




FATIMA COLLEGE (Autonomous)

(College with Potential for Excellence)

(Re-Accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC)



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THE ANNUAL REPORT

**(Presented at the Sixty Third College Day
Celebrations held on March 11, 2016)**

Honorable Chief Guest **Thiru. U. Sahayam I. A. S**, Vice Chairman, Science City, Chennai, Sr. S. Francis Pauline, Secretary, Vice Principals, Heads of the Departments, members of the Faculty, Non-Teaching Staff, my dear Students, Parents, Friends, Alumnae, Stakeholders and Media Personnel – A pleasant morning and a hearty welcome to the 63rd College Day Celebrations.

***LET US COME BEFORE HIM WITH THANKSGIVING AND EXTOL
HIM WITH MUSIC AND SONG FOR THIS 63RD COLLEGE DAY.***

***“YOURS, O LORD IS THE, POWER THE GLORY THE MAJESTY AND THE
SPLENDOR FOR EVERYTHING”***

- I CHRONICLES 29:11-13

I feel delighted and fortunate to present before you the Annual Report that highlights the accomplishments of the staff and the students during the academic year 2015 - 2016.

CONVOCATION

Fatima College organised its 40th Graduation Day on Feb. 27, 2016.

938	Under Graduates
318	Post Graduates
55	M.Phil. Graduates obtained their degrees.

ACADEMIC PROGRESS

- ❖ Two new courses have been introduced in June 2015:
 - B.A. Journalism & Mass Communication
 - M.A. History
- ❖ Two Online Foundation Courses for the Science and Humanities students are to be offered by the Humanities and the Science Departments respectively.
- ❖ Efforts to turn the Departments of Physics, Chemistry and Home Science into Research Centers are in Progress.
- ❖ The Department of Physics and Home Science are to start M.Phil. Programmes in the forth coming academic year.
- ❖ The Departments of Zoology and Computer Science are to become Post Graduate Departments in the forthcoming academic year.

ACADEMIC REFORMS

- ❖ Question Banks with questions testing the Knowledge, Understanding and Higher Ability of the students are the hallmarks of the college.
- ❖ Remedial Coaching and Communicative English are the distinct characteristics.
- ❖ Academic Audit is a regular feature.
- ❖ New Online courses are introduced for fast learners.
- ❖ Inter departmental projects are introduced.
- ❖ Online feedback of the staff from students is obtained every semester.
- ❖ Social Learning with the focus of ‘Reaching the Unreached’ is mandated.
- ❖ The students undergo short and summer internships and “On-the-Job” Training.
- ❖ Meditation in Action Movement (MAM) has been made a part of the curriculum by incorporating it into Value Education.

ROSA MYSTICA LIBRARY

Rosa Mystica Library is a treasure trove of knowledge related to all subjects. It provides a comfortable and user - friendly environment and spurs the users towards research, innovated reading and learning.

- 📖 It houses **126354** Printed Books, **226** Journals, Periodicals and Magazines, **253** e-Journals, **25** International Journals, **2630** e-Resources, **2685** e-Theses, **7523** Back Volumes, catering to the tastes of all readers.
- 📖 It is fully automated with direct access to WEB OPAC within the Campus and Special e-Resource Section.
- 📖 It is modernized with cloistered website, License database, and membership with INFLIBNET (Information and Library Network),

DELNET (Developing Library Network) and AIRC (American Information Resource Center).

- Improvised 'library blog' motivates the users to make their right choice in life.
- Safety is ensured with installation of fire extinguishers at key places.
- Close surveillance is possible through CCTV cameras.

LIBRARY WEEK CELEBRATIONS: The library week celebrations has become part and parcel of the Rosa Mystica Library activities since 2002 with the objective of inculcating reading habits among the student community. As part of the celebrations, books on Feminism, Women Studies, Psychology, English and Tamil Fiction, Career Opportunities, Fine arts, Yoga and Exercise and Moral and Ethical values were displayed. Students were also exposed to a wide range of Encyclopedias, various types of Dictionaries and Special Writers' Collections. Besides these, competitions such as Extempore, Quiz and Treasure Hunt were also organised for the Fatimites.

