

**GOA VIDYAPRASARAK MANDAL'S
GOPAL GOVIND POY RAITURCAR COLLEGE OF COMMERCE AND ECONOMICS
FARMAGUDI, PONDA GOA**

Academic Year 2023-2024

ACTION TAKEN REPORT ON THE FEEDBACK FROM THE STAKEHOLDERS

Institution obtained feedback on the academic performance and ambience of the institution from the stakeholders, such as Students, Faculty, Alumni, Employers. Analysis of the feedback obtained from the stakeholders indicated the areas wherein institution needed improvement. After considering the suggestions from the stakeholders, IQAC Co-ordinator discussed the matter with the staff members and following plan of action was framed:

1. Stakeholder feedback highlighted the need for more skill-enhancement courses. Consequently, faculty members were asked to develop and deliver at least one such certificate course.
2. To make the teaching-learning process more engaging, faculty members were instructed to organize a minimum of two guest lectures per semester within their respective course offerings.
3. The institution will explore the possibility of involving alumni in conducting certificate courses and delivering guest lectures.
4. In order to enforce experiential and contextual learning it is decided to conduct at least one industrial visit/field trip for the students of each division and to promote outstation industrial tours.
5. To foster collaborative learning opportunities, the institution will prioritize the signing of more MOUs with external organizations to facilitate internships, industrial visits, guest lectures, and mini-project work. The students suggested that the canteen facility needs to be improved. It was decided to discuss the matter with the management and take necessary steps to improve canteen facilities.
6. Students expressed a desire for enhanced campus ambience, specifically emphasizing the need for improved garden and seating areas.



Action taken Report

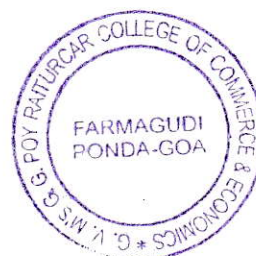
Based on the analysis of stakeholder feedback, the IQAC took the following actionsL

Orientation Programmes

- A fresher's party for the incoming F.Y.B.Com., F.Y.B.C.A. and M.Com. (Part I) students was organised, fostering a sense of camaraderie among the new batch.
- To equip new students with essential information, an orientation programme was organised for F.Y. B.Com., F.Y. B.C.A., and M.Com. (Part I) students. The programme covered academic information, college decorum, and provided valuable tips for a successful academic journey.
- An orientation session for all fresher students from 18th to 19th July 2023, on the theme “How counselling can be instrumental in better quality of life” was conducted.
- An Orientation programme on Project Paper was conducted for T. Y. B. Com. students. Dr. P. U. Rane and Dr. Raina Pinto conducted the orientation sessions.

Certificate Courses

- Placement Cell in association with FINSERV conducted 100 hours Certificate Program in “Banking, Finance, and Insurance (CPBFI)” for T.Y. students.
- IQAC in association with Parent Teachers Association (PTA) conducted a certificate course of 80 hours in “Fruits and Vegetable Processing and Preservation”. The resource person for the course was from Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), Parvari Goa.
- Department of Commerce conducted a 30 hours certificate course for B.Com. students on ‘Event Management’ Shri. Sameer Kapdi, Event Curator, was the resource person.
- A skill-based certificate course on “Digital Marketing” was conducted by Alumni Shri William Vaz (Comtech Computer Academy). Total 30 students successfully completed the course.
- Certificate course in “MS – Office and Tally Prime” was conducted in collaboration with Comtech Computer Academy, Ponda – Goa.
- Certificate course in “MS - Office and Tally” was conducted for M. Com. students.
- Certificate Course in “UX/UI Design” for B.C.A. students in collaboration with TATA Stive.

