



Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College of Commerce & Economics
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"Vision without execution is just hallucination"- Henry Ford

Annual Departmental Report for the year : 2023-24

Name of the Department: Bachelor in Commerce (Financial Markets)

Activities conducted during the academic year as described:

Curricular:

1. Admission Process (SYBFM and TYBFM):

- Started on 14th June 2023.
- Regular lectures commenced from 15th June 2023.

2. Orientation Meet for FYBFM:

- Conducted on 7th August 2023 at 11:00 AM.
- Purpose: To inform parents and students about:
 - College rules and regulations
 - Examination pattern
 - Activities
 - Placement opportunities
 - Lecture schedule
 - Introduction to subject teachers
 - Attendance requirements
 - Introduction to the BFM program and career prospects in the field.

3. Parent-Teacher Association (PTA) Meetings:

- Two meetings were conducted during the year.
- One meeting per semester (I, II, III, IV, V, VI) to discuss:
 - Students' attendance records
 - Any other relevant issues related to the students' academic progress and well-being.

These activities indicate a structured approach to student orientation, academic engagement, and parent involvement throughout the academic year. They ensure that both students and parents are well-informed about the educational journey and support systems available within the college.

Extra-curricular:

1. **Orphanage Visit to Prem Niketan (31st October 2023):**
 - Purpose: To educate FYBFM students about the lives of children in orphanages, fostering empathy and understanding of social issues.
 - Contribution: Students raised funds and donated grocery items to the orphanage.
2. **NSE Visit (2nd November 2023):**
 - Participants: 139 students from various programs.
 - Purpose: Practical insights into the functioning of the National Stock Exchange (NSE).
 - Exposure: Learning about stock market trading and understanding how SENSEX works.
3. **Intra-Collegiate Event "FYNAMICS 2K24" (16th February 2024):**
 - Event Format: Consisted of three rounds - Quizert (Quiz Expert), Portfolio Management, and Mock Trading.
 - Outcome: Winners received a cash prize of Rs. 35,000 and certificates.
 - Winners: First place by BIM students, second and third place by B.Com and BAF students respectively.
 - Recognition: Congratulated by Vice-Principal SFC Ms. Subhashini Naikar, BFM Coordinator Mr. Rahul Pandya, and event incharges Mr. Vishwajeet Chaudhari and Ms. Sangeeta Jain.
4. **Inter-Collegiate Event "DALMIA STOCK EXCHANGE 2K24" (6th March 2024):**
 - Event Format: Included Aptitude test, Portfolio Management, and Mock Trading rounds.
 - Inauguration: Attended by Lion Kanahaiyalal G. Saraf (Trustee & Hon. Secretary – Governing Council) Principal Prof. (Dr) D.N.Ganjewar, and Vice-Principal SFC Ms.Subhashini Naikar.
 - Judges: Mr. Prassana Choudhary, Mr. Sagar Thakker, and Mr. Akshat Garg.
 - Purpose: Provided practical experience in stock trading, promoting financial literacy and decision-making skills among participants.

These activities demonstrate a holistic approach by the BFM programme to enrich students' learning experiences beyond the classroom, focusing on practical knowledge, social responsibility, and competitive skills development.

Faculty pursuits:

Mr. Rahul Pandya:

1. From 28th August 2023 to 2nd September, 2023, Attended Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Research Methods and Techniques at Ghanshyamdas Saraf College.
2. From 1st February, 2024 to 8th February, 2024, Attended 8 days Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Research Methodology, Ethics and AI tools organised by the IQAC and Faculty Development Cell of Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College, Malad (West)
3. From 13th February, 2024 to 19th February, 2024, Attended 8 days Faculty Development Programme (FDP) and passed with A grade, "Research in Humanities, Commerce & Management: Opportunities and Challenges" organised under the aegis of IQAC of the Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College in association with Institute of Advanced Studies in English, Pune & Research Foundation of India.
4. Appointed as an External Project guide at Ghanshyamdas Saraf College.