GRANTS RECEIVED FROM UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION (UGC)

S. No.	Name of the Grant	Amount (₹)
1.	Autonomy Grant: 2015 - 2016	16,00,000.00
2.	Seminar	2,26,200.00
3.	XII – Plan – FDP – Contingency	75,000.00
4.	XI – Plan – Development of Sports Infrastructures & Equipment- Building (Indoor Stadium)	25,00,000.00

5.	M.Com. with Computer Applications	66,474.00
	Total	44,67,674.00

END SEMESTER EXAMINATION RESULTS

I feel happy to present the results of the Examination conducted during the year 2015 - 2016. There is an upward trend in the overall pass percentage.

Results - April 2015

Courses	Appeared	Passed	Percentage
UG Arts	1080	858	79
UG Science	1623	1522	94
UG Commerce	549	425	77
PG Arts	147	125	85
PG Science	260	204	78
PG Commerce	97	76	78
Professional Courses	189	164	87
M.Phil.	54	53	98
Diploma Courses	41	24	59

Results - November 2015

Courses	Appeared	Passed	Percentage
UG Arts	1161	997	86
UG Science	1718	1603	93
UG Commerce	551	455	83
PG Arts	173	137	79
PG Science	290	223	77
PG Commerce	107	82	77
Professional Courses	199	146	73

M.Phil.	50	44	88
Diploma Courses	54	33	61

ENDOWMENT & SCHOLARSHIP

THERE ARE **366** ENDOWMENT PRIZES & **19** ENDOWMENT LECTURES/SEMINARS IN ADDITION TO THEM, **13** NEW ENDOWMENT PRIZES AND **4** NEW ENDOWMENT LECTURES HAVE BEEN CREATED DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2015 – 2016.

1. **History Endowment Prize** instituted by the Department of History to be awarded to any student of I M.A. History on the basis of merit-cum-means.
2. **Mathematics Endowment Prize** instituted by the students of 2012-2015 Batch, Department of Mathematics to be awarded to a II UG student on the basis of merit-cum-means.
3. **Mrs. & Mr. P. Vijayan Endowment Prize** instituted by their daughter Mrs. K.P.V. Preethi, M.Phil. Scholar (2014-2015) to be awarded to the best student for Proficiency in Dissertation and Viva-Voce in M.Phil. Mathematics.
4. **Physics Endowment Prize** instituted by the students of 2012-2015 Batch, Department of Physics to be awarded to any student of B.Sc. Physics on the basis of merit-cum-means.
5. **Mr. S. V. Subbiah and Mrs. Lakshmi Endowment Prize** instituted by their daughter Dr. Mrs. S. Renuga Former Head Department of Chemistry to the best student for Proficiency in Organic Chemistry.
6. **“SON OF GOD” Endowment Prize** instituted by Ms. Y. Arockiam in memory of her brother Y. John Thomas to be awarded to a III UG student of B.Sc. Chemistry on the basis of merit-cum-means.

7. **Dr. Sr. A. Jospin Nirmala Mary Endowment Prize** instituted by the students of the Research Center of Commerce to be awarded to any Commerce student on the basis of merit-cum-means.
8. **Auditor C.V.S. Manian Endowment Prize** in memory of Parents and Mentors to be awarded to the best outgoing student of UG Commerce.
9. **M.Com. CA Endowment Prize** instituted by all the students of M.Com. CA to be awarded to any student of M.Com. CA for Proficiency in IV Semester.
10. **Mr. E. Joysingh Endowment Prize** instituted by Mr. Joysingh, Manager (Retired), Indian Bank, Fatima College Extension Counter to be awarded to any student of B.A. English (SF) on the basis of merit-cum-means.
11. **BBA Endowment Prize** instituted by the students of 2012-2015 Batch of BBA to be awarded to the best student for Proficiency in Operations Research in the VI Semester.
12. **BCA Endowment Prize** instituted by all the students of 2014-2015 Batch of BCA to be awarded to any student of BCA on the basis of merit-cum-means.
13. **UG IT Endowment Prize** instituted by all the students of 2014-2015 Batch of B.Sc. IT to be awarded to any student of B.Sc. IT on the basis of merit-cum-means.
14. **Physics Endowment Lecture** instituted by the students of 2012-2015 Batch, Department of Physics.
15. **Dr. Gita Paul Endowment Lecture** instituted by the students of 2012-2015 Batch of Department of Zoology.

