

Internal Quality Assurance Cell Newsletter 2013-2014

FATIMA COLLEGE (Autonomous)

(College with Potential for Excellence Re-Accredited With 'A' Grade by NAAC) Mary Land, Madurai - 18



IQAC CHAIR PERSON'S MESSAGE



Principal Dr. Sr. A. Jospin Nirmala Mary

My sense of contentment and joy know no bounds as I ink my views in this IQAC Newsletter. The newsletter is a concretised attempt at disseminating information to all those who evince interest in Fatima's growth.

The NAAC peer team's visit in May 2013 and its re-accreditation of the college with an 'A' Grade vouch for the institution's catalytic augmentation. It is IQAC, the backbone of the college, that invariably and vigilantly strives towards redefining, sustaining and enhancing the criteria of quality assessment of the academic and non – academic affairs on campus. It also calibrates the excellence of institutional governance.

Hand in hand with you all, we combatted all challenges, treasured accompolishments and steadily marched towards preeminence all through the last academic year and hope to do the same in the forthcoming year too.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Re-Accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC
- B-School established
- Two UGC sponsored Career-oriented courses introduced
- Short Internship and On the job training for students
- The Principal bagged Dr. Sam Higgin Bottom Award for the best Principal.
- 8 teachers awarded Ph.D degree
- 21 staff recognised as Research Guides
- ↑ Major Research Project and 5 Minor Research
 Projects pursued.
- ♦ 5 Books published by staff and 1 book by a student
- International / National / State / Reginal level Seminars, workshops and Endowment lectures organised.

ACADEMIC REFORMS

- Academic Audit is a regular feature in the College
- Question Bank, with questions testing the Knowledge, understanding and Higher Ability, has been completed for the even semester to enhance the critical thinking ability of students
- Online courses are introduced for fast learners
- Inter departmental projects are introduced
- Online Feedback of the staff from students is encouraged
- 8 Villages are adopted for Social Learning
- The students undergo short and summer internships and on the Job Training
- Wi-Fi connectivity is enabled for internet access



GRADUATION DAY

Fatima College organised its Thirty Eighth Graduation Day in January 2014.

797	Under Graduates		
287	Post Graduates and		
34	MPhil Graduates obtained their degrees.		
13	Diplomas and		
847	Certificates were distributed		



61st College Day



ACADEMIC PROGRESS

Two Career-Oriented Courses are sponsored by UGC namely

- ♦ Yoga Nutrition & Acupuncture
- English For Presentation Skills

Two Online Courses are launched

- Leadership for Women Professionals
- Animations using Flash

Rosa Mystica Library

The College, from its very inception, thought of a library, as it is the centre of learning. The library is being constantly

- augmented by the acquisition of latest books, periodicals and e-resources.
- During the academic year 2013-2014 the number of volumes in the library increased from 117114 to 121812. 255 print journals and 133 e-journals including peer reviewed journals are subscribed.Apart from these 24 International journals are also subscribed. The library is one of the institutional members of American Resource information centre and DELNET.
- To empower students through reading, 'LIBFEST',regular feature of the library, is organised annually.



FACULTY AWARDS

Dr. Sr. A. Jospin Nirmala Mary, Principal & Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Commerce received a citation and a cash award of ₹ 20,000/-, as Dr. SAM Higgin Bottom Award 2011 - 2012 for the Best Principal sponsored by AIACHE, New Delhi.



The Consumer Club of the college got Cash award of ₹ 2000 as I prize at the district level for the exemplary activities of the Club during the academic year 2012-2013.





Certificate of Appreciation was awarded to Fatima College by Indian Association for the Blind for the year 2013-2014.



Associate Professor Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology received the certification award for the Research paper titled standardisation and supplementation of functional foods incorporate chikkis to HIV positive adults of Madurai city at the 'Nutra India Summit' sponsored by CSIR at Mysore on 14th March 2014.



■ Ms. C. Helen & Ms. P. Magdalene Virgini,
Department of Home Science with Food
Bio-Technology secured First Prize in
Paper Presentation in the National
Seminar on "Rising Prevalence of Cancer.



