

Faculty of Commerce (2021-22)

Report of activities conducted by Faculty of Commerce in academic year 2021-22 is as follows.

Workshop of Agro Based Business

The faculty of commerce organized the workshop on 14th May, 2022 for commerce students to create interest about agriculture and agro based business and to educate them about government schemes, funding and registration procedure of same. Sixty seven students participated in it. Dr. Govind Hande (State level Tech. Advisor, Export Dept. of Agriculture, Pune) and Dr. Popatrao Kolekar (Deputy Director of Agriculture, Kolhapur) were resource persons. Dr Priyanka Bhamare and Aditi Pimpale coordinated the workshop.

Skill Development Course TRAIN HER

This course was conducted for girls to equip them with the knowledge of financial, digital literacy and business planning. It was 30 hours course conducted in association with Learning Link Foundation. Eighteen girl students participated in this course. Business plans of two of our participants were selected by foundation and they were given seed capital. Dr. Priyanka Bhamare was coordinator of the course.

Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights.

The faculty of commerce organized the workshop on 11th May, 2022 for all commerce students to create awareness about benefits of intellectual property rights and registration procedure of it. Sixty seven students participated in workshop. Dr. Ananya Bibave (Vice Principal, Modern Law College, Ganesakhind, Pune) and Mrs. Archana Deshpande (Professor of Modern Law College, Ganeshkind, Pune) were resource persons. Dr. Ananya Bibave focused on need, importance and modes of IPR. Mrs. Archana Deshpande spoke on history of IPR. She further explained registration process of Copyright, Patent, Trademark, Industrial Designs etc.

This workshop was co-ordinated by Dr. Priyanka Bhamare. Prof. Aditi Pimpale assisted in organising workshop.

Future Banking Forum

1 Banking Day Celebration

On 11th Aug 2021 Banking Day was celebrated online in the memory of late C.D. Deshmukh. On this occasion every year the students take pledge to make Indian Banking System more strong and ideal. Our alumni banker Mrs. Sampada Purandare Deputy Director of SBI Mumbai was the

resource person and guided students on the roles and responsibilities of every citizen towards banking industry. 96 students were present for this session.

2 Investment Awareness Sessions

On 13th Nov 2021, Capital Market Awareness session of Bombay Stock Exchange was organized on Zoom platform. Mr. Pankaj Mathkar interacted on how investment is important in the early age of one's life. 82 Students had attended this session.

On 26th Nov 2021 Mr. Mithilesh Gurao TYBCOM student conducted the session on Basics of stock market through online mode. 83 students attended this session.

On 27th April 2022 Mr. Sudhkar Kulkarni conducted session on how to open online DEMAT account and how to invest safely. 57 students opened the DEMAT account.

3 Career Guidance Session by alumni bankers

On 27th Nov 2021 Mr. Rohan Medhekar vice president Axis Bank Ltd interacted with students who aspire to make career in banking. He guided students of different opportunities in banking industry. 20 students attended this event.

On 11th Dec 2021 Mr. Abhijeet Joshi Branch head of Axis bank Ltd guided students on various job profiles, different roles of a banker and code of conduct of bank. 31 students attended this event.

4. Skill Development for internship

On 31st Dec 2021 Mr. Arun Bhonkar Chief Manager of Bank of India conducted the workshop on areas to be studied in Internship at various banks. He had also shared his experiences.

5. New Year Celebration with grandparents

On 30th Dec 2021, new Year was celebrated at Sahajeevan old age home Bhugaon. The students performed the cultural event and gave the surprise gifts to the grandparents.

6. Internship for TYBCOM students

In academic year 2021-22 SPPU introduced the Internship for TYBCOM students. Following banks offered internship to our students

- a. Vidya Cooperative Bank Ltd : 102 Students
- b. Vishweshwar Coperative bank: 50 Students
- c. Cosmos Cooperative bank: 13 Students

d. Janata Cooperative Bank for Advanced learners of SYBCOM and MCOM students : 17 Students.

7. My Nation my Pride

On 14th Feb 2022 My Nation My Pride was celebrated jointly with Sociology and Physical Education department. Our alumnus JCO Aaksh Chikate, Indian Army spoke on his experiences and career opportunities in Indian Army.

