted the contribution of women in the holistic development of society.

The speaker, Ms. Sarah Mishra, Co-founder, Beej Learning LLP, Bengaluru, focused on the three elements of a woman's life - Self-Love, Self-Respect & Self-Worth. The next speaker, Ms. Radha MS, Head, HR & IT, WPG Holdings, Bengaluru, spoke about the challenges faced by the HR managers in the industry, highlighting on learning, labor, and leader-ship for empowerment. The conference also included 'Technical Paper Presentation', 'Poster Making', 'Documentary' and 'Awareness Video Presentation'.

# SAMVIDHAN DIWAS Commemorating the Adoption of the Constitution of India

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), celebrated SAMVIDHAN DIWAS to commemorate India's adoption of the Constitution on November 26, 2020. The events included role-play and documentary presentations focussing on the salient features of the Indian Constitution and the contributions of the founding fathers.



## National Reading Day Celebration

The Department of English (PG) commemorated National Reading Day on June 19, 2021, by organising a virtual event to celebrate the works of Kazuo Ishiguro. The event attended by 57 students shed light on life, works, writing style, career, dystopian elements, the author's brilliance, the plot, and the futuristic tone of the novel. This celebration paved the way for a novel tradition in the department, wherein each student would introduce a new book to their classmates once a month.





## **International Accounting Day**

The Department of Commerce (PG), Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), celebrated International Accounting Day on November 10, 2020, by commemorating the contributions of Luca Bartolomeo De Pacioli. Students presented the history of accounting, the importance and prevalence of international accounting in today's business era.

# Poster Designing Competition on account of International Anti-Corruption Day

"Corruption is criminal, immoral and the ultimate betrayal of public trust. It is even more damaging in times of crisis – as the world is experiencing now with the COVID-19 pandemic. The response to the virus is creating new opportunities to exploit weak oversight and inadequate transparency, diverting funds away from people in their hour of greatest need" as said by UN Secretary-General, António Guterres.

To commemorate this International Anti-Corruption Day, the Department of Political Science has organised Poster Designing Competition to bring awareness about the types of corruption, its impact on society and the measures to prevent corruption by 'Saying No to Corruption'. The competition was open to all Political Science students from various classes from 9th Dec. 2020 to 11th Dec. 2020. Nearly 20 students participated in the event and the best were awarded.

## **Remembering Mahatma**

The Department of Political Science observed 2nd October 2020 as "The International Day of Non-Violence", marking the birth anniversary of the Great Mahatma, leader of the Indian Independence Movement and a pioneer of the philosophy, and strategy of non-violence. Students of Political Science commemorated the 151st Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi through Speech on Relevance of Ideologies of Gandhi through virtual mode painting, sketches etc. Both the students and the faculties of the department dedicated a video to the greatest soul on his birth anniversary by recollecting his noble thoughts under the able guidance of Prof. S.J Michael, Head of the Department and Coordinator for the Department of Social Science, duly assisted by Dr Kaveri Swami Coordinator, Political science club and other faculty members of the department.

# **Shaheed Diwas - Martyr's Day Celebration**

The Department of Management, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), celebrated Martyr's Day as Shaheed Diwas on January 30, 2021. Students organised speeches on the contributions of freedom fighters, Digital Poster and video presentations on Mahatma Gandhi's life, trivia, and quiz segments.



### **UNAI PROGRAMMES**



## Kristu Jayanti College, Autonomous is selected again as **United Nations Academic Impact Hub for SDG 1** 2021 - 2023



KRISTU JAYANTI COLLEGE – UNAI – SDG 1 HUB

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**Sustainable Development Goals** 

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**International Virtual Conference on Sustainable Biotechnology** 

**National Colloquium on Ending Poverty: A Pathway to Social Justice** 

**SDG Programmes Organised In Kristu Jayanti College** 

7<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Women in Leadership



#### KRISTU JAYANTI COLLEGE – UNAI – SDG 1 HUB

ristu Jayanti College believes that quality education is a powerful weapon to ensure a zero-poverty world. This institution of higher education located in Bengaluru, India, is zealously committed to serve as a dynamic and community intensive SDG Hub. It actively aims to prove that quality education is a powerful weapon to create a zero-poverty world.

Kristu Jayanti College continues to have a positive impact on society through its need-based Social Outreach program and Jayantian Extension Services (JES), which run 135 different initiatives that help students to make a real impact in the lives of those affected by poverty. Apart from this, the institution offers computer literacy programmes, language competency classes, and capacity building projects tailored to uplift the living standards of local communities. The College has adopted five local villages and has partnered with governmental and non-governmental organizations to address the root causes of poverty and provide access to sustainable livelihoods. The College actively seeks to instill values of service and social responsibility in its students, to alleviate poverty and live up to its motto 'Light and Prosperity.'



## United Nations Academic Impact (UNAI)

nited Nations Academic Impact (UNAI) is an initiative that aligns institutions of higher education with the United Nations in supporting and contributing to the realization of United Nations goals and mandates, including the promotion and protection of human rights, access to education, sustainability, and conflict resolution.

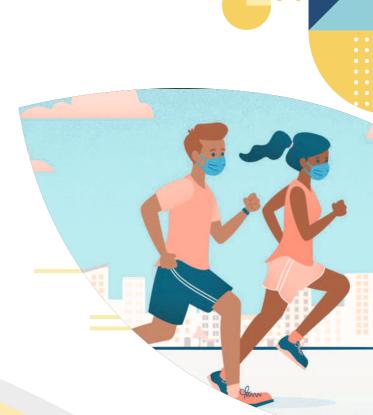
Since 2010, UNAI has created a vibrant and diverse network of students, academics, scientists, researchers, think tanks, institutions of higher education, and educational partners. There are over 1400 member institutions in more than 145

countries that reach nearly 25 million people in the education and research sectors around the world. The work of these institutions is vital to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals as they serve as incubators of new ideas, inventions, and solutions to the many global challenges we face. United Nations Academic Impact provides the integral link between the UN and these stakeholders to ensure that the international community harnesses the energy and innovation of young people and the research community in service to humanity.

## **Sustainable Development Goals**

he 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, adopted by all United Nations Member States in 2015, provides a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future. At its heart are the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), which are an urgent call for action by all countries - developed and developing - in a global partnership. They recognize that Ending Poverty in all its forms and other deprivations must go handin-hand with strategies that improve health and education, reduce inequality, and spur economic growth - all while tackling climate change and working to preserve our oceans and forests.





# **International Adolescent Health Week- Adolescent Resilience during the Pandemic**

he prime focus of SDG 3 - Good Health and Wellbeing is to ensure healthy lives and promote the wellbeing of all ages. Keeping this goal in front, the Department of Psychology, Kristu Jayanti College has taken an initiative in conducting 'The International Adolescent Health Week' global event with the theme 'Adolescent Resilience during Pandemic' on 24 March 2021. Dr Nityananda S Kuntasetty, Chairperson BAHA (Bangalore Adolescent Health Association) and Senior Consultant at ESI Hospital Bangalore, was the programme's chief guest. In his Inaugural address, Dr Nityananda introduced the realities of paediatrics, adolescent health care in India, and the intricacies in handling or caring for adolescents. In his presidential address, Rev. Dr Augustine George, Principal-Kristu Jayanti College, emphasised the need to help adolescents have holistic growth by improving their emotional, psychosocial, and spiritual well-being and the need to practice yoga and different forms of meditation. Further, during the session, Dr Fr Augustine George felicitated Mr Alen Saji for receiving the title of Grand Master from the Asia Book of World Records and India Book of Records.

Ms Tanvi Nair, a first-year Postgraduate Psychology student, was felicitated by Dr Molly Joy for being selected as the student ambassador for IAHW. The event consisted of four keynote sessions. Dr Laura A.Offutt MD, FACP Internal Medicine Physician Founder of IAHW, addressed the audience through a recorded session where she shared the birth and growth of IAHW since its inception in 2016. Dr Dzung Vo, MD, FAAP, Pediatrician, Adolescent Medicine,

British Columbia Children's Hospital, took the second keynote session. She spoke about mindfulness and its significance in maintaining adolescents' mental well-being through a recorded video. The third session was taken by Dr Preethi M Galagali, MD, PGDAP, FIAP Consultant Adolescent Health Specialist and Pediatrician addressed the students on the mental well-being of adolescents through a zoom call. In the fourth keynote session, Dr Nityananda spoke about life skills, adolescent health and issues, parenting. He addressed many questions about divorce and parenting styles as well. After the keynote sessions, three competitions –Photography (Freeze the Moment), Poster making (Creare), and JAM (Just-a-minute) were conducted. The students took part in the events with great enthusiasm.

The PG students of the department of psychology performed a skit that depicted the lives of four adolescent friends during the lockdown period and how they overcame their problems through resilience. The event was a great success with the active participation of the beneficiaries.

#### UNAI PROGRAMMES



The Department of Life Sciences, Kristu Jayanti College, conducted an international virtual conference on Sustainable Biotechnology on 18 and 19 March 2021. Prof.M.Krishnan, the Honourable Vice-Chancellor of Madurai Kamaraj University, Tamil Nadu, was the chief guest of the programme.

The International Conference on Sustainable Biotechnology highlights the importance of SDG 9 - Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure towards the SDG 12 Sustainable Cities and Communities.

Prof.M.Krishnan insisted on a practical approach in Biotechnology and the application of microbial products to bring about sustainability in health and agriculture. Dr Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) Bangalore, stated that the focus should be on finding new strategies towards using natural resources and maintaining a sustainable ecosystem through a biotechnological approach.

The two-day programme included six technical sessions delivered by international experts and three panels forresearch paper presentations mainly focused on Green Energy, Biotechnology & Health, Sustainable Crop Production, Environmental monitoring, Biofertilizers & Biopesticides, Environmental Biotechnology, and Drug Discovery.

