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HoD's Message

As we continue to navigate through the Academic year, I want to take a moment to express my gratitude for your commitment and hard work. The energy and enthusiasm each of you brings to our community is what makes our department such a special place. I am delighted to share that our department has successfully organized a series of enriching events that have provided valuable opportunities for learning, growth, and collaboration. These initiatives were designed to enhance knowledge, develop skills, and promote engagement at both the national and international levels.

- We have successfully organized National Level Quiz, workshop, National webinar, Online Presentation, International webinar, Skill development programme providing platforms for intellectual exchange and professional growth.
- Our staff have actively participated in numerous seminars and workshops, enhancing their knowledge and teaching practices.
- Our faculty members have presented and published papers at prestigious conferences and in reputed journals, contributing significantly to academic discourses.
- **Seminars and Conferences:** We successfully organized several seminars and conferences that provided valuable platforms for intellectual exchange professional growth.
- **Research Excellence:** Our faculty members have presented and published research at prestigious conferences and in reputed journals, contributing significantly to academic discourses in economics



- **Outstanding Student Performance:** We are proud to announce a **100% pass rate** in the final exams, reflecting the hard work and dedication of our students, as well as the guidance provided by our faculty.
- **Sports Achievements:** In addition to academic excellence, our students have shown exceptional performance in sports, further enhancing their skills and fostering a holistic educational environment.

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude for your enthusiasm, dedication, and hard work. This department is a vibrant hub of learning, growth, and opportunity.

Thank you for being an integral part of this journey.

With best regards,
Dr. A. Sudha
PG Co-ordinator & Assistant Professor of Economics

Department Activities

Seven Days National Level E Quiz Series from 26-July-2021 to 01-Aug.-2021

• As 'Economics is everywhere, Economics is everything and Economics is for everyone' a National level E Quiz. Series was organized by the Department of Economics with the title 'KNOW YOUR ECONOMICS' for seven days on seven topics from 26th July 2021 to 1st August 2021. Ms. X. Esther Vimala, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Economics was the programme Convener of this seven days Quiz Series. The registration is free and open to all those who are interested in economics. There were 25 questions and each question carries 1 mark for the correct answer. To attend the Quiz separate Google links were given for each day and each topic and were circulated through Whatsapp, email and Facebook. The links were made available from 9.00 a.m. to 9.00 p.m. each day. All the participants those who scored more than 40% received their E- certificates through Certifye'm process for each day separately. Totally 3316 participants participated in the Seven Days National Level E Quiz Series.

Here's a table format to visualize the data:

Day	Quiz Incharge	Topic	Total Participation
Day I	Dr. D. Amutha	Indian Economy	482
Day II	Dr. R. Rathi	Tourism and Economic Development	481
Day III	Dr. Muthu Maha Laxmi	Women & Economic Development	609
Day IV	Ms. Alfreeda T A	Tamil Nadu Economy	454
Day V	Dr. A. Sudha	Labour Economics	474
Day VI	Dr. P. Anuradha	Agricultural Economics	398
Day VII	Dr. N. Sahar Ban	Social Economics	456

- Online Presentation on "Creative Business Ideas for Creative Entrepreneurs" on 20.02.2022. Ms. A.. Amora, Assistant Professor of Commerce, St. Mary's College, Thoothukudi acted as the Judge for this online presentation. Though there are 14 registered participants due to some technical difficulties only 4 participants were able to present their presentations. Cash prize awarded to the best presenters.
- International Webinar Seven Sessions on Seven Essential Life Skills for Employment on 25th 26th 28th & 29th April 2022. Department of Economics UG & PG and the Counselling Forum jointly organised an International Webinar on Seven Sessions on Seven Essential Life Skills for Students on 25th, 26th, 28th & 29th April 2022. The following were the resource persons.

Dr. Prof. Raghunath Parakkal, Psychologist, Kerala. Session I is about the ' Interpersonal Skills' and he interacted with the students and explained the importance of the interpersonal relationship. On 26th April 2022 the Session II was handled by Ms. J. Vijaya Priya, Life Coach from Chennai on the topic 'Leadership' and Session III was handled by Mrs. Sheela Suresh, HR Professional, Singapore on the topic 'Time Management'. On 28th April Session IV was handled by Ms. Shyamala Jeyaram Sarma, Life & Wellness Coach/ Healer, Chennai on the topic 'Emotional Intelligence' and Session V by Ms. R. Rohini, Counsellor of St. Mary's College, Thoothukudi on the topic 'Stress Management'. On 29th April Session VI was handled by Mr. Shiva Kumar, Cognitive therapist, Middle East / Asia Pacific/ Africa on 'Crisis Management' and the final Session VII was handled by Dr. Sugandha Ramamoorthy, Associate Professor of Economics, Lady Doak College, Madurai on the topic 'Entrepreneurial Skill'. On an average 84 students and 10 faculty members were the beneficiaries of all these sessions.