8 Iconic Week of Department of Financial Services Government of India

Sr. No	Day and Date	Theme of the activity	Number of student participated
1	6 th June 2022, Monday 9am to 10am	Inauguration of the iconic week at the hands of Branch Manager Vidya Bank Laxmi road branch	54
		Slogan competition of banking literacy	06
		Street Play on banking literacy	12
2	6 th June to 10 th June 2022 Monday to Friday 10.30am to 3.30pm	Being Bank Mitra at Bank of Maharashtra, SenapatiBapat Branch Pune to make the various customers aware about the various aspects of financial literacy like PMJJBY, PMJSBY, PPF, Atal Pension Yojana, Maha App for general customers and Door step banking App especially for Elderly people, use of Debit card and credit card, UPI payment gateway and its safe use, linking of mobile to Aadhar etc. Importance of the regular repayment of loans to the bank and nation.	06
3	10 th June 2022 Friday 3pm to 6pm	Investment Awareness Session arranged by DIPAM (Government of India): Creating wealth through stock market.	9 Students and two academicians
4	11 th June 2022 Saturday 10am to 12.30pm	Banking Awareness at Sahajeevanoldage home located at Bhugaon Pune Students interacted on how to take care while handling the banking through mobile and door step banking facility in case of inability to go to the bank personally.	18 students and 2 academicians
5	12 th June 2022 Sunday	Being Bank Mitra at local areas	32 students interacted with

Anytime during the day	Last iconic day was Sunday therefore our students conducted the financial literacy campaign at the local areas where the students stays. The students interacted with the customers mainly from unorganized sectors like maidservants, security guards, watchman, sweepers, small retailers, senior citizen clubs, housewife etc.	57 customers of various banks
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On the occasion of AKAM: Azadika Amrit Mahotsav Government of India has declared iconic week of financial services from 6th June 2022 to 12th June 2022 Future Bankers Forum instantly designed the plan of the activities during this week. It was as below.

- **Six** Student volunteers have supported the Bank of Maharashtra branch and society in spreading the awareness about the PMJJBY, PMJSBY, Atal BimaYojana, use of various payment gateways etc.
- Through the street play the awareness was created about the fraud messages, phone calls for lottery and cashback, downloading the apps for banking convenience etc. The details of the student volunteers are as below.

Sr. No	Name of the bank Mitra Volunteer	Mobile Number	Number of customers to whom volunteers interacted during the week
1	Ms Arusha Karanjekar	7666257241	70
2	Mr. Chirag Bogawat	7248960530	20
3	Ms. Seema Chandora	7776921064	58
4	Mr. Sangram Kadam	7940108436	64
5	Mr. Sourabh Kulkarni	8180071339	30
6	Mr. Omkar Kudale	-	26

Prof Vijayalaxmi Kulkarni and Dr Pallavi Nikhare coordinated activities of Future Banking Forum.

Placement cell activities

Training programme

The off campus drives for training and placement by SKP and Edubridge solutions with the collaboration of Citi Bank was arranged for the Business correspondent and felicitator Job profile. It was for S.Y. and T.Y.B.Com. students under Banking and Finance Sector. The interview was

given by 54 students. The campus drives and activities were coordinated by Dr. Shraddha Awasare (Coordinator-placement cell-Dept. of commerce).

Placement drive

The placement drive named “JOB UTSAV” was conducted on 13th January 2022 by Mahindra Pride classroom under Nandi foundation. This drive is initiated by IQAC and co-ordinated by IQAC and placement cell. The drive started with inauguration at 10.00 am and concluded at 5.00 pm. Total 17 students have been placed in the placement drive.

Pre -placement activity

The Pre placement activity named “Skill Capsule” has been arranged for the students who have registered in above placement drive by Nandi Foundation under “JOB UTSAV”. The activity has been held on 13th January 2022 in three batches. The topics covered under the activity are Interview Techniques, CV Writing, Soft Skills, presentation Skills etc.

Companies approached for placement opportunities

Various companies from different fields have been approached for the placement opportunities such as ICICI Prudential life Insurance, TCS, SKP and Edubridge and it has been communicated to the students time to time.

Dr. Shraddha Awasare coordinated placement activities.

Induction program for F Y B Com students.

Induction program for FYBCOM students was organized between 21 to 24 September 2021. 502 students along with their parents attended the online event. Students were given information about rules and regulations of college, examination system and facilities of college. Dr. Manisha Bele coordinated the program.

Parents Meet

Parent Meet of FYBCom students was organized on 25.09.2021. Ninety seven parents attended the online meet. Parents were given information about working of college and college activities. Dr. Manisha Bele was coordinator of meet.

Industry Academia and Alumni Forum

‘Industry Academia and Alumni Forum’ is established in the year 2021. Through ‘Industry Academia and Alumni Forum’ our college has planned to understand and diagnose the real gap in the educational industry in terms of professional skills, research, knowledge, soft and life skills. It will help us to make the revision in curriculum, output based research projects, and community work for the capacity building of employable youth.

