

FATIMA MATA NATIONAL COLLEGE

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6.3.3 Report 2016-17

IQAC INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

Lecture on "Indian Literature in English"-05-06-2016

Dr Noel Jose Rememberance Lecture



DR. NOEL JOSE MEMORIAL DAY

Department Of English
Fatima Mata National College (Autonomous), Kollam



Dear Sir/Madam

June 5, 2016

Dr Noel Jose, one of our most precious colleagues, left for his eternal abode on 5th June 2014. Although he will remain in our hearts forever, we wish to perpetuate his memory among all the members of the Fatima Family, by organizing a "Dr Noel Jose Remembrance Day" every year.

This year on 14/06/2016 after Holy Mass at the College Chapel, we pay homage to Dr Noel Jose with a talk by Dr. S Chandra Mohan Nair, Head, Dept. of English, Sankar Institute of Science, Technology and Management, Chathanoor, Kollam at 11.00 AM at the Seminar Hall in our college.

The Remembrance Day is not so much to grieve over the irreparable loss as it is to celebrate the warm relationship we had with Noel because we believe "Death ends a life, not a relationship."

Please be with us on this occasion. Your presence means a lot to us.

Dr Clara Bernadette Reshma
Convenor

Dr P. Radhika
HoD



Dr Noel Jose Remembrance day was held on 14-06-2016 to honour Dr Noel Jose, our colleague. Professor C.K.Felix, Rtd Principal and member of the department ,FMNC ,Kollam shared his reminiscences on Dr Noel. The department decided to initiate a talk on that day that would benefit the students. Dr S. Chandramohan, Head ,Sankar Institute of Science and Technology, Trivandrum, was the chief guest of the day. He delivered a meaningful lecture tracing the development of Indian writing in English. He focussed on the Indian Renaissance and the development of fiction. Dr Clara B.Reshma, the convener of this successful programme delivered the vote of thanks



DR NOEL JOSE REMEMBRANCE DAY

14th June 2016, 11 am – 12. 30 pm

Organized by
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
FATIMA MATA NATIONAL COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)
KOLLAM

PROGRAMME

Prayer Song : Department Choir

Floral Tributes

Welcome : Dr P. Radhika, HoD

Presidential address : Dr Vincent B. Netto,
Principal

Sharing Memories
of Dr Noel Jose : Prof C K Felix,
Former Principal FMNC

Talk : Dr. S Chandra Mohan Nair,
Head, Dept. of English,
Sankar Institute of Science,
Technology and Management,
Chathanoor, Kollam

Vote of Thanks : Dr Clara B. Reshma
Convenor

National Anthem

One-day Seminar cum workshop on Domestic Waste Management
20th March, 2017

Ecoclub organized a one day seminar cum workshop on domestic waste management on 20.03.2017. The co-organizers of the seminar were District Suchithwa mission. The resource person was Mr. Prasad Lal, Instructor, District Suchithwa Mission. The main focus of the talk was “How to manage your home waste”.

Debate on 'Women Empowerment'

10th February, 2017

The group leader of group 7 presented the assigned topic and discussion was held on the arrived outputs. The group leader and its members participated vibrantly and positively making the group discussion a useful one. It was conducted on 10/2/2017 and duration was 3.30 PM to 4.45 PM. The faculty members also joined in with their suggestions and ideas. A debate was also conducted on "Women empowerment". The students actively and interestingly participated in it as well. The importance of imparting education to girl child was discussed in length in the meeting

Seminar on 'Union Budget'

9th February, 2017

The department of Economics organised a seminar on Union Budget in association with MalayalaManorama daily on **09-02-2017** in the College auditorium at 10am. Sri. Ajaya Kumar (Senior Coordinating Editor, MalayalaManorama, Kollam) welcomed the gathering and the college principal Dr. Vincent B Netto inaugurated the event. Sri C P John (Former State Planning Board member), Dr. Manju S Nair (Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram) and Dr. C S Shaijumon (Reader in Humanities, IIST, Thiruvananthapuram) were the resource persons. Dr. Mary Antony (Head, Department of economics, FMNC) was the moderator.





CRUSTACEAN TAXONOMY WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO PRAWNS AND CRABS

Name of the organizing Unit : PG & Research Department of Zoology
Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA)
Cochin Chapter

Duration of the Programme : One Day

Level of the Programme : Local

Date : **18.01.2017**

Total Number of Resource Persons : One

Prof K V Jayachandran

Crustacean Taxonomist

Rtd. Director of Research (KUFOS)

Total Number of Participants : 60 Students and 10 teachers

A brief report of the programme

To enlighten the students on crustacean taxonomy, classes were conducted by Dr Jayachandran, Crustacean Taxonomist, Director of Research (CUSAT). Hands on training about different types of marine and estuarine prawns were described. Field guides to assist in identification were supplied by the resource persons. The training course on Crustacean Taxonomy was intended in enhancing the capacity of PG students for taxonomic research on tropical marine biota, especially for crustacean taxonomy. This training course was designed to cover various topics mainly related to ocean biosystematics, particularly for crustacean taxa and relevant techniques for species identification (characters and their characteristics).