Mr. Vishwajeet Chaudhari:

1. From 1st February, 2024 to 8th February, 2024, Attended 8 days Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Research Methodology, Ethics and AI tools organised by the IQAC and Faculty Development Cell of Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College, Malad (West)
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Mrs. Sangeeta Jain:

1. Invited as a moderator at Ghanshyamdas Saraf College for moderating SYBFM (Equity Markets, Debt Markets, FC (Money Market), Commodity Market) papers in both odd and even semesters.
2. From 1st February, 2024 to 8th February, 2024, Attended 8 days Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Research Methodology, Ethics and AI tools organised by the IQAC and Faculty Development Cell of Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College, Malad (West)
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These activities highlight the professional development and academic contributions of the faculty members, emphasizing their commitment to enhancing their teaching methodologies, research skills, and involvement in student projects and examinations.

Achievements of the students:

1. **Aryan Kamble (FYBFM, Roll No 124):**
 - Won first prize in Street Play competition held by Dahanukar College.
2. **Sarvesh Bharadkar (FYBFM, Roll No 104):**
 - Won first prize in the inter-zonal University boys' cricket tournament.
3. **Abhinil Gaikwad (FYBFM, Roll No 110) and Ram Gupta (FYBFM, Roll No 118):**
 - Won many prizes in Performing Arts (Dance) from colleges like NAEMD, Viva College, Bhavans College, NL College, and others.
4. **Iqra Khan (FYBFM, Roll No 128):**
 - Won first prize in a football competition held by K.E.S. College.
5. **Pratik Ambhore (SYBFM, Roll No 201):**
 - Won various prizes in competitions such as poster making, clay modeling, street play, and wall painting held by various colleges.
6. **Dhruv Raste (SYBFM, Roll No 232):**
 - Participated in various finance-related workshops and competitions, winning many prizes.

These achievements reflect the diverse talents and active participation of the students in both academic and extracurricular activities, contributing positively to their personal growth and the reputation of the institution.

Strengths of the Department:

1. **Systematic Planning, Organizing, Coordination, and Teamwork:**
 - The department demonstrates effective planning and organization, ensuring smooth operations and coordination among faculty members.
 - Teamwork is emphasized, fostering collaboration and synergy among faculty members to enhance teaching and student support.
2. **Highly Qualified and Dedicated Faculties:**
 - Faculty members are highly qualified and experienced, bringing innovative ideas to teaching and learning.
 - Their dedication contributes to the overall academic excellence and professional growth of students.
3. **Financial Awareness Events:**
 - Throughout the year, the department conducts events focused on financial awareness.
 - These events aim to educate students about financial concepts, markets, and investment strategies, preparing them for real-world scenarios.
4. **Curriculum and Student-Centric Teaching:**
 - Teaching is both curriculum-centric, ensuring coverage of syllabus content, and student-centric, catering to individual learning needs and interests.
 - This approach enhances engagement and comprehension among students.
5. **Integration of Research Methodology Techniques:**

- Research methodology techniques are integrated into teaching practices.
 - This enriches the learning experience by fostering critical thinking, analytical skills, and evidence-based decision making among students.
6. **Diverse Teaching-Learning Activities:**
- The department implements a variety of teaching-learning activities such as group activities and individual assignments.
 - These activities promote active learning, collaboration, and practical application of theoretical concepts.

Best Practice Highlight: DALMIA STOCK EXCHANGE 2K24

- **Event Overview:**
 - "Dalmia Stock Exchange 2K24" is an inter-collegiate trading fest organized by the program in collaboration with PARAM CAPITAL.
 - Held on 6th March 2024, it aimed to cultivate trading knowledge and investment habits among students.
- **Event Structure:**
 - **Rounds:** It featured three rounds - Aptitude Test, Portfolio Management, and Mock Trading.
 - **Objective:** Designed to provide practical knowledge and hands-on experience in financial scenarios.
- **Success and Impact:**
 - Sponsored by Mr. Mukul Agrawal, Chairman of Param Capital, the event has been successfully organized for five consecutive years.
 - Winners were awarded cash prizes totaling Rs. 55,000, emphasizing the event's competitive and educational significance.
 - **Outcome:** Students demonstrated financial judgment and decision-making skills, enhancing their financial literacy and readiness for future challenges.

This event exemplifies the department's commitment to practical learning, industry integration, and preparing students for careers in finance through innovative and engaging initiatives.

These students from various colleges have excelled in the competition, showcasing their skills and knowledge in the respective event.



Glimpses of Dalmia Stock Exchange Event 2023-24





Glimpse of National Stock Exchange (NSE) visit



Glimpse of Orphanage visit