Industry Academia and Alumni (IAA) Forum Meet was organized on 9th October 2021. Mode of meeting was offline as well as online. 18 Industry Experts and Alumni Experts attended the meet in offline. 40 Industry Experts and Alumni Experts attended the meet in online mode. Head of all the departments and IAA Forum committee members were also present for the meet in person.

The meet was planned and successfully organized by the Executive Committee of IAA Forum under the guidance of the Advisory Committee on a well-defined agenda.

The major suggestions of this meet were College must find out the interest areas of students and market requirements at the initial stages. Specialized courses should be designed for capacity building of students. College is required to take more efforts to involve Alumni in designing the courses as per the requirement of the market.

Dr. Pallavi Nikhare coordinated this event.

Janeev

JANEEV is the college level activity coordinated by Commerce. This year Janeev organized drives for collection of Clothes, Groceries and daily needs. Donations are collected from students and teachers for the orphanage. Utensils for cooking were given to the Annapurna Ashram Alandi in association with Inner Wheel Club. This year Rs. 30000 are donated. Janeev platform enhances social awareness among students.

Seva Shayog Scholarship

Seva Sahayog Foundation helps deserving economically weak students. Since last few years students from our college is getting financial assistance from the foundation. In this academic year 30 students received total amount Rs. 3,59,098/- Number of Girl beneficiaries are more than boys. Two M Com girl students received special assistance in this year.

Students Achievements

- Khushi Sanjay Mehata T Y B Com student passed Company secretary Professional Level examination. (All India Rank 3)
- Anmol Rathore passed C A Examination (All India Rank 45)
- Pranav Shivshankar Vishshewekar S Y B Com student passed C A Intermediate Examination 9 (All India Rank 30).
- Fifteen students cleared C A Intermediate Examination
- Fourth five students passed C A Foundation Examination.

Teachers Achievements

Dr. Shubhangi Joshi

- Participated in FDP on Research Methodology conducted by Teaching Learning Centre ,Ramanujan College, Delhi from 22 December 2021 to 5 January 2022 .FDP successfully completed with A+ grade.

Prof. Vijayalaxmi Kulkarni

- Received G.B. Kulkarni Award for the ‘Best Teacher in Commerce’ by SPPU on 10th Feb 2022.
- Presented paper The study of initiatives of the government of India towards promotion of innovation and Entrepreneurship in higher educational institutes in national conference at Mahatma Basaweshwar Mahavidyala, Latur.
- Published paper The study of initiatives of the government of India towards promotion of innovation and Entrepreneurship in higher educational institutes in international Multidisciplinary quarterly research journal Ajanta Volume X Issue V Oct-Dec 2021 ISSN 2277-5730

Dr. Manisha Bele

- Completed Ph.D.in Management from Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth ,Pune in July 2021 ,title of the thesis was –‘ Study and analysis of the effect of cultural intelligence on quality and performance of employees with reference to selected companies in and around Pune city.
- Completed the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Audit of the College for the year 2020-21 and submitted opinion in the audit report in 2021-22 to the college for further action.
- Participated in FDP on Research Methodology conducted by Teaching Learning centre ,Ramanujan College,Delhi from 22 December 2021 to 5 January 2022 .FDP successfully completed with A+ grade.
- Participated in pre event and main event of Turnip innovation festival on 22 January 2022.

Prof. Parag Shah

- sOrganised a Collaborative National Webinar on New Guidelines of AQAR in association with IQAC Cluster (20th to 23rd December, 2021)
- Resource Person for a One Day National Webinar on Role of Non-Teaching Staff in Effective Administrative Practices organized by of M. S. P. Mandal’s Arts, Commerce and Science College, Kille Dharur, Dist. Beed and P. E. S. Modern College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Ganeshkhind, Pune. (5th Dec. 2021)
- Resource Person for National Webinar organised by Sao Chang College, Nagaland (4th April, 2022)

- Guidance session for NACC Presentation at Arihant Institute of Business Management. (10th April 2022)
- Resource Person for National Webinar organised by Immanuel College, Nagaland (8th June 2022)
- Resource Person for National Webinar organised by Khalsa College for Women, Punjab (14th June 2022)

Dr. Manjusha Kulkarni

- Invited as resource person for Financial Literacy program organized by MAVIM, NURL & Government Organisation on You Tube.
- Coordinated Workshop in association with YIN Sakal Media network on 'Power and Positivity'

Dr. Shubhangi Joshi

Vice Principal and Head Faculty of Commerce