Programme Notice

Fatima Mata National College(Autonomous)

PG &Research Department of Zoology

Kollam,Kerala

**In association with Indian Science Congress Association
(ISCA), Cochin Chapter**

Organizes

a

One day workshop for post graduate students of Zoology

On

**Crustacean taxonomy with special reference to
Prawns and crabs**

B.Sc. Zoology laboratory, 18.01.2017, 10.00 A.M



Dear H.O.D,

We are into our third year of autonomy and tirelessly striving to bring in academic excellence in the curriculum. Institutional social responsibility is also a hallmark of our style of functioning. Multi institutional collaborative research and expertise sharing is essential. Systematics of Prawns and Crabs has been part of the course content of M.Sc. Zoology since the past few years. However, we feel that this exercise should be carried out more expertly.

With this thought in mind, we have decided to conduct a one day workshop on crustacean taxonomy for P.G students of Zoology. Dr K V Jayachandran, crustacean taxonomist, Convenor, ISCA Cochin Chapter and Director of Research (Rtd.) KUFOS, Kochi will lead the workshop. We assure you that this workshop will refine and improve the prevailing expertise of students in this topic. Please make use of this opportunity and ensure the participation of your first year M.Sc. Zoology students.

Dr Mary Teresa P Miranda
Head, Department of Zoology

Dr Vincent B Netto
Principal

Venue : B.Sc. Lab, Department of Zoology, F.M.N College Kollam

Date:18.01.2017

Time:10.00A.M to 3.30P.M

There will be no registration fee

Lunch will be provided for the participants

For further details, please contact:

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Lecture on Biodiversity Status and Global warming

7th January, 2017

A seminar on Biodiversity status and Global warming was jointly conducted by Eco Club and Department of Botany on 07.01.2017. The theme talk was delivered by Dr.Sinilal, Assistant Professor, Dept of Botany, FMNC, Kollam. In his lecture, he highlighted the biodiversity status of Western Ghats region. Through his talk, students enriched their knowledge about the endemic organisms and also environmental protection.

One day Workshop on Research
Methodology held on 16th
December 2016



Workshop on
Research Methodology
Organized by
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
Fatima Mata National College

Fatima Mata National College

Vision	Mission
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Excellence in Higher Education• Love of Motherland• Integrity of Character• Belief in the Dignity of Labour• Spirit of Selfless Service• Respect for Fellow Beings	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Acting as a Catalyst of Change and Enlightenment• Serving as an Instrument of Social Justice• Providing Education to all, Especially the Less Fortunate







Seminar on Environmental protection

16th December, 2016

In connection with the inauguration of Eco Club, Dr.Sinilal, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, FMNC, delivered a lecture on the topic “Environmental Protection” on 16.12.2016. In his talk, he focused on how environmental protection is influenced by three interwoven factors: environmental legislation, ethics and education. Each of these factors plays its part in influencing national-level environmental decisions and personal-level environmental values and behaviours. For environmental protection to become a reality, it is important for societies to develop each of these areas that, together, will inform and drive environmental decisions.

WORKSHOP ON GATEWAY TO FINANCIAL FREEDOM
15-12-2016
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
F.M.N.COLLEGE,KOLLAM

The department of commerce had the privilege to take part in a one day workshop on 'Gateway to Financial Freedom conducted on 15th Dec, 2016. The programme was organized by Hedge school of Applied Economics with Post Graduation & Research department of Fatima Mata National College.

The workshop was scheduled in for sessions and the resource person who handled the session was Mr. Denil Dani Alexander, the director and faculty member Hedge School of Applied Economics. He spoke to the students about the important role that capital market plays on the field of Job creation and innovation in modern era. The inaugural session was conducted between 9:30 AM to 10AM. Ms. Jeshma the coordinator of the workshop inaugurate the session with a workshop followed by the presidential address which was presented by Dr. Valsalchandran.

The first session of the programme was conducted between 10am to 10:30 am which covered the introductory session of the entire workshop. In the second session the main theme of the programme was covered. He gave a brief presentation about the concept of Indian Capital market and its importance, concept of Indian Capital market and its importance, basics and corporate actions. In final session a brief statement of ODIN software, macropoly game and factors of macro Economics was presented.

The programme helped the students to have a better understanding on Indian Capital Market and structure and its role in financial markets. The session was interesting and informative for students. The workshop concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms Gana Anna. She also took the initiative to thank the entire faculty members and the students of the Department of Commerce who helped manage and make the event successful.