The technical sessions were on the topics "Bacterial Honeycomb" by Dr Thamarai Kannan, University of Bedfordshire, UK, "Microalgae based biorefineries" by Dr Nidia Caeteno, University of Porto, Portugal, "Pathogenesis mechanism and Emerging Therapeutic options for Covid 19" by Dr Saravanan, Mekelle University, Ethiopia, "Physics-Based and AI-Based Computational Strategies for Drug Discovery: in silico Screening and Multi-parametric Compound Optimization" by Dr Anil Nair, Icagen Ligand Company, US, "Microbial Conversion of greenhouse gases into value-added Products" by Dr Lisa Stein, University of Alberta, Canada, "Sustainable manufacturing of Biosurfactants Challenges and possibilities of Research and Industry" was delivered by Dr Rahman, Tara Biologicals, UK.



# National Colloquium on Ending Poverty: A Pathway to Social Justice

The colloquium was organized and conducted by the Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College, in collaboration with World Vision India on 24th February, 2020. The colloquium was aimed at recognizing and promoting the SDG 1 - No Poverty to all sections of society with a special focus on the student community.

The Presidential address was given by Rev. Fr. Josekutty P D, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College. Mr Somashekhar A, BA. L, LLB (Member Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Bengaluru, Urban District), in his inaugural address, spoke about the various articles that exist in the Indian Constitution such as Article, 14, 15, and 16 which aims at providing equality, and equal opportunities for all through which eradication of poverty is possible, which was followed by the technical sessions on:

- "Rural livelihoods: A key to Social Justice" by Ms Uma Mahadevan, IAS (Principal Secretary, Panchayat Raj, Govt. of Karnataka).
- "Child Labour: Is it a right or a developmental issue?" by, Mr Lukose Vallatharai, IAS (Former Revenue Secretary).
- "Poverty: A Human Rights violation" by Ms Meera Sakseena IAS, (Former Chairperson, Karnataka State Human Rights Commission).
- "Labour Rights Violations: A civilized society's response" by Dr Manjunath G, KLS, PhD, (Additional Labour Commissioner, Director of Karnataka State Labour Institute, Government of Karnataka).

This colloquium helped the participants in gaining expert opinion and guidance on how to end poverty with the help of strategic goals. 150 delegates participated in this meaningful programme.



A Two-Day Virtual International Conference on "Translating Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) into action: The Power of Higher Education Institutions" on 22 and 23 January 2021.

His Excellency Shri. Ramu Damodaran, Chief, United Nations Academic Impact, New York, inaugurated the conference and spoke about the importance of academic institutions in creating political change, and eradicating poverty. He appreciated Kristu Jayanti College for its community-level and person to person works carried out as part of SDG 1 (No Poverty).

Rev. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College, stated that Our aim through is to bring forth and share the examples of different institutions across the globe and highlight their contributions to different SDG in their home country. He highlighted that it helps to understand how such noble initiatives can be contextualized in India.

The two-day virtual conference includes seven technical sessions covering all the four dimensions of sustainable development goals (SGD's) delivered by subject experts from different continents. Experts from Canada, Norway, Greece, Argentina, UK, Bangladesh, and Japan addressed the audience during the conference. The two-day international conference witnessed 350 academicians and scholars from across the globe, where around 90 scholars presented their case studies. Representatives from the 17 SDG hubs of UNAI presented their unique initiatives.



# 7th National Conference on Women in Leadership

omen Empowerment Cell of Kristu Jayanti college organised a national conference on Women in Leadership on 8 March 2021 to celebrate international women's day in accord with the United Nations' theme and emphasizing the significance of SDG 5 - Gender Equality in the present scenario.

The conference was inaugurated by Dr Vaidehi Vijayakumar, Vice-Chancellor, Mother Teresa Women's University, Tamilnadu. Sheinspired the gathering by urging to all the women to come out of their comfort zone and take up leadership in all the domains to support other impoverished women.

Rev Dr Augustine George, Principal Kristu Jayanti College, urged women to strive for greater heights. Eminent and powerful women leaders were invited to be resource persons for the keynote sessions.

- Women empowerment through innovation Dr Fabienne Jacquet, Founder & CEO of Innoveve
- Women leaders: a perfect blend of head and heart Dr Sr. Pearl, Principal, Sophia Girls College, Ajmer

 Emotional intelligence: The extra edge in women leadership - Dr Rajshree Trivedi, Principal, Maniben Nanavati Women's College

Dr Sheela Ramachandran, Pro-Chancellor, Atmiya University, Gujarat, was the chief guest for the valedictory session. 125 people registered for the conference, and 65 papers were presented.

## United Nations Academic Impact Hub for SDG 1

List of Programmes Related to Sustainable Development Goals from July 2020 to June 2021

S.No	Date	Title of the Programme	Related SDG	No. of Beneficiaries
1.	06/07/2020	National Webinar on Gender Equality and Women's Right	SDG 5	329
2.	19/08/2020	Expert Lecture on Sustainable Livelihood Promotion of Tribal Communities in India	SDG 1	75
3.	21/08/2020	Expert Lecture on Transformative Social Work Practice: Role of Youth in Realizing SDG 1	SDG 1	75
4.	18/09/2020	Expert Lecture on Mental fitness	SDG 3	420
5.	19/09/2020	International Webinar on Aromatherapy	SDG 3	251
6.	19/09/2020	Webinar on 'Identifying Business Opportunities'	SDG 8	60
7.	28/09/2020	Webinar on Urban Strategies for Waste Management	SDG 12	55
8.	03/10/2020	Virtual Talk session on Technical Infrastructure supporting Web Applications	SDG 9	75
9.	10/10/2020	Socioeconomic survey in adopted villages of Kristu Jayanti College	SDG 1	12000
10.	19/10/2020- 24/10/2020	Awareness Campaign on Waste Management	SDG 12	140
11.	12/10/2020- 17/10/2020	Green Campaign, "Plant a Sapling: Increase the Oxygen Level.	SDG 3, 6 and 13	164
12.	05/10/2020- 10/10/2020	"Save Water" Campaign	SDG 6	46
13.	30/10/2020 & 31/10/2020	Multilevel Approach to Advance SDG1: Best Practices in Ensuring Sustainable Impact	All SDG	200
14.	October- December 2020	Distribution of dresses to poor children	SDG 1	6500
15.	05/11/2020- 10/11/2020	Social Initiative for a Social Cause (Engaging the youth into social activities to serve the society)	All SDG	102
16.	13/11/2020- 20/11/2020	Responsible Celebration (encouraging the youth to celebrate the Diwali festival with social concern and personal safety)	SDG 3 and 12	31
17.	21/11/2020	Expert Lecture on Oncology Social Work: Scope & Challenges	SDG 3	72
18.	21/11/2020	Webinar on the Mental Health Act and Norms for Private Practice	SDG 3	206

19.	25/11/2020	Guest Lecture on International Day for Elimination of		
19.	23/11/2020	Violence against Women	SDG 5	140
20.	16/01/2021	Virtual Symposium on Mapping the SDGs in the CSR Practice	All SDG	150
21.	22/01/2021 & 23/01/2021	Virtual International Conference on Translating Sustainable Development Goals into action: The Power of Higher Education Institutions	All SDG	350
22.	23/01/2021	Lessons on Effective Entrepreneurial Leadership in the Post COVID 19 Era	SDG 4 & SDG 8	120
23.	11/02/2021	Expert Talk Commemorating the 6th International Day of Women and Girls in Science "Women in Conservation"	SDG 5	80
24.	11/02/2021	Celebration of International Day of Women and Girls	SDG 5	50
25.	08/03/2021	7th National Conference on Women in Leadership	SDG 5	125
26.	08/03/2021	International Women's Day Conference 2021:		
		Empowering Women as Change Makers	SDG 5	70
27.	18/03/2021	International Virtual Conference on Sustainable Biotechnology	SDG 3	200
28.	19/03/2021	Workshop on Gender Sensitisation : Promoting Gender Equality and Preventing Gender Based Violence	SDG 5	32
29.	22/03/2021	World Water Day Celebration	SDG 6	120
30.	24/03/2021	International Adolescent Health Week Adolescent Resilience during the Pandemic	SDG 3	150
31.	26/03/2021	Commemoration of World Tuberculosis  Day Expert Talk TB - Current scenario	SDG 3	110
32.	15/05/2021	Expert Interaction on Impact of Covid -19 Pandemic on Healthcare Innovations	SDG 3	150
33.	15/05/2021	Social Responsibility Week - "Good Health and Well Being"	SDG 3	92
34.	20/05/2021	Virtual Session on Managing Your Mental Health during covid-19	SDG 3	80
35.	22/05/2021	Webinar on Conservation of Biodiversity: What? Why? How?	SDG 2	120
36.	31/05/2021	Wellness Webinar Commit To Quit Tobacco	SDG 3	140
37.	05/06/2021	Webinar on Green Technologies for Recovery of Bioenergy From Municipal and Industrial Solid Wastes	SDG 7	200
38.	06/06/2021	Food Donation Drive by NSS and KCDC Volunteers	SDG 2	
39.	23/06/2021	Professional Development Programme: Role of Higher Educational Institutions in Promoting SDGs	All SDG	210

#### **Details on Research Publications 2020-2021**

Particulars	2020-21
Patents	16 patents 22 faculty members
Books [with ISBN]	34
Book Chapter	142
Scopus/WoS/ UGC recognized & Peer Reviewed International Journals	374
Conference Proceedings	43



