

Department of Vocational Studies

SOFT BOOT CAMP REPORT

The Department of Vocational Studies organized a One-Day Intercollegiate Soft Boot Camp on futuristic software development practices on 20th July 2016. Smt. Reena A.R (HOD, B.Voc Department, St. Mary's college Thrissur) formally welcomed all the dignitaries of the day. Our respected Principal Sr. Dr. Marriette A Therattil CMC, (Principal, St. Mary's College, Thrissur) delivered the presidential address. The Seminar was inaugurated and all the sessions were handled by Mr. Rijas Sulaiman Nalakath (Co-Founder – Aspros Technologies W.L.L , Doha-Qatar, CTO – Wallstreet Finance – New York). Sr. Dr. Magie Jose (B.Voc Coordinator and HOD, Mathematics Department) had jointed in the inaugural ceremony.

Total 140 students from St. Mary's college Thrissur, Christ college Irinjalakkuda, Don Bosco college Mannuthy, Vimala college Cheroor, Carmel college Mala and Kerala Varma college Thrissur along with 10 faculty members are attended this seminar, which made this seminar grand success. The seminar started at 10'O clock and wind up by 3.30. At the end of the session, the seminar coordinator Smt. Vijitha Ajeendran (Asst.Prof. on contract, B.Voc Department) delivered the vote of thanks.

The seminar succeeded in elaborating on the trendy concepts in software development, Futuristic programming languages and product engineering.

Points discussed:

1. The trendy Concepts in Software Development
2. Futuristic Programming Languages
3. Containerised apps - Docker
4. Cloud Native Application Development & It's Benefits
5. Best practices for an application Development
6. Product Engineering



One Day Seminar (B.Voc Multimedia)

The one day seminar on “VFX- New Innovation” was successfully organized by the Department of Vocational Studies for Multimedia Students on 3rd October 2016. Ms. Seby Baby delivered the welcome speech. The Seminar was chaired by Mr. Girish. K R, C.C.O, Partner, Freelance FxArtist. It was an interactive session to the students with following topics:

- What is Animation?
- Awareness of Foundry Software
- Future of the Industry

He highlighted the Foundry software. The Foundry Software Company headquartered in London, with office in Manchester, Los Angeles and Silicon Valley. Also he clarified the special effects majors learn how to create animation, graphics, and special effects for a multitude of mediums, including film, TV, video, and computer games. He mainly focused that “Traditional art skills are still the fundamental ingredients needed for success in the field of animation. Students who have these skills have an edge over those who don't.” The seminar succeeded in elaborating on the basic and advanced concepts of Animation. At the end of the session Mr. Tinson Tomy Student Representative delivered the vote of thanks.



Snehatheeram Album Release

On 4th June 2016, Department of Vocational Studies (B.Voc) organized an Album Releasing Ceremony in Govt. Old Age Home, Ramavarmapuram in connection with the Snehatheeram Visit along with the inmates of old age home. Sri. Vincent, former superintendent-in-charge was the special guest of that ceremony. The staff and students of B.Voc Department and the sponsor, Sri. Varghese Pottakkal presented the Snehateeram Trip memorable album to the Govt. Old Age Home Ramavarmapuram. Sri Varghese Pottakal, owner of BG Food products handed over the album to Mr. Jaikumar , Superintendent, Old Age Home. The inmates were so excited seeing their pics in the album.



‘Karunardram’

Pope Francis declared 2016 As the ‘Year Of Mercy’, the St.Mary’s College,Thrissur organized a program titled ‘Karunardram’. This is done in order to help the poor with a pack of food for their lunch. The Department of Vocational Studies (B.Voc) of St.Mary’s College participated in the Karunardram on 4th March 2016. The students of both Software Development and Multimedia courses as well as the teachers brought an extra pack of lunch to distribute among the needy. By 11 am the food packets were collected in the college and handed over to the volunteers for distribution. There were a total of 150 packs collected and they were happily donated by the students to feed the less fortunate people.



Nature Education Camp, Vazhachal

Department of Vocational Studies in collaboration with Kerala Forest and Wild Life Department organized 2 days nature education camp at Vazhachal on Dec 1 and 2, 2015 as a part of Environmental Studies. The participants were the students of 2nd year B.Voc Software & Multimedia. The journey was started at 9:00 am. Mr. Sunil Raj, Deputy Range Officer welcomed all. Mr. Sadanandhan.E.S delivered the presidential address. N.Rajesh, DFO Charpa Division, inaugurated the nature camp. The first day session ended with camp fire and programs conducted by our students in the presence of Tribals.

The second day camp started with a session about the “The Forest and Wild Life Animals” by Sri.Baiju.K.Vasudevan and Manoop Chandran. Sri. Baiju.K.Vasudevan is a tribe who is born and brought in forest and a famous snake catcher and a research person.and

Sri.Manoop Chandran is a famous wild life photographer. This was an interactive session. After that we had our closing ceremony. On this occasion Sri.N.Rajesh, DFO,Vazhachal Division, distributed certificates to the students. Winners of the Quiz Competition were awarded prizes.