ACHIEVEMENTS

- → Dr. N. Malathi served as an external expert to preview E-material, entitled "E-content development Introduction to Biochemistry", organized by EMMRC-MKU on 10th May, 2013
- Sugumari, → Ms. Department Chemistry, Ms. Sheela Roseline. Department Mathematics of and Ms. K. Gunnalakshmi, Department of MCom with Computer Applications are selected to give a radio talk "Archimedes", "Leonhard Euler" "World Television Day" respectively organized by Tamil Nadu Science Forum, DST, New Delhi and AIR, Madurai.
- → Dr. Shobana Nelasco, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Economics is selected as one of the finalists for The Best Techno Faculty for the year 2014 by ICT Academy of Tamil Nadu.

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Ph.D. Awarded

8 of our faculty are awarded the PhD Degree:

- 1. **Dr. S. Vidya,** Department of Computer Science.
- 2. **Dr. S. J. Kala,** The Research Centre of English.
- 3. **Dr. C. Lucia Vanitha,** The Research Centre of Commerce.
- 4. **Dr. S. Arul Michael Selvi,** The Research Centre of Tamil.
- 5. **Dr. S. Saira Banu,** The Research Centre of English
- 6. **Dr. P. Varaprasadam Christi Shanti,** The Research Centre of English
- 7. **Dr. S. Sukumari,** Department of Chemistry
- 8. **Dr. B. Medona**, Department of Chemistry



RESEARCH GUIDANCE

- **21** of our faculty members have been recognized as Research Guides.
- → 18 Madurai Kamaraj University
- → 2 Mother Theresa Women's University
- → 1- Manonmaniam Sundaranar University

CONSULTANCY

- → Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani is a Nutrition Advisor & Consultant for Antenna Nutritech Research Foundation, Kadasananthal, Madurai since 2009.
- → Dr. Mary Magdelene was a Member Coordinator of the Mock Peer Team Visit Arul Anandar College and she is a Teacher - Trainer for Ratna Sagar Publishers, New Delhi.
- → Dr. S. Geetha offers consultancy to Bounce, ITM, AIRC and DHAN Foundation.
- → **Dr. Saira Banu** is a visiting Faculty, Institute of Management Studies, Madurai
- → Dr. S. J. Kala handles NET, SET Coaching Classes in Lady Doak College, Madurai.

MEMBERSHIP IN ACADEMIC BODIES

Dr. Sr. A. Jospin Nirmala Mary

- University representative in the Managing Committee, Sourashtra College for women, Madurai.
- University nominee for Board of Studies in American College, Madurai.
- University nominee for Awards Committee in S.F.R. College, Sivakasi.
- University nominee for Awards Committee in Meenakshi College, Madurai.
- Standing Committee Member for the Welfare of SC/ST in Madurai Kamaraj University.
- **Dr. S. Renuga** is an External expert for the Academic Audit in PSGR Krishnammal College, Coimbatore.
- **Dr. N. Malathi** and **Ms. Sofia Adaikala Mary** are an External experts to pre-review e-material in EMMRC-Madurai Kamaraj University.

- **Dr. P. Uma** is a Consultant for Formation of Quality Circle in St. Mary's Girls Higher Secondary School ,Devakottai.
- **Dr. Giji Vijayakumar** is a University nominee for Board of Studies in Lady Doak College, Madurai.
- **Dr. B. Sahaya Rani Fernando** is a University nominee for Board of Studies in Lady Doak College and University nominee for Board of Studies in EMG Yadava Women's College, Madurai.
- **Dr. G. Dheva Shantha Kumari** is a member of Doctoral Committee, PSG –Tech., Coimbatore and International Association of All Medical Physicists.

Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani

- Appointed as Chairperson of Question paper Scrutiny Board for Nutrition & Clinical Nutrition by PSG College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore.
- Elected as the Regional Director of the Indian Association for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition (IAPEN).
- Serving as Chairperson of BOS of M.S University, Tirunelveli for Nutrition, Dietetics & Catering sciences.
- University Nominee for Food Science & Nutrition for
 - TBAK College for Women, Kilakarai
 - VVV College for Women, Virudhunagar
 - SRNM College, Sattur
 - Sarah Tucker College, Tirunelveli.

Dr. R. Latha

- University nominee—Yadava Women's College, Madurai.
- Member, Editorial Board, "Multidisciplinary Research Journal of VVV College", published by VVV College, Virudhunagar.

Ms. P. Magdalene Virjini

Chairman, Board of Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University.

Dr. N. Anuradha

- ♦ University Nominee of
 - Sri Kaliswari College, Sivakasi.
 - Yadava College, Madurai
 - Sri Meenakshi Govt. College For Women , Madurai



Member Of Inspection Commission
 Govt Arts College In Sivaganga &
 Melur

Dr. S. Geetha

- Subject Expert for Language & Soft Skills in Bounce and ITM.
- Dhan- Translation Member and Jury Of International Documentary Festival
- Public Connect In AIRC (American Information Resource Centre)

Dr. M. Kamala

University Nominee in Lady Doak College, Madurai.

Dr. R. Dayana Christy

University Nominee for Board of studies in St. Marys College Thoothukudi.

Dr. Mary Magdalene

- Ph.D External Examiner in Shastra
 University, Kerala University,
 Bharathidasan University & Periyar
 University
- Dr. S. Maria Packiam, Dr. Zubaida Hussaini, Ms. J.Saral Evangelin are members of South Indian History Congress and Tamilnadu History Congress.

Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary

Life member, Indian Sociological Institute, Delhi and Regional Association for Women Studies, Trichy

UGC MAJOR-MINOR PROJECTS

- There are **Two** completed Major Research Projects and **One** ongoing
- ☐ There are **Five** ongoing Minor Research Projects

	Completed Major Projects						
S. No.	Name	Co-Investigators	Title of the Project	Amount (₹)			
1.	Dr. S. Geetha The Research Centre of English	1. Dr. N. Anuradha, 2. Dr. V. Valliammal, (The Research Centre of Tamil)	Promoting Tamil Studies to the Tamil Diaspora: Creation of a Website for Unheard Classics in Tamil Literature.	5,71,200			
2	Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani, Home Science with Food Biotechnology	 Ms. R. Gandhimathy Dr. Naveen Jeya Singh Mr. Velumani (Advisor) 	Standardization and Supplementation of Functional Foods Incorporated Chikkis for Healthy HIV Positive Adults of Madurai District.	10,21,800			
	On Going Major Projects						
S. No.	Name	Co-Investigators	Title of the Project	Amount (₹)			
1	Dr. M. Rosary Royar, The Research Centre of English	1. Dr. R. Saktheswari 2. Ms. S. Aarthi	Ecological Concerns in the Select Novels of Contemporary (2000-2010) Indian Writers.	8,79,600			
	On Going Minor Projects						
S. No.	Name	Title of	the Project	Amount (₹)			
1.	Dr. G. Dheva Shantha Kumari, Dept. of Physics		s and Hetro Geneous Human s of Thorax Head and Neck for Treatment	2,00,000			



2.	Dr. T. Jeyanthi Vijayarani, The Research Centre of Commerce	Consumer Awareness and Preference for ECO Friendly Apparels in Madurai City	95,000
3.	Dr. S. Fatima Rosaline Mary, The Research Centre of Commerce	Central Co-ordinated Vegetable Market in Paravai, Madurai Dist	75,000
4.	Dr. M. Regina Mary, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Economics	A Study on Sarva Shiksha Abiyan and Inclusive Education in Madurai (Dt.)	1,00,000
5.	Dr. S. Ivy Jeno, Assistant Professor, The Research Centre of Economics	A Study on the Efficacy of Rural Non-Farm Enterprises in Women Development	1,00,000

BOOKS PUBLISHED

Dr. P. Anita, Assistant Professor, The Research Centre of Economics authored a book titled *Bank Credit and Economic Empowerment of Women* published by Kunal Books, New Delhi.