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1	B. Manimekala	An Efficient Data Transfer in Wireless Sensor Networks using AODV Protocol	Lambert Publication, ISBN: 9788194664376 September 2020	Computer Science UG
2	Dr. Winnie Joyce A	Mental Health of Adolescent Girls : A Social Work Perspective	Lambert Academic Publishing, November 2020 978-620-3-02657-3	Social Work
3	Anthony Vincent B	Datenintegrität und Datenschutz beim Cloud Computing [GERMAN LANGUAGE]	Sciencia Scripts- Verlag Unser Wissen [Germany], ISBN: 978-620-3-12181-0	Computer Science UG
4	Anthony Vincent B	Integridade e Privacidade dos Dados do Cloud Computing [PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE]	dições Nosso Conhecimento [Portuguese], ISBN: 978-620-3-12184-1	Computer Science UG
5	Anthony Vincent B	Integrità dei dati e privacy del cloud computing [ITALIAN LANGUAGE]	dizioni Sapienza [Italian], ISBN: 978-620-3-12185-8	Computer Science UG
6	Anthony Vincent B	Gegevensintegriteit en privacy van Cloud Computing [DUTCH LANGUAGE]	Uitgeverij Onze Kennis [Dutch], ISBN: 978-620-3-12187-2	Computer Science UG
7	Anthony Vincent B	Integralność danych I ochrona prywatności w ramach cloud computingu [POLISH LANGUAGE]	Wydawnictwo Nasza Wiedza [Polish], ISBN: 978-620-3-12188-9	Computer Science UG
8	Anthony Vincent B	Целостность данных и конфиденциальность облачных вычислений [RUSSIAN LANGUAGE]	Sciencia Scripts - sguberschi [Russian], ISBN: 978-620-3-12189-6	Computer Science UG
9	Dr.B.Subha	Title of the Book: Business Management: A New Paradigm	Integrated Publication, New Delhi, December 2020, Volume No: 1, ISBN No: 9789390471027	Management
10	Ms.Soumya K, Ms.Divya KS, Ms.Sreeparna Chakrabarti	Computing and Programming Fundamentals	Lambert Publication, January, 2021, ISBN:978-81-949863-5-5	Computer Science UG
11	Dr.C.Naveeth Babu	Cyber Law in India	The Charulatha Publications, January 2021	

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12	Dr. Sreedhara PD, Prof. Vinod B M, Prof. Nayaz Pasha	Kavyartha Prakaash (काव्यार्थ प्रकाश)	Inifinite Learning Solutions, 978-81-948862-3-5	Social Science and languages
13	Dr. Sreedhara PD, Prof. Vinod B M, Prof. Nayaz Pasha	Kavya Jnana Darshan	Inifinite Learning Solutions, 978-81-948862-4-2	Social Science and languages
14	Prof. Surjith Singha	Impact of COVID-19 on Economy, Business, Education and Social Life	ASIN: B08WJGXMZ9, DOI 10.17605/OSF.IO/YU25S, IGI-Global Publisher, USA, 978-81-947458-0-8	Commerce UG
15	Dr. Cecil Donald A, Dr. Dalvin Vinoth Kumar	Cases on Edge Computing and Analytics	IGI-Global Publisher, USA, 9781799848738	Computer Science UG
16	Prof. Surjith Singha	The Perspective of India's New Education Policy 2020	Kindle: ASIN: B08P1QF68K, DOI 0.17605/OSF.IO/9Q8XB, 979-8570037946	Commerce UG
17	Prof. Hemango Akshay	Urbanizing Jorhat Beyond State	Notion Press, 978-1-64983-05-9	Social Science and languages
18	Dr. Sreedhar P D, Vinod Babu Rao meghashym, Dr. Abdul Rajak.M	Charu charitra (Bharatiya Sahitya mein Ram kavya)	Infinite Learning Solution, Bengaluru-560092, ISBN-9788194886259	Social Science and languages
19	Dr.B.Subha	Business Management: A New Paradigm	Integrated Publications, New Delhi (Indexing and Abstracting in Bowker and Crossref), April 2021, Volume No: 2, ISBN No: 9789390471409	Management
20	Aneesha K Shaji, Surjit Singha, and Ajith P Mathews	A Study on the Management of Household Bio-Degradable Waste with Special Reference to Kothanur, Bengaluru	The Native Tribe, 978-81-950963-9-8	Commerce UG
21	Prof. Surjith Singha	Impact of COVID-19 on Economy, Business, Education and Social Life. (Vol. 5)	The Native Tribe, 978-81-950963-8-1	Commerce UG
23	Prof. Surjith Singha	Impact of COVID-19 on Economy, Business, Education and Social Life (Vol. 5)	The Native Tribe, 978-81-950963-2-9	Commerce UG
24	Dr Winnie Joyce A Dr Jonas Richard A	Social Work Practice with Individuals	Amazon – Self Publishing, 979-8733871363	Social Work
25	Dr.S.Vijayanand	A Potential inhibitor for enzymatic browning of Solanum melongena	Darshan Publishers, Tamilnadu, India, ISBN: 978-81-947071-5-8	Life Science
26	Dr Juby Thomas	Gender and Media - Critical Perspectives Vol I	The Native Tribe, June, 2021, 9798524773081	Media Studies
27	Dr. Ravishankar A K (editer)	Adigaruembasakshipragne	S.L.N PUBLICATION, BENGALURU, MARCH, 2021, 978-81-948128-2-1	Social Science & Languages
28	Dr. Ravishankar A K (editer)	Muddanaembashityasavwarabha	S.L.N PUBLICATION, BENGALURU, June, 2021, 978-81-948128-1-4	Social Science & Languages

29	Edited Dr. Sreedhara PD, Co- Edited Prof. Vinod B M and Prof. Nayaz Pasha	Kavyartha Prakaash	Inifinite Learning Solutions, Bangalore, January-2021, ISBN: 978-81-948862-3-5	Social Science & Languages
30	Edited Dr. Sreedhara PD, Co- Edited Prof. Vinod B M and Prof. Nayaz Pasha	Kavya Jnana Darshan	Inifinite Learning Solutions, Bangalore, January-2021, ISBN: 978-81-948862-4-2	Social Science & Languages
31	Prof.Bijin Philip	Impact of Covid - 19 on Economy, Business, Education and Social Life (Volume 1)	ducation (www.TheNativeTribe.org),	
32	Dr.Nagadeepa, Prof. Vijaya Kumar	Digital media in teaching and learning (contributed to Book Chapter -Government policy and digital learning )	ESN publication , June 2020/978-93-90188-01-7	Commerce UG
33	Prof. Prathap, Prof. Aruna Devi K, Prof. A. DevaKumari	Mobile Application Development using Android Studio	Coimbatore Institute of Information Technology (CIIT), Coimbatore, July 2020, 978-93-89105-46-9	Computer Science UG & PG
34	Dr. Juby Thomas	Gender and Media: Critical Perspectives Vol II	Amazon Asia-Pacific Holdings Private Limited , ISBN-979-8656195942	Media Studies

79 Faculty Members presented paper in 123 Papers in various Conferences [International - 77 and National Level-45]					
Deanery	Number of Paper Presentations				
Faculty of Commerce and Management	63				
Faculty of Humanities	31				
Faculty of Sciences	29				
Grand Total	123				

#### **Patents Filed and Published -16**

#### Dr. C M Reena Josephine [Life Sciences]

Filed for Indian Patent vide Patent Application No. 202041014007 on 'A Novel Composition for Controlling Pathogen in Maize'

#### Dr. R Stephen [Computer Science [UG]]

IG-Toll Collection: Intelligent GPS Based Toll Collection (Without Toll Plaza)

#### Dr. C. Naveeth Babu [Computer Science [UG]]

A system for pit hole detection and filling for road based on artificial intelligence

#### Dr. Naveeth Babu [Computer Science [UG]]

Certificate of Grant - Innovation Patent from Australian Government for A system for pit hole detection and filling for road based on artificial intelligence

#### Dr.C.Naveeth Babu [Computer Science [UG]]

An Internet of Things based Industrial Product **Monitoring System** 

#### Dr. V S. Prakash [Computer Science [UG]]

Weed killer sprayer with adjustable height bin stick to protect crop

#### Dr. V S. Prakash [Computer Science [UG] ]

Off-Grid Energy Kiosk System Using IoT

## Dr. Velmurugan R, [Computer Science [PG] ] Ms. Ayshwarya B [Computer Science [UG] ]

Smart Medication System for Real-Time Monitoring of Elderly and Chronic Patients

#### Dr. Cecil Donald A [Computer Science [UG]]

PC- Face Mask: Face Mask (RGB- Non-Woven Fabric, Melt-Blown Fabric (Red), Plastic Nose Wire(Black)) To Protect Covid-2019, Other Virus. Patent Number 202011018432 Published on 25-06-2020

#### Dr. D Ravindran [School of Management ]

Iot And Cloud Based Viral Detector Device "Microca": Adapting Corona Virus And Other Deadly Pathogens, Patent Number - 202121028826 Published on 27-06-21

## Mr. Prathap G, Dr. Vinothina V [Computer Science [UG] ]

An Artificial Intelligence vision based home intruder detection and alarming the house or Corporate people

## Dr. Cecil Donald A [Computer Science [UG]]

published a patent with number 202041020094 Add-Predictive Analytics: Automatic Dataset Discovery with Predictive Analytics, Published a patent on 05-06-2020

Dr. Dalvin Vinoth Kumar, Dr. Cecil Donald, Anthony Vincent, Dr.Margaret Mary T [Computer Science [UG]] Device to Predict the Location of Falling Object using Internet of Things Patent Number 202141007624 Published on 26-02-2021



## Ms. Mary Jacob, Dr. K. Kalaiselvi, Dr. Jasmine Beulah G, Mr. Aswin Herbert Satish, Ms. Gopika S, Mr. Amjad Hassan Khan M K [Computer Science [UG]]

SUAV Women Security: Automatic Women Security using Street Light and Auto Run Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Using IoT - Based Technology " is published

### Dr. Cecil Donald A, Dr. Hubert Shanthan BJ, Dr. Margaret Mary T, Ms. Soumya K [Computer Science [UG]]

Granted an Australian Patent titled Protocol Verification: Ad Hoc Routing Protocol Validation and Verification Process Based on Beagle Bone-X15 Black Bit

## Dr. Cecil Donald, Dr. Stephen R, Dr.Dalvin Vinoth Kumar .A, A, Dr. Hubert Shanthan [Computer Science [UG]]

Published a patent on 05-06-2020 Is- Traffic Monitoring: Intelligent Traffic Monitoring System Using Ai Techniques Patent Number 202041020094

#### Awards and Recognitions – 39 Awards

#### Dr. Hanumantappa Bherigi [Life Sciences]

Best Research Award by VDGOOD Professional Association

#### Mr. Don Caiero [Life Sciences]

VEDANT EDUCATOR EXCELLENCE AWARD on the birth anniversary of the late Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam by Vedant Foundation

#### Dr. Sangeetha Menon [Life Sciences]

"Research Excellence Award 2020" by Institute of Scholars (InSc) for her research paper entitled "Seasonal Diversity Status of Plant Growth Promoting Rhizobacteria (PGPR) in rhizosphere of fast growing native tree species, Melia dubia in Tamil Nadu" in "Indian Forester".