One Day Seminar

On 8th June 2016 Department of Vocational Studies (B.Voc) organized a Seminar in connection with World Environment Day. The program was inaugurated by Mr. M P Anil Kumar (Section Officer, Peechi Vazhani Wild Life Sanctuary) followed by a talk. The session was handled by Mr. Xavier Elthuruth, famous **Animal Protector and Kerala Snake Catcher** (Forest Guard, Peechi Vazhani Wild Life Sanctuary). He took an awareness session about various snakes and their specialties. .That was an amazing experience to us. The aim of this program was to understand and achieve awareness about the wildlife sanctuary and its importance



L'Aria Fresca and Swatch Bharath

August 2016

In connection with the L 'Aria Fresca Staff and students of our department cleaned the Department, and computer Lab college ground. Students cleaned the computers, keyboard, tables and chairs of the Lab.



Association Inauguration

Department of Vocational Studies had conducted its association activities inauguration on 7th September 2016 at 2.30 pm on jubilee hall. The program had started with a prayer by Christeena. Next to that head of our department Miss Reena A. R has addressed welcome speech. She had welcomed all the invited guests including our Principal Sr. Dr. Marriette A Therattil, Mr. Jacob Koshy, Senior HR Manger, Malayala Manorama, Thrissur, Sr. Dr. Magi Jose, Coordinator of B.Voc Course and HOD of Mathematics And Kum. Kajal P.R (Student Representative). After that principal Sr. Dr. Marriette A Therattil, had delivered presidential address. Mr. Jacob Koshy , Chief guest of the function inaugurated the function



Industrial Visit @ Flowers Television Channel

The Department of Vocational Studies organized One-Day Industrial visit to Flowers Television Channel under Insight Media City, at Maneed in Ernakulam Dist. on 3rd August 2016 for 5th & 3rd Multimedia students. The visit was planned with the prior permission and guidance of respected principal Sr. Dr. Marriette A Therattil. Our special thanks to Unni, Production controller, Flowers Channel and Mr. Anil Ayroor, Vice Chairman, Flowers Channel who had have taken hard efforts and initiative under guidance of Smt. Reena A R, HOD, B.Voc. Total 45 students along with 2 faculty members, Smt. Deepa K C, had joined this industrial visit, which made this visit grand success. This visit proved to be very insightful for the students, they participated in the Reality show “Comedy Super Nite – 2” Cini artist Mr. Kalabhavan Prajoth, was the chief guest of the programme and Cini Artist Mr. Vinay Fort had anchored the show.



One day International Seminar on “Photius-

The Magic Touch of Light –photography”

A one day International Seminar on “Photius- The Magic Touch of Light – photography” was organized by Department of Vocational Studies Multimedia (B.Voc) on December 21st 2016 has successfully concluded. The seminar proved for Multimedia students, freelance photographer and Teacher to exchange their experiences, knowledge, queries and insights. The seminar was inaugurated by MS Sabine Schründer, (teaching photography and image media, Lette Foundation, Berlin) and Sri .P.S Rafeeq (screen writer, Lyricist, story wriiter), who was also the Chief Guest of the function. Ms. Sabine Schründer, in her speech emphasized that the world today is very different perspective views of photography. Head of the department, Ms. Reena A R in her welcome speech to the delegates invited all the students and other participants. She said, “*The more you contribute to the seminar by active participation, the more you can take away from it*”. The Presidential Address was given by Sr. Dr. Marriette A Therattil, Principal St. Mary’s College and **Sister** pointed out the photography importance as well as its negative and positive aspects. And also she applauded the efforts conducting such seminars for student.



Christmas Greetings Card Competition 2016

As a part of Christmas Celebration, Department of Vocational Studies (B.Voc) organized Manual and Digital Greetings Card Making Competition on 20th Dec 2016, Tuesday. The competition conducted both Digitally and Manually. 13 students participated manually and 39 students participated digitally. Manual card making competition was started from 10.30 am to 12.00 pm. Digital Card making competition started from 10.30 am to 12.30 pm. Manual competition was conducted in 2nd Multimedia class room (room No 706) and Digital card making competition was conducted in the Multimedia Lab.

The Winners Are:

Manual

1st Prize-Athira M R(IInd B.voc Multimedia)

2nd Prize –Silpa Jayaraj (Ist Chemistry)

Digital

1st Prize- Anaswara K A (IInd B.voc Multimedia)

2nd Prize –Divya S (IInd B.voc Multimedia)



Alumni contribute Report

The Alumnae play the role of active learners who help in teaching to their junior students. MS. Krishna Satheesh (2015-18 Multimedia batch), she has taken class topic on “Graphic Design Principal and Color Concept to multimedia students 2018-19 batch dated on March 29th 2018. They also produced web series by production banner തീവണ്ടി. They are actively working in acting and Editing. As far as the alumni of the college are concerned, IQAC makes special efforts to involve them in the college meeting.