- Seven Dav Skill Development Programme 'Hands on Training in Handicrafts' 2nd May - 8th May 2022. As the final programme of this academic year as well as the platinum Jubilee year Department of Economics organised a Seven Day Skill Development Programme 'Hands on Training in Handicrafts' in association with NFED Business Facilitators Forum, National Foundation for Entrepreneurship Development (NFED) Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India from 2nd May to 8th May 2022. Ms. Jeyalakshmi, Proprietrix, Jalak Studio, Chennai & Executive Board Member, NFED Business Facilitators Forum, NFED, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu was the trainer for this seven day programme.. On 2nd May the first day she taught the general tips on Fabric & Glass Painting. The second days was on Jewellery Making (Stones and Woollen Thread), third day Art from Waste (Plastic and Glass Bottle), Fourth Day Upcycled Art - Paper Flowers, Fifth Day Beadworks - Bead Ornaments, sixth day on Drawing & Painting Techniques and on seventh day Styling & Dressing Etiquettes. The training sessions were very much useful with minute tips to learn the handworks quickly and efficiently. Out of 193 registered participants 86 to 95 were benefited by their regular attendance for all the seven days.E Certificates were distributed to all the participants and Merit Certificates were given by NFED .

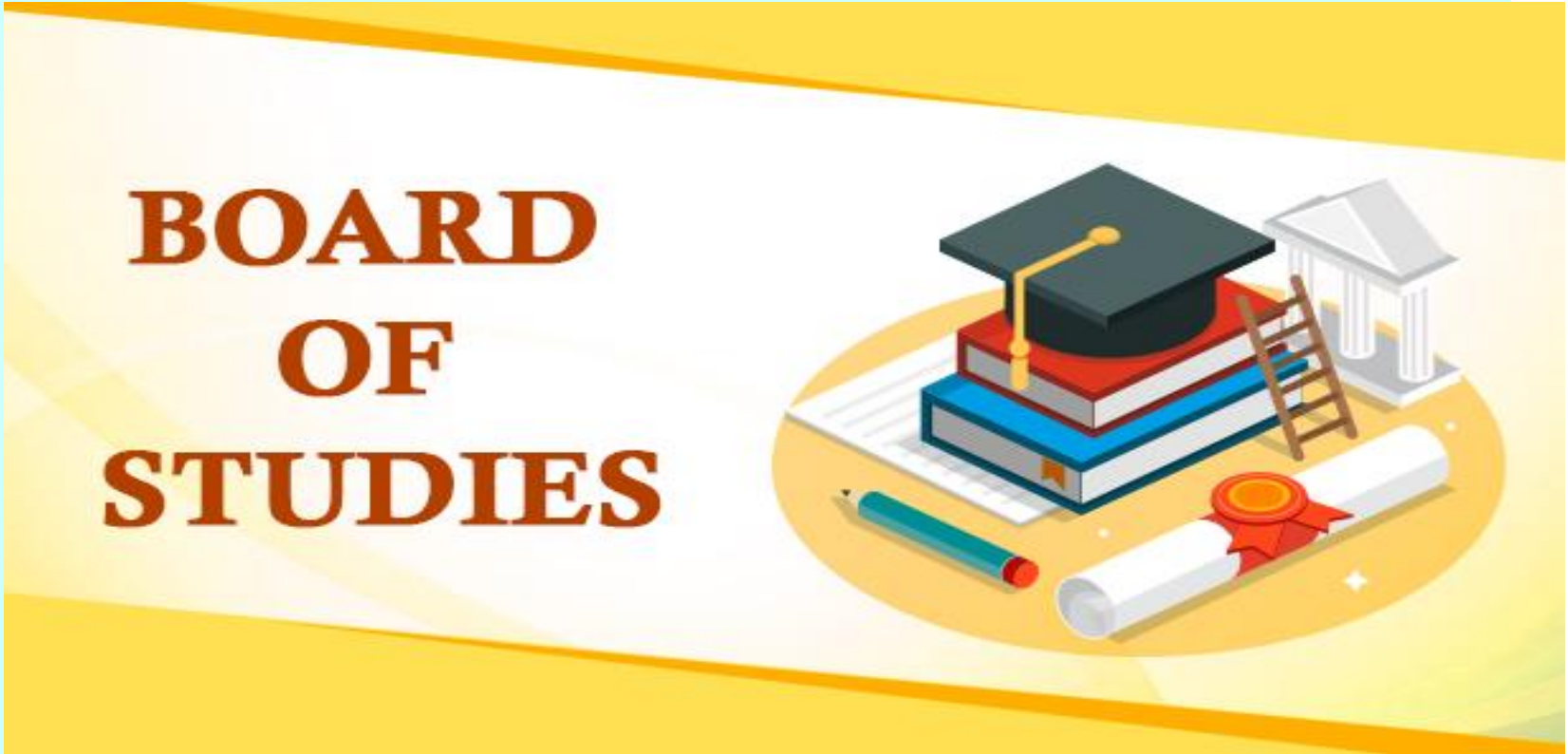
Mentor Mentee System

The system is a move towards Student Support and Progression. It purports to achieve holistic development of every student in the department. A teacher has a group of 3 – 5 students whose academic and other aspects of their progress are her concern. The teacher takes care to concentrate more on issues related to their psychological needs during periodical Tutor- Ward Meet each Friday from 2. 30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. A record of academic results and bio-data of each of the students is maintained. The mentees met their mentor one time in the odd semester and ten times in the even semester.

Semester	Date
ODD	16.09.2021
EVEN	06.01.2022
	27.01.2022
	11.02.2022
	18.02.2022
	25.02.2022
	11.03.2022
	25.03.2022
	01.04.2022
	22.04.2022
	29.04.2022

Board of Studies