16. **Dr. Sr. P. A. Mary Endowment Lecture** instituted by the students of 2012-2015 Batch, Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology.

17. **Silver Jubilee Endowment Lecture** instituted by the staff and the students of the Department of Computer Science.

FINANCIAL HELP TO THE ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED

S. No.	Department		No. of Beneficiaries	Amount Sanctioned (₹)
1.	District Backward Classes Welfare Scholarship		752	9,02,657
2.	Most Backward Classes Scholarship		284	3,91,139
3.	District Adi-Dravidar Welfare Scholarship	Regular	230	10,88,700
		Self-Financing	87	5,15,443
4.	Adi-Dravidar Welfare Higher Education Special Scholarship	Regular	67	5,03,500
		Self-Financing	20	1,51,500
5.	Adi-Dravidar Welfare Prize Money Award		6	18,000
6.	Tuition Fee Concession to PG SC/ST students		26	16,250
7.	Mother Rose Students' Care Fund – Contributed by the students used for:			
	• Manna Token:		623	9,345
	• Dress to Poor students:		100	85,000
	• Fee Concession:		15	46,585
	• Medical Treatment		5	14,000
8.	Mother Rose Student Aid Fund – Contributed by the Management and Faculty		41	1,09,250
9.	Study Tour		18	15,000
10.	Earn While You Learn Scheme		8	15,000
11.	Students' Aid Fund (Special Fees)		16	6,400
12.	Sports Concessions		94	8,02,170
13.	Alumnae Contributions		12	26,000

OUTSIDERS':

14.	Sponsors from Sakthi Children's Home-Geneva	24	3,64,955
15.	Sponsors from Alayam Trust, Chennai	3	32,295
16.	Sponsors from Arco IRIS Foundation, Chennai	1	8,435
Total		2,429	51,21,624

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

S. No.	Award	Conferred By	Date
1.	Recognition Award for more number of blood donors	Youth Red Cross Society, Madurai	25.08.2015
2.	Super Resource Center (SRC) - Special Status conferred for training through Massive Open Online Courses (MOOC)	Spoken Tutorial Team, IIT, Bombay	21.09.2015
3.	Best College Award for encouraging maximum entries in The State Level Intercollegiate Competitions Commemorating the 85 th Birthday of Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam	A. K. D. Dharmaraja College, Rajapalayam	10.10.2015
4.	Yuvashri Kala Bharathi Award for the Best Educational Services	Bharathi Yuva Kendra Trust, Madurai	15.10.2015
5.	Chosen as the outstanding Women's Institution to establish National Resource Centre –	National Cyber Defence Research	19.01.2016

	Cyber Safety and Security Standards for Madurai District	Centre	
6.	Letter of Appreciation for Fatima College Flood Relief Operations	District Collector, Cuddalore	19.02.2016

SPECIAL EVENTS ON CAMPUS

S. No.	Events	Date
1.	Filming of Neeya Naana on “Maduraiyan Sirappukal” – A Popular Vijay TV Talk Show – 12 Staff and 8 Students participated	18.06.2015
2.	Filming of Neeya Naana on “Silappathikaram” – A Popular Vijay TV Talk Show- 12 Staff and 9 Students participated	19.06.2015
3.	Kalloori Saalai by Hello FM	20.08.2016
4.	MKU Intercollegiate Kho-Kho Tournament for Women	Oct. 08 - 10, 2015
5.	Tamil Nadu Inter University Football Tournament for Women	Jan. 29 - 31, 2016
6.	Tamil Pen Indru Event (Magalir Thiruvizha) conducted by The Hindu - Tamil Edition	14.02.2016
7.	Springs’15 – State Level Intercollegiate Cultural Meet organised by the Students’ Union	22.08.2015
8.	Women’s Day Celebrations in collaboration with	08.03.2016