CERTIFICATE

of
Participation

LEKSHMI

*Has Successfully Completed the
Financial Services Industry Workshop
" Gateway to Financial Freedom"
Foundation Programme in Capital Market
at Fatima Matha National College, Kollam*



(Hedge Equities)

15/12/2016
Date





(Hedge School of Applied Economics)



**TWO DAY NATIONAL SEMINAR ON INSTITUTIONALIZING QUALITY
AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN HIGHER EDUCATION THROUGH
AUTONOMY**

**INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL
FATIMA MATA NATIONAL COLLEGE
(Autonomous)
KOLLAM-1**



Name of the organizing Department : IQAC

Duration of the Programme : Two Days

Level of the Programme : National

Date : 26th and 27th August, 2016

Sponsoring Agency, if any : NAAC

Total Number of Resource Persons : 06 (Please see the Brochure attached)

Total Number of Participants :125

A brief report of the programme

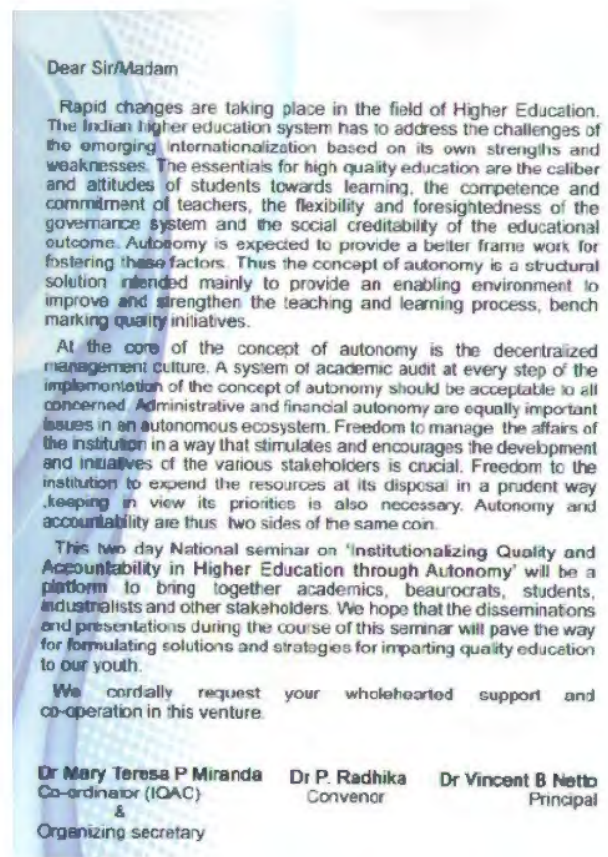
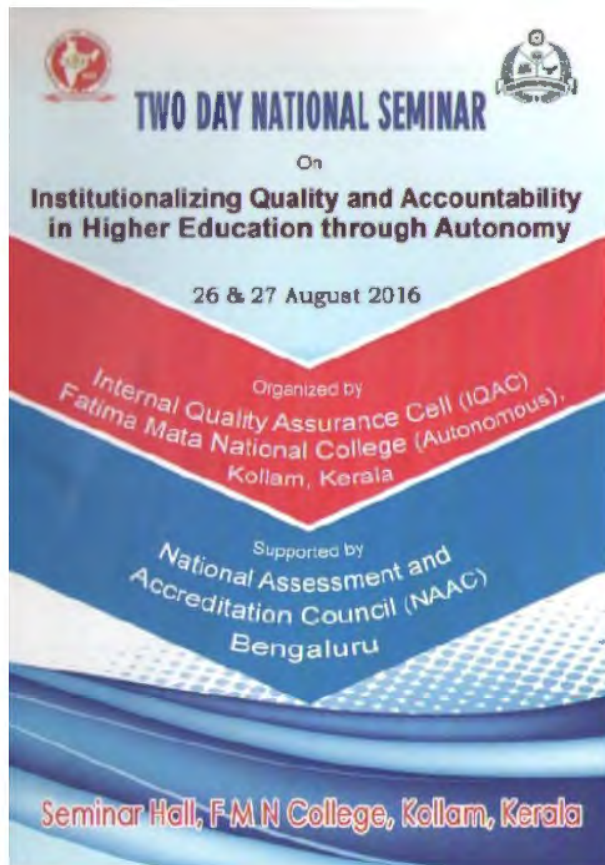
A two-day national seminar was organized by IQAC on 26th and 27th August, 2016, titled “Institutionalizing quality and accountability in higher education through autonomy”. The theme of the seminar was to mitigate the crisis prevailing in the higher education scenario in India, the twin postulates of autonomy and accountability need to emerge in the rapidly changing teaching-learning environment, an autonomous system facilitates quality and accountability in academics, governance and financial management.