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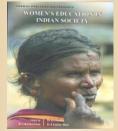
Dr. S. Fatima Rosaline Mary, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Commerce authored a book titled *Job Satisfaction of Teachers-Women* published by Scholars Press, Germany.



Dr. P.Uma, Associate Professor, Department of Management Studies authored a book titled Total Quality Management in Small and Medium Manufacturing Enterprises published by Global Research Publications, New Delhi.



Dr.K.Fatima Mary and et.al edited a book titled *Women's Education in Indian Society* published by Vergal Publication.



The Research Centre of Tamil published two text books named Thamil Chaaral and Sanga Ilakiya Nadagangalum Samakala Nadagangalum for Part I Language





"Ms.K.Ishwarya, III H.Science with Food Bio Technology authored a book titled *Dance Dream* published by World Books Literature And Publishers Pvt. Ltd.





SEMINARS/WORSHOPS IN THE CAMPUS INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS

The Departments of MBA & M.Sc. (IT & M) organised an International Summit on "Business Innovations" from 12.08.2013 to 17.08.2013



Departments of Home Science with Food Biotechnology & Zoology organised an International symposium on "Emerging Issues on Health – A comprehensive Therapeutic Approach" on 16.12.13.



The Departments of History and Sociology with CA organised an International Symposium on "Cultural Trend of the 21st Century in the US, on 18.01.2014 at 10.a.m.



Fatima College organised an International Symposium on "Igniting Global Change through Eco-Friendly Approach" on 13.02.2014. All the second year students attended the same.



In collaboration with Raj College of Education, The Madura College, Vergal(Roots) the Education Trust and the Department of Sociology organised an International Conference on 'Education in India: Changes and Challenges' on 13.04.2013.



The Post Graduate Department of Physics organized a one-day International Symposium on "Nanostructures for Photovoltaic Applications" on 19.02.2014



NATIONAL SEMINARS

The PG Departments of Computer Applications and IT organised a National Conference on "Computing and Convergence Technologies (NCCT -2013)" on 20th Sep., 2013.



The Department of Chemistry organised a National Seminar on "Recent Trends in Chemistry" on 18.10.2013. Prof. P. Thomas Muthaiah, Bharathidasan University and Dr. G. Vasuki, Pondicherry University were the Resource persons.





In collaboration with the Madura College, Madurai, Vergal (ROOTS) and NEED TRUST, the Department of sociology organized a National Conference on "Women's Education in Indian Society: Need for New Perspective" on 26.10.2013.



The Research Centre of Tamil Organised A Three-Day National Seminar On "Sanga Tamizhil Muthamizh" sponsored by Central Institute of Classical Tamil, Chennai from 29.01.14 to 31.01.14.



The Department of Sociology with Computer Applications organised a National Conference on "Recent Trends in Feminism: A Tool for Social Reform" on 01.03.2014



The Department of Social Work and Human Right Cell organised a National Symposium on "A Glimpse on Multidimensional aspects of Women's Rights". Ms. Kalki, Transgender Rights Activist, Actor and Founder of Sahodari Foundation, Pondicherry was the Guest of Honour on 14.03.2014.



WORKSHOPS

The departments of Management Studies and M.Sc. IT & M organized a One-day Workshop on "Corporate Research" on Oct 25, 2013. Dr. A. Selavaraj, Chairman, TFSC was the Resource person.



The Department of Computer Applications organised a Workshop on "Project Management and Corporate Readiness" on 25th and 26th October 2013. Prof. Mr. Venkateshan, from Symbiosis was the Resourse person.



A one-day Faculty Development Programme on "Android Applications" was organised by the Department of Computer Science on 23.11.2013. The Resource persons were from Blue Genie Technologies, Madurai.





The Department of Management Studies organised Workshop **Power** а on Management' on 09.01.2014. Dr. Are Holen, Norwegian University of Science Technology, Norway was the Resource Person.