The Board of Studies Meeting of the Department of Economics UG & PG was conducted on 26.02.2022 in the department of Economics. The subject experts of the board were Dr. J. Socrates , Associate Professor of Economics, M . S. University, Abishekapatti, Tirunelveli. Dr. R. Sindhu Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Rani Anna Govt. College for women, Tirunelveli. Dr. R. Vaheedha Banu , Assistant Professor of Economics, Muqyyath Sha Sirguro Wakf Board College, K. K. Nagar, Madurai. Mr. X. Raja, Senior General Manager, Kerry Index Logistics Private Limited, Thoothukudi. The Syllabus was designed in the pattern of Outcome Based Education with Choice Based Credit System. The board acknowledged and approved the set pattern.



PTA and Alumnae

The Parents Teachers Association conducted meetings regularly for all the parents and students of the department. The meetings were held respectively II M.A. on 26.03.2022 and for I M.A. on 07.05.2022.The Marian Alumnae Meet was organised on 23. 04. 2023. The Principal and the President of OSA Rev.Sr.Dr.A.S.J.Lucia Rose presided over the meeting. Mrs.Thenmathi Dhanushkodi Administrator Thenmani Hospital Thoothukudi was invited as the Chief Guest.



Research Activities

Name	Publication- Journal	Publication - Book	Conference	Seminar	Workshop	FDP	Refresher Course	Orientation / Induction	Training Prog	Short term
Dr.A.Sudha	2	1	2	9	6	7	-	-	-	-
Ms.P.Anuradha	2	1	3	10	4	6	-	-	-	-
Dr. N. Sahar Ban	1	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dr. G. Sumathi	1	1	2	7	1	4	-	-	-	-

Resource Person

Name	Programme	Role	Date
Dr. A. Sudha	M.S. University Constituent Model College,Nagalapuram, Vilathikulam Thoothukudi	Resource Person	30.10.2021



- IIC conducted one programme during this year. An online webinar was conducted on the topic Online Presentation on "Creative Business Ideas for Creative Entrepreneurs" on 20.02.2022. Ms. A.. Amora, Assistant Professor of Commerce, St. Mary's College, Thoothukudi acted as the Judge for this online presentation. Though there are 14 registered participants due to some technical difficulties only 4 participants were able to present their presentations. Cash prize awarded to the best presenters.



Study Tour (Field Visit)

On 11 December 2021, 9 students with 3 Staff went for a field trip to Pottalkaadu. The aim of the visit is to know the agricultural farming method and living conditions of the rural people.

Trip objective

The objectives of the trip were to get to know the details of the cultivation process and also to learn about the standard of living conditions of the rural area.