S. No.	Events	Date
	Dinamalar – Tamil Daily (‘jpdkyh; nty;ths; ,ts;’ – kfsph; jpd Nghl;bfs;)	
9.	EXPLORIA’16 Inter Collegiate Research Fest – UN Sustainable Goals	09.03.2016
FORTHCOMING EVENTS		
10.	Filming of a Debate (Easter) by Madha TV	14.03.2016

FACULTY AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

S. No	Faculty Name & Designation	Award	Conferred by	Date
1.	Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary , The Principal	Achievement Award for The Best Administration & Social Services	Nagar Murasu, Madurai	30.09.2015
		Award for Best Humanitarian, Social and Educational Services	Humanity Protection Organization, Madurai	29.12.2015
2.	Dr. S. Maria Packiam , Head & Associate Professor, Dept. of History & Ms. Mathavi Manisekar , Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics	Assessor for Young Woman Scientist Award (Southern Region)	Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), India	Dec. 2015

S. No	Faculty Name & Designation	Award	Conferred by	Date
3.	Dr. S. Maria Packiam , Head & Associate Professor, Dept. of History	Center Superintendent of National Institute of Fashion Technology Examinations	National Institute of Fashion Technology Examinations (NIFT) Ministry of Textiles , Govt. of India	14.02.2016
4.	Dr. Shobana Nelasco , Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Economics	TANSA 2013 – Cash Award of ` 25,000/-	Tamil Nadu State Council for Science & Technology	27.07.2015
5.	Dr. S. Fatima Rosaline Mary , Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Commerce	Interacted with World Bank and Implementation Completion Report Mission on <i>“Impact of I am Warm Project on The Socio-Economic Conditions of Villagers in Madurai District”</i>	Government of Tamil Nadu	20.03.2015
6.	Dr. S. Saira Banu , Associate Professor, The Research Centre of English & Dr. S. Anburani , Assistant Professor,	Young Woman Scientist Award – 2015 National Level Award (Southern Region)	Dr. Kalam Educational Trust	07.03.2016

S. No	Faculty Name & Designation	Award	Conferred by	Date
	The Research Centre of Tamil			
7.	Dr. R. Angel , Asst. Professor of Tamil, Ms. S. Aarthi , Asst. Professor of English and Ms. A. Mercy Angela , Asst. Professor of Tamil (SF)	Bharathidasan Award for encouraging students' participation in Cultural Activities	Kaviyarasar Kalai Thamizh Sangam on the 69 th Independence Day Celebrations	
8.	Dr. M. Pappa , Asst. Professor, The Research Centre of Tamil	திருக்குறள் அறவியல் ஆய்வறிஞர்	உலகத் திருக்குறள் மையம், சென்னை	Mar. 02, 2016
9.	Dr. S. Arul Jothi , Assistant Professor, Dept. of Computer Science	Program Committee Member	2 nd International Conference on Electrical Engineering (ELE 2015), Dubai, UAE	Aug. 28 & 29, 2015
			2 nd International Conference on Circuits and Systems (CIRSY-2015), Dubai, UAE	Aug. 28 & 29, 2015

S. No	Faculty Name & Designation	Award	Conferred by	Date
			2 nd International Conference on Advanced Computing (ADCO-2015)", Vienna, Austria.	Nov. 28 & 29, 2015
			3 rd International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Applications (AIAPP 2016), Geneva, Switzerland	March 26 & 27, 2016

MEMBERSHIP IN ACADEMIC BODIES

S. No.	Departments / Research Centres	Faculty Name & Designation	Position	Institution
1.	History	• Dr. S. Maria Packiam , Head & Associate Professor	Member of Doctoral Committee	Bharathidasan University, Trichy
		• Dr. S. Maria Packiam , Head & Associate Professor • Ms. J. Saral Evangelin , Assistant Professor • Ms.M.Nageshwari Assistant Professor	Member	• South Indian History Congress • Tamil Nadu History Congress