A Workshop on "Corporate Social Responsibility" was conducted by Mr. Prasanth, Director of Youth Lead India, Madurai on 24.01.2014



The Research Centre of English organised a National Workshop on "Comprehending Theatre". Mr. G.Joshua, Assistant Professor and M.Phil Coordinator, Christ University, Bangalore, was the Resource Person on 27.02.2014.



A Workshop on "Creative Theatre" was organised by the Department of Social Work, on 28.02.2014.



A one-day Workshop on "Enhancing Employability Skills" was organised by the Department of BBA on 12.03.2014. Dr. K. Alex, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce, St. Joseph's College, Trichy was the resource person.



A Workshop on "Dimensions of Personality Development" was organised by the Department of Commerce with Computer Applications on 13.03.2014.



REGIONAL/STATE LEVEL SEMINARS

The Dept. of Physics organised a one-day State Level Seminar - PHYSKRIT 2K13 on "Trends in Communication Engineering" on July 25, 2013. Dr. S. Rajaram, TCE, Madurai & Mrs.R.Revathy, BSNL, Madurai. were the Resource Persons.





The Research Centre of Tamil celebrated Muthamizh Vizha, Dr. M. Ramchandran gave a talk on "Vallamai Tharayo" in the Uraiarangam and a special lecture was delivered by Dr. M. A. Susila, former Associate Professor of Tamil on "சென்றிடுவீர் எட்டுத்திக்கும்"



The Research Centre of Economics organised Jubilee Celebration-Cum-Seminar on "Globonomics – A Panormic View of Economics". Dr. S. Iyyam Pillai, Professor, Department of Economics, Bharathidasan University, Trichy delivered the inagural address on 9th October 2013.



The Department of MSW,organised a seminar on "Honor Related Crimes" on 18.12.2013. Mr. Kathir, Executive Director, Evidence, Madurai was the Resource person.



Initiatives: Women in development (IWID) Chennai and Department of Sociology with CA organised a Training Programme for College students, Rural Women and school teachers on Capacity building and Training for Women State Assembly – II from 9 to 10 Jan, 2014.



■ The Department of Mathematics organised a State Level Seminar on "Applications of Mathematics". Dr.S.Ruban Raj, St. Joseph's College, Tiruchi & Dr. A. Lourdu Samy, St. Xaviers College, Palayamkottai were the Resource Persons.



An Intercollegiate Tech - Meet 2014 was conducted by the Department of Computer Science on 27.02.14. A Silver Jubilee Seminar on "Networks - The Current Perspective" was on 28.02.2014.



Mr. D. E. Benet, National College, Trichy, inaugurated 'Oracle 2014' on Creative Writing organised by The English Literary Association of The Research Centre of English, on 26.02.2014. The over-all Champions of 'Oracle 2014' were the students of Lady Doak College, Madurai.





■ The Department of Mathematics (SF) organised a one-day seminar on "Art of Learning Mathematics" on 18.03.2014.



ENDOWMENT LECTURES

The Research Centre of Tamil organised Dr. M. A. Susila and Dr. J. Fatima Endowment Lecture on 17.01.2014.

Mr. J. Shajahan will deliver the lecture on "Society in Tamil Short Stories".



The Department of Mathematics organised Rev. Sr. Marie Teresa Endowment Lecture on 23.01.2014. Dr. D. Ravi, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Mathematics, PMT College, Usilampatti, delivered a lecture on "Grill Topological Spaces".



The Department of Physics organised **PG Silver Jubilee Endowment Lecture** on
August 12, 2013. Speaker: Dr. Kolandaivel,
Director, Dept. of Physics, Bharathiar
University, Coimbatore was the resource
person.



வீரமாமுனிவர், இதழியல் அறக்கட்டளைக் கருத்தரங்கம் தமிழ் உயராய்வு மையம் நடத்தும் கல்லூரித் தமிழ்த்துறையின் சார்பில் அருட்திரு ஞானப்பிரகாசம் அடிகளாரின் வீரமாமுனிவர், இதழியல் அறக்கட்டளைக் கருத்தரங்கங்கள் பிப்ரவரித் திங்கள் இருபதாம் நாள் நடைபெற்றது.