#### Dr. Hanumantappa Bherigi [Life Sciences]

VEDANT EDUCATOR EXCELLENCE AWARD on the birth anniversary of the late Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam by Vedant Foundation

#### Dr. C M Reena Josephine [Life Sciences]

Young Researcher Award 2020 by the Institute of Scholars (InSc) for her research

#### Dr. Jasmine Beulah G [Computer Science [UG]]

Outstanding Mentor Award 2020 by Cape Skill Development Forum, Tamilnadu

#### Dr. S. Vijayanand [Life Sciences]

has been received global teacher award 2020 from AKS Education Awards

#### Dr. Muruganantham A [Computer Science [PG]]

Outstanding Mentor Award 2020 by Cape Skill Development Forum, Tamilnadu

**Dr. Anthony Vincent B [Computer Science [UG] ]** Innovative Engineering" award based on Innovation and Knowledge Excellence competition conducted by SPHERT.ORG and panel of International adjudicators accepted the case study which satisfied the guidelines in development of nature specific objectives, Infrastructure, challenges, initiatives, learning outcomes and evaluations.

#### Mr. Prathap G [Computer Science [UG]]

Educator Excellence Award 2020 from Vedant Foundation

#### Mr. Pratha G [Computer Science [UG]]

Best Research Scholar Award from Novel Research Academy, Puducherry

#### Dr. Raja Kamal C H [Commerce [UG]]

Awarded the Pioneer Researcher in Commerce and Management for outstanding excellence and remarkable achievements in the field of research and publications by Global Research Foundation.

#### Dr. S. Raji [Commerce [UG]]

Excellence Faculty Award from Research Gateway, NewDelhi in the field of Commerce.

#### Mr. R Vijayakumar [Commerce [UG]]

Global Research Foundation Award for Most Innovative Academician of the Year 2020

#### Ms. Annie Stephen [Commerce [UG]]

Awarded Global Research Foundation Award for Most Innovative Academician of the Year 2020

#### Mr. Retheesh P T [Commerce [UG]]

"Research Excellence Award 2020" by the Institute of Scholars (InSc)for the research paper "Strategies to Revive Indian Hospitality, Tourism and Travel Industry-Post Covid - 19"

#### Mr. Kiran Kumar [Commerce [UG]]

received "International Best Researcher Award" in the field of Finance from ISSN Awards in the year 2020 and also Ranked: ISSN Research Star Prize under the recognition of RESEARCH BUREAU VERITAS.

#### Dr. D. Ravindran [School of Management]

Outstanding Mentor Award 2020 by Cape Skill Development Forum, Tamilnadu

#### Mr. Sen B Mathews [School of Management]

Educator Excellence Award 2020 from Vedant Foundation

#### Ms. Annie Stephen [Commerce [UG]]

Awarded Best Woman Faculty Award from Novel Research Academy, Puducherry, India

#### Mr. Sen B Mathews [School of Management]

received the Exemplary Training and Placement Award for Excellence & Leadership in Education on April 08, 2021 from DYNERGIC Business Solutions

#### Dr. Bala Sendhil Kumar [School of Management]

Received the Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing in recognition of an outstanding contribution to the quality of the Journal titled Asian Research Journal of Arts & Social Sciences in November 2020

#### Mr. Surendranath Reddy [ Management [UG]]

Best Teacher-2020 as part of "Global Academic Excellence Awards" from EMG-SSM Trust owned by Archers and Elevators Publishing House, India

#### Mr. T. Somasundaram [Management [UG]]

"Dr.Rashakrishnan Award" in recognition of distinguished and dedicated services towards Empowerment through Education for the year 2020 by JCI Tiruvannamalai Deepam, JCI India on 15th Oct, 2020.

#### Dr. Rema M K [Psychology]

Best Counsellor award 2020 for working with women on the occasion of Vision India's 24th-anniversary celebrations held at Abayashram, Hoskotte on 12th September 2020.

#### Mr. Ehboklang Pynrope [English [UG]]

Outstanding Young Faculty Award from Amaravathi Research Academy

#### **Best Paper Awards**

#### Dr. Gita P C [School of Management]

Received the Best Paper Award at the International Conference on Ethics & Governance in Business on December 15 & 16, 2020 organized by Siddaganga Institute of Technology, India and Infinite Sum Modelling, USA

#### Ms. Nancy Abraham [Humanities]

Won best research paper award in the International Conference on Recent trends in Multidisciplinary Innovative Techniques and Application

#### **Elected as Office Bearer / Member of Committee**

#### Dr. Aloysius Edward J [Management Studies]

Elected as an expert member in the Industry Institute Interface (3i) Expert Committee of the Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce (BCIC) on 28/09/2020

#### Dr. Aloysius Edward J [Management Studies]

Selected as member of NEP implementation committee by Govt of Karnataka.

#### Dr. Hanumantappa Bherigi [Life Sciences]

Selected as Associate Member of the Karnataka Science and Technology Academy, a Unit of Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of Karnataka for the period of 5 years from 2021

#### **World Record**

#### Mr. Vigraanth Bapu K.G. [Psychology]

The Most Number of Clinical Psychologist Presenting a Webinar on Mental Health to Different Spectators Simultaneously" which took place on October 31, 2020, has been approved and declared as a World Record by all the four companies that were adjudging. The World Record has been adjudged by Elite World Record, Asian Records Academy, India Records Academy, and Tamilan Book of Records.

#### Dr. Rema M K [Psychology]

'The most innovative Psychologist of the Year Award 2020' for the outstanding contribution towards the upliftment of women in crisis on the occasion of world suicide prevention day observance on 10th September 2020 by the institute for family wellbeing, Bengaluru.

#### Ms. Sharmili Chatterjee [Psychology]

Educator Excellence Award 2020 from Vedant Foundation

#### Dr. V S. Prakash [Computer Science [UG]]

Best Senior Faculty Award 2020 - 2021 from Novel Research Academy.

#### Dr. C M Reena Josephine [Life Sciences]

Paper titled 16S Microbial Phylogeny of multifunctional PGPR from the rhizosphere of maize for agricultural soil has been awarded as the best paper of the year 2019 published in Biotechnologia journal. The award is funded by the Committee of Biotechnology Polish Academy of Sciences and Prof. Waclaw Szybalski Foundation. The amount of the prize is 5000PLN. (~1.0 Lakh INR).

#### Dr. Aloysius Edward J [Management Studies]

Elected as an office bearer in ACBSP (Accreditation Council of Business Schools and Programs) Region

#### Ms. Ayshwarya B [Computer Science [UG]]

has been selected as an outreach member for India in the Soda Foundation (Open Source Project under Linux Foundation)





#### **AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner**

## Ms. Ayshwarya B [Computer Science -UG]

AWS certified Cloud Practitioner from Amazon web services

#### **Student Academic Achievements 2020-2021**

Nature of Programme	Number of Students
Research Paper and Poster Presentation	228
Paper Presentation(Outside)	26
Publication in Journal	24
No. of Best Paper award	2
Book Chapter	6
NET/ SLET	6
Completed ACCA Professional Exam	10
Paper cleared in ACCA	50
Internship	274
Paper publication by students	278
List of Online courses	82
No of Students completed Online Courses	1141
Completed CA Intermediate (Group I and Group II)	1
Completed CA Intermediate (Group I)	7
Completed CA Foundation	5
National and International Rank in CIMA, ACCA and other examinations	1
Online Quiz/Debate attended	182
Overall Winner	3
Overall Runner	1

#### **Major Achievements**

- Ms. Swetha K completed internship at International Model United Nations (IMUN) Internship [18/6/21]
- Ms. Simran Verma and Keerthika of BCA cleared CAT Examination held in Dec 2020
- 5 Teams of Students from MBA, MCA and M.COM winners of Level 4 (Prototype) of National Innovation Contest 2020 hosted by MHRD, Govt. of India

#### **Completion of ACCA Examinations**

<ol> <li>Aleena Zacharia</li> </ol>	2. Neethu Prasad	3. Akhila Saji	4. Sreenath A P	5. Liya Mathew
6. Amritha Sajith	7. Midhuna P	8. Shini Saji	9. Jincy Mary K	10. Sneha Siby

- Ankith Mathew has secured 2nd National Rank and 11th Global Rank in Financial Management ACCA paper
- Mr. Alen Saji has made into Asia book of world records and Arabian book of world records for making Typographical Portraits of Presidents of India on 28 -4-2021.
- Ms Flency Thankachan won Bronze medal from Manipal Hospitals for supporting and counselling covid scare patient on 1-9-2020.
- Mr. Vishnu S awarded first prize in Blackcoffer insights 25 held in Delhi [09/03/2021]
- 95 students from MBA department cleared NPTEL and SWAYAM courses
- Mr.Amal A, V BBA AM was awarded "Best Recruiter of the Week" during Internship Period in Learnovate on 02.11.2020.
- Mr.Amal A, V BBA AM was awarded "Best Team Leader of the Week" during Internship Period in Learnovate on 10.11.2020.