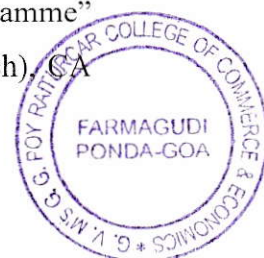


Workshops/Seminars/ Programmes for Students

- On the occasion of International Youth Day, IQAC organised a workshop on “Unlock Your Leadership Potential” for the members of Students Council and select students. Shri Pravin Sabnis, Corporate Trainer was the resource person.
- IQAC in association with PTA organised a Student Development Programme on “The Psychology of Success” for T.Y.B.Com., T.Y.B.C.A. and M. Com. students. Shri Dilip Betkekar, an Educational Consultant, was the resource person for the same.
- A two-day workshop on “Government & Bank Jobs Entrance Exams” was organised on 20th and 21st March 2024.
- Investor Awareness Programme (Online) for T.Y.B.Com. students. The Programme was organized by Krisha Foundation Mumbai in association with the Directorate of Higher Education (DHE) Government of Goa as part of “Celebration of Global Money Week” (GMW) in University & Higher Education Institutions Across India. The Resource Person for the same was Ms. Zeal Doshi of Krisha Foundation Mumbai.
- The college MoU partner Karuna Football foundation and the Light by the Sea from Australia organized a two-day National Surf Boarding training event at the Colva Beach.
- International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June 2023. A session on various aspects of yoga was held by Dr. Pradeep Maske. The session was attended by the college faculty and about 100 students.
- Workshops on topics “Cyber Security” and “React JS - Building user interfaces”. The resource persons were Mr. Sachin Verlekar, Junior Security Analyst at CodeMax IT Solutions Pvt. Ltd., and Mr. Amod Shinde, Senior Engineer and Team Lead SEE ID, Inc, respectively.

Guest Lectures/Sessions for students

- IQAC in association with ICFAI Business School (IBS) Bangaluru organized Student Development Programme for students of T.Y.B.Com. Shri. Raghavendra Rao, Faculty at IBS Bengaluru was the resource person for the same. He conducted a session on the topic “Digital Fluency: The Key to Unlocking Career Success in the Digital Ecosystem”.
- IQAC in association with Institute of Chartered Accountant of India, Goa Branch organised a “One Day Career Counselling, Financial and Tax Literacy Programme” for B. Com. students. CA Thomas Andrade (Chairperson ICAI, Goa Branch), CA



Vaibhav Bale (Treasurer ICAI, Goa Branch), CA Pradnya Bhat and CA Gayatri Behere were resource person for the same.

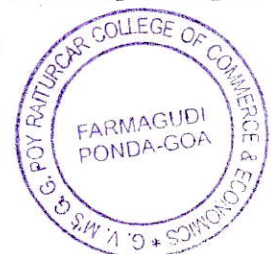
- A session on career guidance “What after B. Com.” was organised for B. Com. students. CA Pradnya Bhat our alumna was the resource person.
- A session on life skills titled “Mind Mystery” for the T.Y.B.Com. students by our alumna, Ms. Rajashree Iyer.
- A Session on life skills titled “Handling life pressures- Need of the hour” for the S.Y. B.Com. & T.Y.B.Com. students by our alumna, Ms. Rajashree Iyer.
- Session on “Intellectual Property Rights” was organised for S.Y.B.Com. students. Shri Pranay Prabhu Gaonkar, Patent and Trade Mark Agent was the resource person for the same.
- Session on “Human Values” as part of human value education. The resource person for the same was Mrs. Sarika Deshmukh a Motivational Trainer.
- A talk on “Awareness on Mutual Fund Investment” for S.Y.B.Com. students by Shri. Girish Naik, Relationship Manager at Nippon India Mutual Fund.
- A Session on “Risk Management” for M. Com. students. Dr. Vilas Waikar was the resource person.
- A ‘Start-Up Yatra’ in association with the Start -Up & IT Promotion Cell, Government of Goa was organized. 60 students participated in the Yatra.
- A talk on “Business Intelligence & Analytics” for B.C.A. students delivered by Shri. Clinton Fernandes.
- A talk on “Inculcating Reading Habit for Lifelong Learning” delivered by Shri. Terence Rodrigues for Reader’s Club members on the occasion of National Librarians Day.
- A talk by College Counselor, Ms. Sumedha More on “Use of Neuro-Linguistic Programming (NLP) in Communication” on 1st September 2023 for the B. C. A. students.
- Talk on different career avenues in “Sports and Physical Education”. Resource person was Ms. Gerdian Robbertson from Netherland.
- To celebrate the ‘Angdaan Utsav’ a talk on “Organ Donation” was held by doctors from IMA (Ponda) and Dilasa Palliative Care. Key Resource Speaker was Amol Mahaldar.
- Shri. Sarvesh Naik delivered a talk on “Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME)” for the students.