Field Observation

We guided our students during the visit; we interviewed the host about how agricultural products could be marketed overseas. The question and answer session between students and the rural people was more than two hours. We also managed to collect as many good brochures and posters relating to this. Due to time constraints as there were many things to watch and to ask, we tried to get contact numbers of the rural people to arrange future trips.



Students Activities

M. Magisha attended the National webinar on the topic “Precaution to third way-corona” Organized by PG & Research Department of Commerce, Holy cross Home Science College on 23.07.2021

M. Magisha attended the National webinar on the topic “ Reproductive Health of Rural Women” Organized by PG & Research Department of English & Centre for Rural Development, Nehru Arts & Science College, on 12.07.2021

M. Magisha attended the National webinar on the topic “SDC# 2:0 Hunger” Organized by Centre for Sustainable Development, Geetha Jeevan Arts & Science College, on 08.06.2021

M. Magisha attended the National webinar on the topic “ Biological Warfare ” Organized by South Asia Association of Accreditation & Anti War Association, on 05.06.2021

P. Uma Maheswari attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022.

G. Abina attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022.

S. Abinaya Sumathi attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022.

A. Sherlin attended the Skill Programme on the topic “Seven Essential Life Skills for Students” Organized Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & Counseling Forum, on 25,26,28 & 29.04.2022.

L. Siva Sundari attended the Skill Programme on the topic “Seven Essential life Skills for Students” Organized Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & Counseling Forum, on 25,26,28 & 29.04.2022.

S. Uma Maheswari attended the Skill Programme on the topic “Seven Essential Life Skills for Students” Organized Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & Counseling Forum, on 25,26,28 & 29.04.2022.

M. Magisha attended the Two days National webinar on the topic “ Research Structure in Statistical Insights and Publications Strategy” Organized by Department of Economics St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED Coimbatore, on 20-21.03.2021

M. Nisha Preethi attended the International Conference on Contemporary Researches in Engineering, Science, Management & Arts (ICCRE SMA2022) NFED Coimbatore, on 27 to 29.01.2022

M. Magisha attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022

M. Magisha attended the Two days National webinar on the topic “ Online Reference Management Tools for Manuscripts and Thesis” Organized by Marian Research Forum Library Committee St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi, on 07.05.2022

A. Ruby Evanjalin attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022

P. Antony Thanga Sathana attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022

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M. Nisha Preethi attended the webinar on the topic “Financial Empowerment Through Wealth Creation” Organized by Institute of Management Collaboration with Association of Mutual Funds in India, on 23.07.2021

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L. Siva Sundari attended the Seven days Skill Training Programme on the topic “Hands on Training in HandiCraft” Organized by PG Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & NFED & NBFF Coimbatore, on 02 to 08.05.2022.

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M. Nisha Preethi attended the webinar on the topic “Prospects of Social Media tools on Knowledge sharing” Organized by IIC & Department of Library , St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi , on 15.02.2022

P.Antony Thanga Sathana attended the Skill Programme on the topic “Seven Essential life Skills for Students” Organized Department of Economics, St.Mary’s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi & Counseling Forum, on 25,26,28&29.04.2022.

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MOOC and NPTEL

The Students of II M. A Economics attended MOOC Course titled, CALCULUS FOR ECONOMICS, COMMERCE AND MANAGEMENT with the subject code NOC21-MA53 in the duration of 8 weeks.

S.No	Reg.No	Student Name	Grade
1	20SPEC05	A.Ruby Evanjalin	Completed



PG Projects

A total of 5 students submitted their projects. The details are as follows:

S.No	Reg.No	Name of the Students	Title of the Project		
1	20SPEC01	P. Antony Thanga Sadhana	Socio – Cultural Factors Influencing Women Participation in Sports Activities at Taruvai Stadium in Thoothukudi District		
2	20SPEC03	M.Magisha	A Study on Environmental Impact of Solid Waste in Koottudankadu of Thoothukudi District		
3	20SPEC04	M.Nisha Preethi	An Economic Analysis in Buying Pattern of Consumers through Online Shopping in Indra Nagar at Thoothukudi District		
4	20SPEC05	A.Ruby Evanjalin	A Study on Impact of Social Media a Consumer Buying Behaviour at Poopalrayar Puram area in Thoothukudi District		
5	20SPEC06	P.Uma Maheswari	A Study on impact of Online Classes for the School Children in Mahilchi Puram at Thoothukudi District		
II PG PASS PERCENTAGE			II M. A. Economics	100%	