#### **Best Paper Award:**

- Skanda Athreya Dutt Secured 3rd Place in "Best Presentation" category conducted during the Science Communication Workshop held at the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay during June 14 - 15, 2021.
- Tesma Jomin (20CM401007) Best Paper award at SCMS Cochin School Of Business

#### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

#### **Book Publication by Student**

- 1. A.N. Sreelakshmi has published a book titled Oasis published by Inspired Wings
- 2. Mr. Nandeesh Reddy C [MBA] Save your savings: Personal Finance Management, July 2020, Amazon Publishers

#### **Student Participation in Extra-Curricular Activities**

- Investiture Ceremony was held on 5th October, 2020. Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda, Principal, Miranda House University College for Women, New Delhi addressed the students.
- Kalajyothi 2020, the annual intra-collegiate literary and cultural festival of the college was organized to provide an opportunity for students to express their talent in various competitions held under literary, fine arts, theatre and music and dance heads. Events were conducted through virtual mode. In this academic year, Kalajyothi was held from 28/09/20 to 03/10/19. 21 events were organized and 1348 students had participated in the competitions.
- Anchors' Association and Debating Society organized orientation program on 25th March 2021 and 69 students were attended
- Once upon a Tune- Annual Christmas celebration was staged on 18th December 2020. The event was a blend of winsome the magnificence and bewitching euphonious music.
- Nrityanjali National level virtual Dance Festival was organized on 29th April 2021 to commemorate World Dance Day and Guru Sri Mysore B Nagaraj, Kathak exponent and artistic director and managing Trustee at Articulate India consented to be the Chief Guest.
- KJC Television: PG students of the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication PG students have produced 30 programmes for KJC television, an offline campus TV channel. 1 documentary and 2 short films were completed
- KJC Radio: Department of Journalism and Mass Communication students have produced 12 programmes for KJC radio, an offline Radio channel.
- Teachers Day Celebration was organized on 5th September 2020 and witnessed a plethora of cultural displays made by talented faculty members. All faculty members received appreciation and mementos from the Principal

#### **Achievements in Sports**

Details of Individual Achievements of Various Games and Sports Participated

S. No	Reg. No	Name of the student	Name of the Game /	Category/	Organized By	Result
			Event	Level		
1	20LS5A1016	Kanika Dadhich I	Athletics	District	Johrat District	
			4x100 Relay		Sports Association	3rd Place
2	20LS5A1016	Kanika Dadhich I	Athletics		Johrat District Sports	
			400 mtrs	District	Association	
						3rd Place
3	20LS5A1016	Kanika Dadhich I	Athletics		Assam Athletic	
			4x400 Relay	District	Association	2nd Place

#### **Achievements in Cultural Fests**

- Overall winners in Utharothsava 2020-21- Bengaluru North University Online Intercollegiate Cultural competition [22/07/21] [Kristu Jayanti College won Overalls for the 13th Consecutive year]
- Comp Science UG Students got Overall Winner in IT Fest at Mount Carmel College held on 29/10/2020
- Comp Science students secured got Runners up in ANOVA 2.0 held in CMR Institute on 20/05/21
- Commerce PG has got Overall championship in TANDAV 2021 at Sacred Heart College, Kerala on 6/2/21

#### Other Achievements:

- 1. Ms. Swetha K received Young Warrior Certificate, awarded by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, YuWaah-UNICEF India [20/6/21]
- 2. Acted in a film Midnight freedom and participated in Berlin film festival
- Raghu (16CO1K258
   Prakash Dole(18HU6H2100)
   Deepthi Nagaraj (18CS4K2130)

#### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

- Sanjana Dipu (18HU5A1028), V Semester BA JPCS, won the Best Child Actors Award for the film Moothon at the International New York Indian Film Festival
- Mr Shilet Cijo (BA JPENG 2003-2006) received 'Kerala State TV Award' for Best Educational Programme https://newsable.asianetnews.com/india/asianet-news-bags-three-laurels-in-28th-kerala-state-television-awardssnj-qgwop6
- Ms Elizabeth Kessaya (19HU901010) III MA JMC, won the Miss Personality title in the Miss Queen Kerala 5. Competition held in Kochi, 30 September 2020
- Ms. Nitasha Priscilla, student of final year MBG participated and her essay was selected among one in the citation in online essay competition conducted by State Biodiversity Board of Tamilnadu on May 22nd May 2020

#### List of Winners at Utharothsava, Bengaluru North University Youth Festival, Kristu Jayanti College won Overalls for the 13th Consecutive year

Sl. No	Date of the Event	Name of the competition	Name of the participant (s)	Prizes won	Team
1.	March 2020	Classical Instrumental Percussion	Sarath.R	First	Team
2.	March 2020	Classical Instrumental Non Percussion	Shyam Sundar	First	Team
3.	March 2020	Light Vocal	Shyam Sundar	Third	Individual
4.	March 2020	Western Instrumental	Meryl M Gunjal	First	Individual
5.	March 2020	Classical Dance	Prathima.N	First	Individual
6.	March 2020	Western Dance	Nimmy Pious	Second	Individual
7.	March 2020	Debate	Aparna	First	Individual
8.	March 2020	Debate	Shine Mathew	Second	Individual
9.	March 2020	Elocution	Nisarga B.N.	Third	Individual
10.	March 2020	Mono Act	Nisarga B.N.	First	Individual
11.	March 2020	Mime	Subramanya.M	Second	Individual
12.	March 2020	Mimicry	Abhishek	First	Individual

#### **Academic Achievements**

#### **CAT exam cleared in Dec-20 Examination**





#### **Clearing NET Examination**



**Michelle Johnson** 











**Completing ACCA Examination** 



Amritha Sajith

Gaadha B





Sreenath A P



GincyMary Kuruvilla

#### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



**Ankith Mathew Secured** 2<sup>nd</sup> National Rank and 11th Global Rank in Financial Management ACCA paper



Mr.Siddesh S Hiremath, VI BBA A (2016 - 2019) Cleared and secured 70% in F3 Financial Strategy Examination with CIMA, UK.



Flency Thankachan won Bronze medal from Manipal Hospitals for supporting and counselling covid scare patient



Skanda Athreya Datta 3rd Place in "Best Presentation" category conducted during the Science Communication Workshop held at the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay



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Praksah Dole Acted in a film Midnight freedom and participated in Berlin film festival



Deepti Nagaraj Acted in a film Midnight freedom and participated in Berlin film festival



Ms. Kanika Dadhich I secured III Place and II Place in District level Athletics meet conducted by Johrat District Sports Association.



Mr.Amal A, V BBA AM was awarded "Best Recruiter of the Week" and "Best Team Leader of the Week" during Internship Period in Learnovate



Ms. Nitasha Priscilla, student of final year MBG participated and her essay was selected among one in the citation in online essay competition conducted by State Biodiversity Board of Tamilnadu on May 22nd May 2020



Ms. Swetha K Young Warrior Certificate movement activated by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, CBSE, YuWaah (Generation Unlimited India), and UNICEF India [20/6/21]



## **ACHARYOTSAVA**

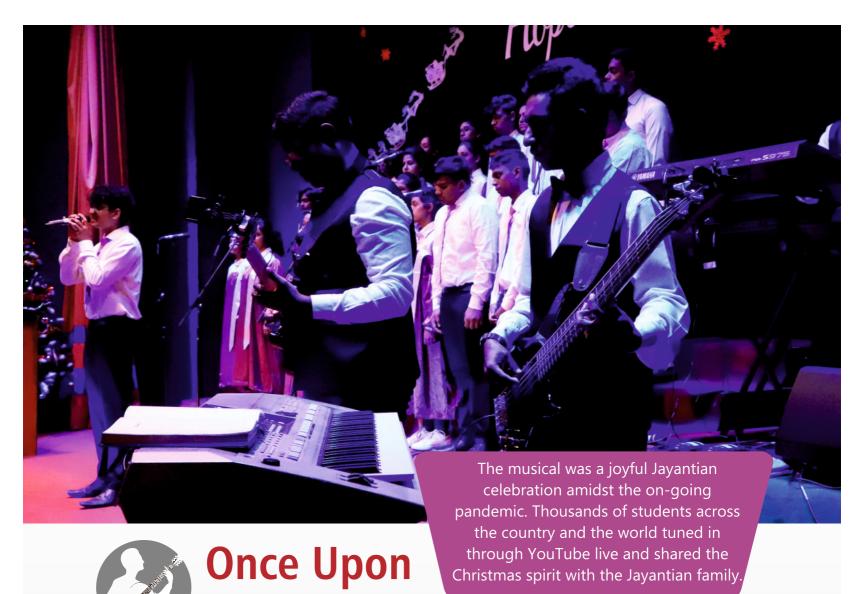
CHARYOTSAVA is an important day at Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) and is a platform to all the staff members of KJC to showcase their sports skills. This was initiated in the year 2017 with relevant support from Kristu Jayanti College of Management. Acharyostava 2021 was inaugurated on September 3rd, 2021 the staff members were divided into four groups based on their respective deaneries along with the team of Non-Teaching Staff members. The following games were conducted for Men and Women; Cricket-Ball out (men), Basketball- Free throw men, Volleyball (men), Throw ball (women), Dodge Ball (Women), Dodge Ball (men) Football Penalty shoot (men) and Zigzag Ball Passing Relay(Women), Badminton (men &women) and Badminton mixed. The badminton matches conducted on 31st August and 1st September and all other games were conducted on 3rd September 2021. Winners will be awarded later with Medals, Certificates and an Overall Championship Trophy. Administrative Staff won the overall championship with the highest score of 60 points and Deaneries of Humanities overall runners with 45 points. All the events were conducted under the aegis of Physical Education Department and the Sports



# Overall Cultural Champions 13<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Times







**A Tune** he Literary and Cultural Association of Kristu Jayanti

College celebrated Christmas's joy with 'Once Upon A Tune' on 18 December 2020. It was a musical show put up by the Kristu Jayanti College Choir with the theme - 'Hope is Born.'