- As part of Industry-Academy Interaction a session on “Navigating the Markets - Investing Strategies with Fundamental and Technical Analysis” was conducted by Mr. Claster Cardozo, Founder and CEO of LearnFinance.
- A session on “Financial Smartness- Reach Your Dreams”, for B.C.A. students was conducted. The resource person was Shir. Vijaykumar Sirsat, Chief Executive Officer at Sirsat’s Insurance and Investment Point.
- A talk on “Corporate Etiquettes at Modern Workplaces” by Mrs. Melantha Fernandes, HR Manager at UMANG Software Technologies for B.C.A. Students.
- A session on “Skill Development Courses and Placements by TATA STRIVE” was organised for the T.Y.B.C.A. students.
- Student Wealth Creation Program was organised for B.C.A. students in collaboration with SBI Mutual Fund and Lokmanya Co-operative Society. Resource persons were Mr. Vaibhav Gaonkar and Mr. Fransis Xavier.
- An orientation session on “NET/SET in Commerce” for M.Com. students was conducted by Mr. Ashvek Parker, Ms. Kavita Bargi, Ms. Sanjana Majalkar and Ms. Shruti Pille.
- On the occasion of National Voters Day (25/01/2024) Dr. Pradip Maske, Associate Prof. in Political Science spoke on "Importance of Voting in Democracy" for M. Com students of the College.

Sports activities conducted for the students

1. Inter class Championships such as table tennis, tennikoit, volleyball, football, badminton, chess, athletics for men and women.
2. Celebrated International Yoga Day in college on 21st June 2023
3. Celebrated National sports Day on 28th August 2023 activities organised for students - Run/walking for students from college to Bandodkar Ground 1.5 kms., Essay Competition on topic “O Sports you are peace”, poster making competition on topic “National Games 2023 Goa”.
4. Department of Physical Education and MoU Partner Karuna Foundation organised a session for students on the “Different Career Avenues in sports and physical Education”.
5. Under the banner of Goa Vidyaprasarak Mandal organised Chess Championship for students to promote chess in its various institution of the mandal.



6. Department of Physical Education and Sports organised ICC Cricket World Cup 2023 Fantasy Quiz for staff and Students.
7. Department of Physical Education and Sports and NSS Unit celebrated National Youth Day by organising students Tyre Relay and Lungdi.
8. Adventure activity programme for students at Nandanvan at Codar.
9. G.V.M.'s Cricket Premier League for college students and staff.

Sports activities conducted for the staff

1. Tennis ball cricket Bowl-out and Zumba Session for fitness on the occasion of National Sports Day.
2. Friendly exhibition football match between the staff of our college and the staff of GVM's college of Education.
3. Friendly inter staff volleyball match between our college staff and GVM's SNJA Higher Secondary School.
4. Inter Staff Badminton Tournament for male and female faculty of College staff on 1 December 2023 at Ponda Sports Complex.
5. Department of Physical Education with MoU Partner Karuna Foundation and The Light by the Sea from Australia organised a two-day National Surf Boarding Training event on 14 & 15th October 2023 at Colva Beach.

Improvement of the Canteen

1. Renovation and upgradation of the seating arrangement at the canteen.
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3. Addition new food items to the menu of the canteen.

Improvement of the Campus

1. Upgradation of the garden was undertaken with the help of alumni.
2. Construction of compound wall.
3. Seating Arrangements for Students Across Campus.
4. Installation of solar panels.



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