The seminar was inaugurated by Dr Alexander Jacob IPS, former DGP, Govt of Kerala, and he highlighted the changing scenario of higher education in the present technology world, and emphasizes the need to amalgamate the traditional teaching strategies with the present-day technical developments in general and the changes in ICT particular. The first technical session was led by Prof Karnal Bijilani, Director, E-learning Research Lab, Amritha Vishwa Vidhyapeetham University, Kollam. The topic of presentation was ‘E-learning for quality enhancement and creativity’. The second session was handled by Dr. Magdalene Dorairaj, Fatima College, Maduri. He spoke on the role of teachers in an autonomous system. The third technical session was led by Dr Achuth Shankar S. Nair, University of Kerala. The topic of discussion was ‘Prescription of courses of study: Curriculum Designing and syllabus setting’. The fourth session was on “Perspectives regarding Autonomy”. This session was handled by Dr. S. Kevin, former PVC, University of Kerala. One hundred and twenty five faculty members participated in the seminar.

Outcome of the programme

It was able to formulate-

- ◆ Benchmarking quality initiatives for academic excellence.
- ◆ Capacity building in curriculum design, innovative teaching and evaluation strategies.
- ◆ Higher awareness among the stakeholders about autonomy.
- ◆ Enhanced accountability and quality in institutional practices.



Theme of the Seminar

To mitigate the crisis prevailing in the higher education scenario in India, the twin postulates of autonomy and accountability need to emerge. In the rapidly changing teaching-learning environment, an autonomous system facilitates quality and accountability in academics, governance and financial management.

Objectives

1. To discuss how autonomy can be used for enhancing quality, accountability and good governance in the institution
2. To provide a better framework for fostering an enabling environment to improve and strengthen the teaching-learning process.
3. To create awareness among the stakeholders regarding the positives of autonomy.
4. To empower the faculty to sustain the autonomous status granted to the institution.
5. To instil collective responsibility to meet the challenges of the new millennium.

Discussion Themes

- Perspectives regarding autonomy
- Prescription of courses of study, syllabi and curriculum designing
- Conduct of examinations
- Role of teachers
- Financial support for autonomy
- E-learning and e-governance for quality enhancement and creativity
- Role of government and university in autonomous ecosystem

Expected outcome

- Benchmarking quality initiatives for academic excellence
- Capacity building in curriculum design, innovative teaching and evaluation strategies
- Higher awareness among the stakeholders about autonomy
- Enhanced accountability and quality in institutional practices



NAAC sponsored National Seminar



Topic –

Institutionalizing Quality and Accountability
in Higher Education through Autonomy
26 & 27 August 2016

Venue :

Seminar Hall,
Fatima Mata National College,
Kollam- 691001, Kerala

Programme

Day 1 : 26.08.2016 Friday

Registration - 9.00 am to 10.00 am

1. Inaugural session (10.00 am – 11.30 am)

Inaugural Address : Dr Alexander Jacob IPS, Former DGP, Govt. of Kerala

Tea

2. Technical session 1 (11.45 am – 1.15 pm)

2.1 Invited Talk

Topic : E-learning for quality enhancement and creativity
Resource Person : Prof. Kamal Bishari, Director, E learning Research lab,
Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham University, Kollam, Kerala

Lunch - 1.15 pm – 2.00 pm

3. Technical session 2 (2.00 pm to 4.30 pm)

3.1 Invited Talk

Topic : Role of teachers in an autonomous ecosystem
Resource person : Dr Magdalene Dorairaj, Assoc. Prof., Dept. of English,
Fatima College, Madurai

Tea

Paper Presentations

Day 2 : 27.8.2016 Saturday

4. Technical session 3 (10.00 am to 1.00 pm)

4.1 Invited Talk

Topic : Prescription of courses of study, curriculum designing
and syllabi setting

Resource person : Dr. Anuth Shankar S. Nair,
Prof. & Head, Dept. of Bioinformatics & Computational Biology,
University of Kerala, Kariavattom, Thiruvananthapuram.

Tea

4.2 Invited Talk

Topic : Examinations: Timely, efficient and
student friendly approach mode

Resource person : Prof. B. Gopakumar, Deputy Controller of examinations,
FMN College, Kollam, Kerala

Lunch

5. Technical session 4 (2.00 pm to 3.00 pm)

5.1 Invited Talk

Topic : Perspectives regarding Autonomy
Resource person : Dr S Kevin, Former Pro Vice Chancellor,
University Of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

6. Valedictory session (3.00 pm to 3.30 pm)



Dr. Alexander Jacob IPS, Former DGP, Govt. of Kerala, Institutionalizing Quality and Accountability in Higher Education through Autonomy