The Christmas celebration was filled with music in a storyline of a young child meeting Santa Claus and was amazed at the décor and lights. The young child reminisces about Christmas spirit with songs. The audience was filled with a 'thrill of hope' for a wonderful Christmas.

Fr. James Narithookil, Superior, CMI Ashram, shared a Christmas message of making the impossible possible. He called to everyone to be a messenger of peace marching

forward hand in hand, working together in making the world a better place to live in.

Fr. Dr. Augustine George, Principal, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) shared a brief Christmas message at the end of the show, emphasising hope and highlighting the meaning of Christmas joy. He mentioned the importance of being thoughtful to our family and friends, and the reason for celebration in this festive season, the birth of Christ. Father also appreciated and thanked the students for their hard work in making 'Once Upon a Tune' a wonderful celebration.

The musical was a joyful Jayantian celebration amidst the on-going pandemic. Thousands of students across the country and the world tuned in through YouTube live and shared the Christmas spirit with the Jayantian family.







## Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations (CECR)





#### **Career Support**

Placements at Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) have always stirred up much interest due to the visit of leading brands from various sectors. Kristu Jayanti College has a very active Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations (CECR). Every year students are placed in top multinational companies through the CECR. More than 60 corporates visit the campus for recruitment every year. The overwhelming feedback from the recruiters regarding the performance of the students, is an assurance of their trust in the quality of pedagogy adopted in Kristu Jayanti College.

The CECR takes continuous effort in bridging the gap between theory learned in the classroom and practical exposure with the corporate world through Industry Institute Interface (3i). Executives from different sectors like IT, ITES, Retail, Manufacturing, Banking and Financial Services, FMCG and Media visit the College for dynamic interaction with the students to update them with the current trends in the corporate world.

#### **Employability Skills Development**

Employability skills such as communication skills, interpersonal relationship, team work, etc., help the student to get the right job and also accelerate the pace of his/her career. In this aspect the centre provides the various courses to enhance their career growth such as introduction to communication and inter personal skills, listening skills, group communication, team work, interviews, stress management, public speaking skills, negotiation, conflict management and event management.



#### GATE - Opening a Passage

The CECR starts the Placement Orientation and Training Programme by inaugurating GATE, opening a passage which is attuned to the needs of the Industry in the era of globalization and the ever-growing challenges and the complexities of business. GATE, through its multifarious training verticals aspires to mould employable, dedicated and committed individuals who are industry ready.

*Udyogvichaar* is a platform for corporate officials to interact with the student community and explicate the various openings in their respective companies. Interested students can choose a prospective recruiter and undergo the selection process through GATE.





# Gate 2019 Opening a Passage



#### Placement on the Surge at Kristu Jayanti College

Name	Batch	Company
Lahari R	BCom	Mr. Cooper Group
Taruni S	BCom	Mr. Cooper Group
Dinesh Kumar K	MCA	Sysfore Technologies
Haritha Nair	MCA	338 Inc.
Neha Elizabeth Prince	MCA	Alucor Soulutions
Pyarjit V P	MCA	Syncron
Saji C	MCA	Hashedin By Deloitte
Sijoy S Samuel	MCA	338 Inc.
Tabu K	MCA	Alucor Soulutions
Sherlin Susanna Shaji	MCA	Alucor Soulutions
Xavier Pearl A	MCA	Syncron
Bhavan Kumar Y	MCA	Hashedin By Deloitte
Prashanth S	MCA	Sysfore Technologies
Manish P	MCA	338 Inc.
Sarathchandra Babu	MCA	Sysfore Technologies
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#### **CONSTITUTIONAL DAY**

ristu Jayanti College of Law organized Constitutional Day in collaboration with Vidya Vikas Institute of Legal Studies, Mysore on November 26th, 2020. Prof. Girish K.C, Assistant Professor, Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi and Co- coordinator of the event, recited the Preamble, to mark the importance of the auspicious day and to pay respects to the Constitution.

Prof. Dr. P .Ishwara Bhatt, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi, in his Presidential Address, gave a brief background, a historical evolution and some major achievements of the Constitution, especially with reference to the Golden Triangle, which includes Articles 14, 19 and 21. The Chief Guest, Hon'ble Justice Cyriac Joseph, former judge of the Supreme Court of India and Lokayukta, Government of Kerala addressed the gathering on the topic 'Role of the judiciary in upholding Constitutional Values like Democracy and Secularism' and proceeded by highlighting the importance of the Constitution in India. He threw light on the Constitutional values enshrined in the Preamble, the organs of the government, their functioning and their importance in light of democracy and secularism. Hon'ble Justice stated that end goal should be to achieve truth. The session successfully ended with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Rangaswamy D, Assistant Professor, Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi.



#### FIT INDIA MOVEMENT DAY

it India Movement day was celebrated at Kristu Jayanti College of Law Bengaluru on 29th August 2020 through the virtual platform Zoom as a part of a country-wide movement to motivate people to remain fit and healthy by inculcating physical and sports activities in their day to day activities.

Dr. Khalid Khan, Physical education Director, Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi, was the guest of honour. He gave a brief history of this day and spoke about India's sports icon Major Dayanand who was a hockey player and who made a mark in the field of sports internationally. He urged the students to inculcate similar values and discipline in their lives. A video recording depicting the fitness routine of our students was also played. The objective behind this was to showcase how our students are involved in various fitness activities even though they are separated by distance.

Sri C S Vivekananda, Partner, VGB Associates, Bengaluru, was the keynote speaker of the day. Being a sportsperson himself he highlighted the importance that sports plays in shaping a person's life. He also explained about the emerging trends of sports law in India which derives most of its essence from laws like contract, tort, agency, constitutional, labour, trademark etc. He also responded to the questions posted by our faculty members and students

#### **PUBLIC POLICY AND HUMAN RIGHTS**

On the occasion of Human Rights Day Kristu Jayanti College of Law organized Nyaya Samvada on the topic "Public Policy and Human Rights on 10th December 2020. The Resource Person for the day was Ms. Jayna Kothari, Senior Advocate & Executive Director Centre for Law & Policy Research.

Ms Jayna explained the importance of human rights and its relevance during the covid pandemic. She gave examples of those who lost their jobs, shelters and livelihood during the Covid-19 pandemic, many of those whose right to health, right to basic necessity, right to shelter, right to food

security were violated.

She also threw light on the word "intersectionality", the social categorization of a given individual or a group and gave relevant examples to explain the same. Ms. Jayna also discussed her work "Exclusion Amplified" which focuses upon the rights of the vulnerable which were being continuously violated during the covid.

She also focused on the wide range of issues which came along with the pandemic such as social exclusion, families and individuals being forced to stay within closed walls of their homes and the impact on mental health that each of these life style changes brought about. Her session was followed by a question and answer session. She encouraged each and every one to spread awareness in their own circles as everyone can bring a collective change in the society. The session was very insightful and left everyone inspired and motivated to do their best to create awareness of the basic rights of the individual.



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#### THE PERVASIVE RULE OF LAW

ristu Jayanti college of Law organized Nyaya Samvada on the topic 'The ▶Pervasive Rule of Law' on 3rd May 2021. Hon'ble Justice Rajive Bhalla, Former Judge, Punjab and Haryana High Court was the chief guest for the occasion.

The talk began with Sir explaining the central role that Rule of Law has in our Criminal Justice System. He spoke about how this concept originated as a product of struggle by the people from centuries for recognition of their inherent rights and also explained how this concept is very ancient and old. He then went on to discuss some of the Basic Principles of Rule of Law like- Law is supreme and nobody is above the law, All the things should be done according to a law not as per the whims of those in power, No person should suffer except for the breach of law. One of the central themes of today's session was the need for Absence of arbitrariness, Equality before the law, equal protection of the law and Speedy trial. He also referred to several land mark cases to explain the importance of fair and just procedure in conducting trials, Independent and impartial judiciary. The session ended with the a Question and Answer session where he responded to the queries of the participants.



#### ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT

ristu Jayanti College of Law organized Upanyasa Lecture Series An Interactive session with Mrs. Deepali Hiremath, Assistant Professor, KLE College of Law, Bangalore deliberated on the topic 'Entrepreneurship Development, dated 13th August 2021.

The resource person began her talk with a small discussion regarding the internal environment like value systems, vision and mission statements, human resources. She, then went on to explain the meaning of economic environment. She guoted the example of the US economic crisis and also quoted "Long-established companies have closed their doors, costing workers their jobs, retirement savings and even their homes. Thus far the U.S. economy has proven resilient, and since the Great Recession in 2008 progress has been made to stabilise the housing industry, maintain low and affordable interest rates, and provide additional incentives for businesses to open and/or expand".

#### **MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS – THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVE**

ristu Jayanti College of Law organized Upanyasa Lecture Series- An Interactive session with Mrs. Shubha V.S, Assistant Professor, KLE College of Law, Bangalore deliberated on the topic 'Mergers and Acquisitions - Theoretical Perspective', dated 14th August 2021.