- The **Department of English Endowment Lecture** was organized on "Ecocriticism".

 Dr. R. Geetha, Professor, Mother Teresa
 Women's University, Kodaikanal was the
 Resource person.
- The Department of Chemistry organised

 N.Shakuntala Endowment Lecture on

 27.01.2014. Dr. C. S. Gopinath, CSIRNational Chemical Laboratoty delivered the
 lecture on "Photoelectron Spectroscopy
 (ESCA) and its Applications to Variety of
 Materials"





HIGHLIGHTS OF STUDENTS UNION

Springs 2K13

An Intercollegiate Cultural fest **Springs 2k13** was organised by Fatima College, Madurai on Aug 24. Vice Principal Dr. S. Lilly Kutty presided over the inaguaration. Play back Singer 'Malgudi' Subha was the guest of honour for the valedictory.



FINE ARTS DAY

The inter-departmental competitions help the students to realise not only their competitive spirit but also their relational spirit. In compliance with the declaration of 2013 to be the International Year of Water Cooperation by the United Nations, the theme for Fine Arts 2013 was "Be Water Smart".



CELEBRATION OF SPECIAL DAYS

COLLEGE BIRTH DAY

60th College Birthday was solemnized by Rev. Dr. Stephen Muthu S.J., Programme Coordinator, IDEAS, Madurai.



NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

The Department of Physics celebrated **National Science Day**on 28.02.2014.

Dr. Daniel Chellappa, Senior Scientist, Babha
Atomic Research Centre delivered a special
lecture on "Overview of Indian Nuclear Energy
Programme"



TEACHER'S DAY

Colonel Sanjay Pande, Group Commander, National Cadet Corps (NCC) Headquarters, Madurai delivered the Teacher's Day Address .As part of Diamond Jubilee Celebrations, the statue of Rev. Mother Rose Benedicta was unveiled by Rev. Sr. Emily Joseph, SJL, Provincial, Sisters of St. Joseph of Lyons (Indian Province) in Mary Land campus



FOUNDER'S DAY

Rev. Dr. K. Amal SJ, Rector, Aruppe Illam, Karumattur delivered the feast day message and Dr. Sr. T. L. Lilly Kutty, Vice Principal, enlightened on the vision of the Feast of Our lady of Fatima and the Founder's Day.





MENTAL HEALTH DAY

In commemoration of Mental Health Day, M. S. Chellamuthu Trust, and the Department of MSW conducted Mental Health Literacy Campaign on 10.10.2013. Students displayed charts on Mental Health and conducted group programmes with children and women in Kilaneri village.



CHILDREN'S DAY

WEAT celebrated Children's Day in adopted villages. 160 children attended and participated in various competitions.



ROAD SAFETY DAY

Road Safety Day was observed in collaboration with Lions Club of Madurai Elite & RTO Office, Madurai on 09.01.2014



NATIONAL VOTER'S DAY

Fatima College celebrated the **National Voter's Day** on January 25, 2014. Mr. Ramesh Babu, Zonal Officer, Madurai Corporation, Madurai was the Chief Guest.



PONGAL DAY

Outgoing students celebrated the Pongal Day on February 4, 2014 to thank the staff members and to share their joy with the poor and orphaned children.



INTERNATIONAL PEACE DAY

International Peace day was celebrated on 26.09.2013. Dr. Alagar Samy, Former Principal, Ambedkar Govt. Law College, Trichy, addressed the Part-V students. He motivates the students and said that they are the future pillars of India.



WORLDS AIDS DAY

World Aids Day was observed on 28.11,2013, Dr. N. Gopi, Assistant Professor, Madura College addressed the students on Prevention & Control of AIDS.





WORLD LITERACY DAY

World Literacy day was celebrated on Oct. 10, 2013 by NSS, Special address was given by Mr.A.Joseph Arockia Dhas, Arul Anandar College, Karumathur. The students from 8 Different schools were invited in order to inculcate the importance of higher education. The students were given a campus exposure, demonstration of usage of language labs, library and different laboratories.