The Resource Person spoke about various conceptual issues of corporate mergers and acquisitions such as corporate restructuring, its types and significance of merger and acquisitions in ever changing dynamic environment. Madam also quoted live examples such as merger of Vodafone India with Idea Cellular and Walmart with Flipkart etc. Resource person also stated that when the shareholders of more than one company, usually two, decide to pool resources of the companies under a common entity it is called 'merger'. If as a result of a merger, a new company comes into existence it is called as 'amalgamation'.



#### "NYAYA SAMVADA"

ristu Jayanti College of Law organized its seventh Nyaya Samvada on 29th July 2021. Shri. H Shashidhara Shetty, Member Secretary, Karnataka State Law Legal Services Authority (KSLSA) was the Chief Guest for the occasion. The interactive session began with the playing of a video which gave a clear context to the students regarding the work done by KSLSA. During the course of the entire lecture Sir emphasized on the role that the Law Schools have in extending legal service to the poor and the under privileged. He further went on to explain the work that is done by the Karnataka State Law Legal Services Authority in responding to individual complaints that are filed directly to KSLSA. Sir then explained the efforts that have been taken by and continues to be taken by the KSLSA since the onset of Covid 19 as physical courts have not been operational. He spoke about the Mega Lok Adalat that was organized in Karnataka which helped in the disposal of more than One Lakh cases in a day. Sir explained the amount of effort that was taken in order to ensure that all the parties were available and the amount of training that went into extending technical support to all of the interested parties.



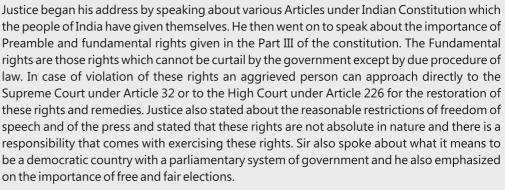
The Q&A session began with discussing the challenges faced by the KSLSA in responding to the numerous cases that are brought before it. Shri. H Shashidhara Shetty gave real life examples of how he was able to intervene in various cases involving child trafficking in Bangalore and how the State authorities are constantly making efforts to curb this evil. Sir also reminded all of the students of the responsibility that each of them have to be vigilant and to play an active role in coordination with the Legal Aid cell of the College in making justice accessible to the vulnerable sections of the society.

#### "NYAYA SPARDHA"-CONSTITUTIONAL LAW QUIZ COMPETITION

🖊 ristu Jayanti College of Law organized "Nyaya Spardha" an Intra College Constitutional Law Quiz Competition on .19th August 2021. A total of twenty seven students took part in the first round out of which six of them were short listed for Finals. The students were required to answer questions asked from the different provisions of the Indian Constitution. The last round saw a tie between two of the participants and even after two tie breaking rounds both the students had equal score at the end. Abishek Shivaraman (IV Sem) and Jonita (VIII Sem) came first and Shriti Jha (IV Sem) was declared the Runner Up for the Quiz.

#### **CONSTITUTIONALISM, FUNCTIONAL** CHALLENGES & REMEDIAL MEASURES

n Interactive Session with Shri. Justice Dr. G. Yetirajulu, Former Judge, High Court of Andhra Pradesh deliberated on the topic 'Constitutionalism, Functional Challenges & Remedial Measures', dated 7th August 2021.



Further Justice spoke about the range of remedies under Article 32 which can be provided by the Supreme Court as it has power to issue directions or order of writs, including writes in the nature of habeas corpus, mandamus, prohibition, quo-warranto and certiorari whichever may be appropriate, for the enforcement of any of the rights conferred by Part III. The event ended with question and answers session.



#### **PLACEMENT ORIENTATION AND** TRAINING PROGRAMME

ristu Jayanti College of Law in collaboration with Centre for Employability and Corporate Relations (CECR) organized a Placement Orientation and Training Programme (POTP) for the Final Year students of Kristu Jayanti College of Law on 20th September, 2021 at 2pm via Zoom Platform. The Resource person for the training session was Prof. Sen B Mathews, Director CECR, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru.

Prof Mathews emphasized on how placement is all about team work and the support of everyone in the department is required for the same. He informed the students that the Campus Placement season begins in the month of Oct and continues till June and various programmes like Udyoog Vichaar for Pre-placement programme and Employability Lecture series, presentation skills and interview skills are conducted in order to prepare the students for the same.

His talk was followed by an interactive session in which the students were asked to respond to some aptitude related questions and the students were also asked to debate on a small topic. Sir also stated that before a student prepares herself for an interview she should primarily focus on the importance of Self-awareness, competencies and the need to assess yourself. In conclusion Sir gave important tips and strategies on making a good resume and some important skills to attend an Interview. The session came to an end with Vote of thanks presented by Ms. Vanisha, student, IV year BBA LL.B.



#### **CRITICAL ISSUES IN PROPERTY LAW OF INDIA**



ristu Jayanti College of Law organized the 13th Upanyaasa Lecture Series was conducted on 16th September 2021 by Kristu Jayanti College of law. The Chief Guest for this event was Prof. K. Shiva Prasad (Director of Bengaluru Law College). He spoke on the topic 'Critical Issues in Property law of India'. Sir was introduced to the gathering by Prof. Mahesh S. Betasur. The Chief Guest started the session by giving a brief Introduction of the term 'property' and the issues surrounding the Transfer of property Act. He began with explaining how important it is to have a clarity on this topic as 34% of the cases pending in courts of India are related to property law. He gave a section wise tour of the Transfer of Property Act & explained each topic using relevant examples for easy understanding.

Prof. Shiva Prasad gave us a gist of topics like definition of movable and immovable property, subject to the restrictions of owning the property and the enjoyment of the same, doctrine of notice, legal notice and actionable claims. Sir further gave us an insight into the different concepts relating to mortgage, rights of a mortgager, doctrine of foreclosure, doctrine of substitute and security. The programme concluded with a Q&A session where the students raised some questions relevant to the topic and Sir responded to the same.

#### PROPERTY LAW OF INDIA: PRINCIPLES AND DOCTRINES PART-1

ristu Jayanti College of Law organized Upanyasa Lecture Series an Interactive session with Hon'ble Justice Kuriakose, Former Chief Justice High Court of Sikkim deliberated on the topic Property Law of India: Principles And Doctrines Part-1, dated on 29th June 2021.

Sir began deliberating on the topic with the definition of property and explained that it is derived from the Latin word 'propertietat' the French equivalent of which is 'proprious' that means 'a thing owned'. Sir also explained how property occupies an important place in human life because it is impossible to live without the use of material objects.

Hon'ble Justice explained the various provisions under The Transfer of Property Act, 1882 read conjointly with General Clauses Act, 1897. He further discussed about the Doctrine of Notice which is defined under Section 3 of Transfer of Property Act, 1882. Notice means to have knowledge of something that is, to know something. In law, it means knowledge of a fact. It is used to decide on conflicting claims of two parties. In law, the notice or knowledge of a fact affects one's legal rights and liabilities. Sir explained all of these important principles in the light of various judgments delivered by Supreme Court and High Court. Sir also explained various important doctrines such as Doctrine of Part Performance and Doctrine of Lis Pendens.



#### CHILD LABOUR-LEGAL PRINCIPLES & PROHIBITION

ristu Jayanti College of Law organized Nyaya Samvada on the topic, Child Labour-Legal Principles & Prohibition Dr. R.K. Elagovan, Director General, DGFASLI, Sion, Mumbai, on 15th May 2021.

The resource person began his talk by emphasizing on the reality of child labour existing in India, its causes, consequences and some estimates. He highlighted some of the constitutional provisions which absolutely prohibit child labour and then went on to explain some of the international conventions protecting child rights against exploitation and labour. He went on to explain the important provisions under the Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act, 1986 which provides for the Prohibition of Employment of Children in certain occupations and processes. He explained as to how Child Labour is not a practice that can be completely eliminated without engaging different stake holders and spoke about the different active steps to be taken on the part of the states. He even spoke about the changes that have been introduced by the virtue of the 2014 amendment and how it has not been very successful in eliminating the problem of child labour in our country. The session ended with a question and answer round where Sir responded to the queries raised by the students.



#### THE SIGNIFICANCE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AND RELATIONS DURING THE PANDEMIC

\Lambda n Interactive Session with Prof. Dr.T.S.N. Sastry, Former Vice Chancellor, Dr. Ambedkar Law University. Chennai, Tamilnadu deliberated on the topic 'The Significance of International Law and Relations during the pandemic', dated 9th June 2021.

Sir started the session by bringing out a distinction between International Law and International Relations. He cleared a misconception that most people have about international relations being the basis of international law, where as in reality international law is what provides the basis for international relations.

Sir made a comparison between different roles played by International Communities and International Laws in dealing with different Pandemic like situations in the past and now. He spoke about WHO's role in dealing with the pandemic by adopting new regulations and modifying existing regulations like 'The International Health Regulations' of 1969 which was later modified multiple times to adapt to the requirements of the time. Sir further added how similarly every other International Bodies have adopted various rules and regulations to deal with the problems dealt by the World due to the current pandemic.



#### **FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS**

Prof. Bhavya G participated in 5 days workshop in Research studies in Law organized by Manuneethi free legal awareness organization in collaboration the Tamil Nadu Dr.

Ambedkar law university & commonwealth legal education association from 30th May to 3rd June 2021.

Prof. Mahesh S Betasur successfully completed a Course on Right to Information and Good Governance conducted by NPTEL, a Project of Ministry of Human Resource Development in the month of July, 2021.

Dr. Savitha K L has participated in National Workshop on research Methodology organized from 24th May 2021 to 30th May 2021 by the Department of political Science of IQAC Govt.VYT PG Autonomous College Durg, Chattisgarh.



Prof. Bhavya G completed one week Recent Trends in research Article writing from 22nd March 2021 to 27th March 2021 organized by REST Society for Research International, Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu, India.

Dr. K Srinivasan published an article in a UGC care Journal Sambodi with ISSN:2249-6661, Vol 44, No. 3 (Jan-Mar 2021) titled Work and Family life balance among Women Public Prosecutors in Judiciary System of Maharashtra.



Ms. Preeti Joseph was the Resource Person for the Online Webinar on Gender Sensitization organized by the Women Empowerment Cell in Association with IQAC of Christ College, Malur on 23rd August 2021.

Dr. Savitha K L complete an online certification course on Python for Time Series Data Analysis on 13th August 2021 offered by Udemy. Prof. Swathi PK
presented a paper titled Instagram
Marketing- a case study with
respect to Bata shoes in a Two day
Online Conference titled
"Transformation, Metamorphosis
and Advances in Business
Environment" in association with
Bangalore University, Teacher's
Council of Commerce and
Management conducted on 13th
and 14th August, 2021.



Prof. T Viji published a paper titled 'Tear Speaks' in the International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts on 8th March 2021. Ms. Neha Gupta published a Chapter titled 'A critical analysis of the impact of Covid 19 on Indian Economy- A special reference to Legal Reforms in the book Business and Trade Practices During and After Corona Pandemic published by Swaraj Prakashan.



#### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



Jopsy Elsa George (8th sem BA., LLB), Tarul Joseph Thottungal (8th sem B.Com.,LLB) and Silpa Ann Koshy (8th sem BA.,LLB) participated in the 7th International Moot Court Competition 2021 organized by Karnataka State Law University Law School, Huballi which took place from 25th-27th July, 2021. Our team was the Runner's Up for the event. The Moot problem was based on International Law and several teams from different parts of the world also took part in the same.

Abhishek Sivaraman (2nd year BBA.,LLB), Beryl Sugirtham (2nd year BBA.,LLB) and Jibin Sebastian (2nd year BBA.,LLB) participated in the 1st National Environmental Law Moot Court Competition organized on Environmental Law by ICFAI Law School, Dehradun from 3rd September to 5th September 2021. The team secured Second place in the competition against the forty eight teams that participated from the different parts of the country.

Ms. Nisha Anna Joseph (2nd year BBA.,LLB) participated in National Webinar Series on India's Economic Reforms: A boon or bane an elocution contest organized by Department of Corporate Economics and IQAC of SAINTGITS College of Applied Sciences Kottayam, Kerala on 7th August 2021. She secured the first place in the competition.

Ms. Esther Sarah Varghese (BBA LL.B, 1st year) was selected as Best Delegate of UN Women IMUN Online Conference 30.0, organized by the International Model United Nations on 7th and 8th November, 2020.

Jopsy Elsa George (8th sem BA.,LLB), Tarul Joseph Thottungal (8th sem B.Com.,LLB) and Anusree (8th sem BBA.,LLB) participated in Virtual Moot Court Competition organized by ICFAI Law School, ICFAI University on 22nd November 2020 and Secured First place. The event was conducted over a span of three days where the students had to compete with different teams from all over the country and the moot problem was on PILnternational Law.

Mr. Jephin Praksha (BBA LL.B, 1st year) took part in International E-Conference on "the Digital transformation in Business Re-Engineering: Post Pandemic Era of Industry 5.0" organised by Dr. Vithalrao Vikhe Patil Foundation's Institute of Business Management and Rural Development, Ahmednagar. The event took place in the course of two days from 26th -27th August 2021. He successfully presented a paper on the topic "A framework of cyber security & cyber legislation".

Ms. Namratha Murthy (BA LL.B, 1st year) took part in International Conference on Research Trends in Engineering & Management organized by R.R. Institute of Technology, Bengaluru which took place on 20th & 21st August 2021. She successfully presented a paper on 'Women Empowerment in India: Issues & Challenges'.

Mr. Tarul Joseph Thottungal (B.Com LL.B, 4th year) was awarded Best Gentleman Advocate at 7th International Moot Court Competition 2021. The Competition was organized by Karnataka State Law University Law School, Huballi on 24th-27th July, 2021.

Ms. Heena Fathima (BBA LL.B, 2nd year) was awarded "Best of IMUN" certificate as Campus Ambassador of International Model United Nations. She was also globally placed at top 30 and placed 17th in India-among 4, 881 Interns.

Ms. Anjali S Nair (BBA LL.B, 3rd year) made it to the India book of records for inscribing the Preamble of Indian Constitution on a single egg on 2nd August, 2021.



ristu Jayanti College (Autonomous) continues to promote academic partnerships with reputed foreign universities that facilitate student and faculty exchange programs and academic collaborations. The college has partnered with:

Appalachian State University, NC, USA

Fachhochschule Dortmund - University, Germany

FHDW Fachhochschule der Wirtschaft, Germany

EM Normandie - Normandy Business School, Caen, France

Neu-Ulm University of Applied Sciences, Germany

St. Mary's University, Texas

Trinity Western University, Canada

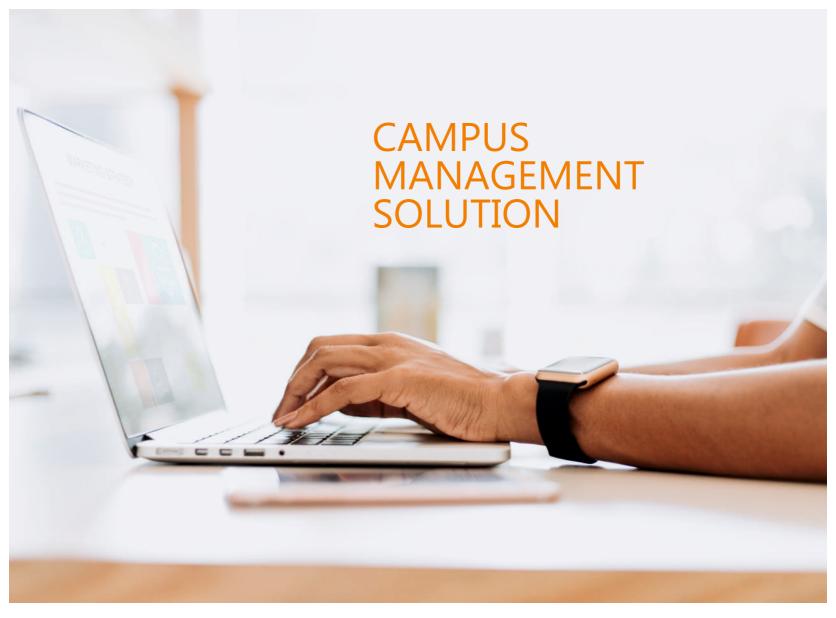
Sophia University, Japan

Erasmus In School, Spain

University of Cordoba, Spain under the aegis of Erasmus+



In the academic year 2019-20, Palak Gujarathi , 18HU6A2078 from III Semester had taken up an exchange programme with Appalachian State University, U.S. The duration of the programme was from August to December 2019.





Ristu Jayanti College has initiated an online ERP on the cloud for its campus management. This solution caters to the diverse needs of campus management and office administration including admission of students, fee collection, scheduling the class time table, monitoring the student's attendance, capturing marks for the exams, etc. This decentralized architecture offered by the campus management solution makes this ERP different from its kind. A continuous evaluation of the students is carried through the two mid semester exams which assures the responsible monitoring of the students and their progress.

The online admission module helps the applicants across the globe to apply online and get timely notifications via email, regarding the status of their application. The automated fee collection process not only ensures precise and effective procedures for the office but also caters to intimate the parents and students about the various fee schedule and due in payments.

The academic discipline is the prime area of trust for the institution and therefore the efficient automation process from the academic module of the solution. These efforts and initiatives for optimizing the modern technology and IT infrastructure ensure a comfortable interaction and a transparent campus which in turn enhances the productivity and makes the institution competent enough to keep up the standards of higher education

#### **MANAGEMENT TEAM**



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#### **FACULTY MEMBERS**





#### Kristu Jayanti School of Management

(International Finance, HR, Finance, Marketing, MBA Business Intelligence & Analytics)

#### Kristu Jayanti College of Law

B.A., LL.B. | B.B.A., LL.B. | B.Com., LL.B. (5 year Integrated Programme)

#### Kristu Jayanti College (Arts, Commerce & Science)

#### **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**

MSW Master of Social Work

M.Sc. Psychology

M.Sc. Counselling Psychology

M.Sc. Clinical Psychology

MA English Literature

Kannada MA

MA Journalism & Mass Communication

**BA** Journalism, Psychology, English Literature Computer Science, Political Science, History,

Economics, Tourism, Sociology,

Performing Arts

(Two Majors from above discipline)

English Literature (Single Major)

Psychology (Single Major)

Visual Communication (Single Major)

**Research Centre - Psychology** 

#### FACULTY OF COMMERCE & MANAGEMENT

M.Com. Master of Commerce

M.Com. Financial Analysis (FA)

MA **Economics** 

**BBA** Bachelor of Business Administration

**BBA Business Analytics** 

BBA **Aviation Management** 

B.Com. Bachelor of Commerce **B.Com.** Bachelor of Commerce (Honours)

B.Com. Professional

B.Com. ACCA Integrated

**B.Com.** Business Analytics

B.Com. Integrated with CMA

B.Com. Tourism

**B.Com.** Logistics & Supply Chain Management

1 Year PG Diploma for Working Executives

(Marketing Management | H R Management

Business Administration)

Research Centre - Commerce, Management

#### **FACULTY OF SCIENCES**

**MCA** Master of Computer Applications

M.Sc. Computer Science

M.Sc. Biotechnology

M.Sc. Microbiology

M.Sc. Biochemistry

**BCA** Bachelor of Computer Applications

**BCA** Analytics

**B.Sc.** Computer Science, Mathematics, Electronics Statistics, Physics, Electronics, Economics (Two Majors from above discipline)

B.Sc. Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Genetics Botany, Microbiology

(Two Majors from above discipline)

B.Sc. Forensic Science (Single Major)

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