WOMEN'S DAY

International Women's Day was celebrated on March 13, 2014. Ms. V. Agnes, Advocate, Madurai High Court addressed the students.



RAMANUJAN'S DAY

The Department of Mathematics (SF) celebrated **Ramanujan Day** on 20.12.2013. Dr.G.Prabakaran, Thiagarajar College was the Guest of honour.



INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

1. An Input Session on Spirituality in Education was organised on 17th June 2013. Rev. Dr. Selvarathinam SJ, Professor

- and Head, Jnana Deeoa Vidya Peeth, Pune was the resource person.
- A Training Programme on English for Every day Use was organised by Dr. S. J. Kala & Co Dept. of English, Fatima College, Madurai in August 2013.



3. A Basic Training Programme on SPSS Software package was organised between 4th and 7th November 2013. Dr. Pushparaj, Dept. of Econometrics, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai & Co. conducted the programme.



4. An Advanced Training Programme on SPSS Software package was conducted between 22nd to 24th January 2014. Dr. Pushparaj, Dept. of Econometics, Madurai Kamaraj Universiy, Madurai conducted the programme.



5. A Medical Camp from Sri Ragavendra Hospitals, Madurai was conducted for the Administrative staff.





6. As part of Faculty Development Programme an Input Session on From a Good Teacher to a Great Teacher was organised on 22nd March 2014. Dr. K. Alex, Associate Professor of Commerce, St. Joseph's college, Trichy was the resource person.



 An input Session on Life Skills was organised for the Supportive staff on 22nd March 2014. Dr. K. Alex, Associate Professor of Commerce, St. Joseph' College, Trichy was the resource person



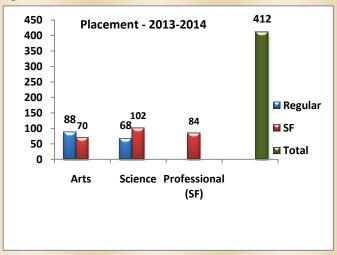
Institute - Industry Interface Cell

Recognising the complexity of the career planning process and the myriad of options available to graduates, the Institute Industry Interface cell conducts programmes to meet the professional development needs of students. 412 students are placed in various organisations through Campus interview this year and a few more are in the process.

MBA PLACEMENT RECORD

During the Academic year 2013-2014, out of 54 students, 48 students enrolled for placement

and all got placed which accounts to 100 percent.



PARENT - TEACHER MEET

The Parent-Teacher's Meet in Fatima College is a regular phenomenon which helps the administrative body to become aware of the steady growth of our college and the areas that need special attention. The valuable suggestions given by the parents are received to make the mission of education more meaningful and relevant.



ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

The Annual Alumnae Meet 2013 was organised on July 13, 2013. Dr. M. K. Sivagama Sundari, Principal, SVN B.Ed. College, Madurai was the guest of honour. The Golden Jubilee Hall resonated with the voices of the past and the cultural programmes.





The Department of Computer Science organised Silver Jubilee Alumnae Meet on 1.3.2014. The former Principals were honoured and felicitated.



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DEPARTMENTS IN EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

Economics

Socio Economic Survey



Home Science

Collected Information about Nutritional Status of the village.



Zoology

Rally on Environment issues and Tree Plantation



Sociology with (Computer Applications)

Survey and planting saplings in seven different villages



MBA

Brain Storming on Women Entrepreneurs and Self Help Groups



B.Com with Computer Applications

Creating awareness on the lack of literacy among the villagers.



FUTURE PLANS

- Establishing Women Studies Centre
- ♦ To increase number of online courses
- ♦ To promote structured consultancy
- To apply for more number of Major/Minor projects particularly interdisciplinary.
- ♦ To encourage students' projects.
- To establish linkages with National and Foreign University
- To have a visible transformation of adopted villages
- To install more solar panels

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