2.	Economics	Dr. G. Uma Associate professor,	Member of Board of Studies	Arul Anandar College, Karumathur
		Dr. D. Fatima Baby Associate Professor,	Member of Board of Studies	St. Mary's College, Tutucorin
3.	Sociology and Social Work	Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary , Principal & Associate Professor	Life Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian Sociological Institute, New Delhi • Regional Association for Women Studies, Trichy
			Editorial Board Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Shanlax International Journal of Education</i>: A Quarterly Journal • <i>ROOTS International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches</i>: A Refereed and Quarterly Journal
		Ms. V. Sofia Adaikala Mary , Assistant Professor	Life Member	Indian Gerontological Association, Jaipur
4.	The Research Centre of English	Dr. S. Geetha , Head & Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	V.V.V College For Women, Virudhunagar
		Dr. A. Roselin Mary , Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jayaraj Annapackiam College For

				Women, Periyakulam • Sri Meenakshi Government College For Women, Madurai
		Ms. Fernando Delishia, Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	St. Mary's College, Tuticorin
		Dr. Mary Magdalene Abraham, Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	• V.V.V. College For Women, Virudhunagar • Arul Anandar College, Karumathur
		Dr. S. Saira Banu, Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	• Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai • Vivekanandha College of Arts And Science, Thiruvedagam
		Dr. S. J. Kala, Associate Professor	External Expert, Awards Commitee	Lady Doak College, Madurai
5.	The Research Center of Tamil	Dr. M. Kamala, Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	Sri Kaleeswari College, Sivakasi
		Dr.V.Valliammal, Associate Professor	University Nominee, Board of	St. Mary's College, Thuthukudi

			Studies	
		Dr. K. Latha, Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	Manonmaniyam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli
		Dr. S. Arul Micheal Selvi, Assistant Professor	Member of Board of Studies	V.V.V. College for Women, Virudhunagar
			Member, Sangam 4	Sangam 4, Madurai
			Member of Editorial Board	Catholica Sevai, Arch Diocese of Madurai
		Dr. R. Dayana Christy, Assistant Professor	University Nominee of Board of Studies	St. Mary's College, Tuticorin
6.	Mathematics	Dr. S. Rose Mary, Head & Associate Professor	University Nominee for Board of Studies	Sri S. Ramasamy Naidu Memorial College, Sattur.
7.	Physics	Ms. Arulmozhi Packiaseeli, Head & Associate Professor	President, Catholic Professor Peravai	De Nobilee Arangam, K. Pudur, Madurai
		Dr. G. Dheva Shantha Kumari, Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics	Member of Doctoral Committee	PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore.
8.	Chemistry	Dr. S. Selvarani, Head & Associate Professor	Member of Board of Studies	Arul Anandhar College, Karumathur
		Dr.A.Rajeshwari Assistant	Member of Board of	Sourashtra College, Madurai

		Professor	Studies	
9.	Zoology	Dr. N. Malathi, Associate Professor	Academic Auditor	Thiagarajar College of Arts & Science, Madurai
10.	Home Science with Food Biotechnolog y	Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani, Head & Associate Professor	Chairperson of Board of Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Thirunelveli • V.V.V. College for Women, Virudhunagar
			University Nominee for Board of Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SRNM College, Sattur • Sarah Tucker College, Thirunelveli • TBAK College for Women, Kilakarai
			Member of Board of Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai • Thiagarajar College of Arts and Science, Madurai • Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore
			Chairperson, Doctoral Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PSG College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore • Sarah Tucker College for Women, Tirunelveli

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • M.S. University, Tirunelveli • Bharathiar University, Coimbatore
			Chairperson, Board of Examiners & Scrutiny Board	Gandhigram Deemed University
			National Executive Member	Indian Dietetic Association, New Delhi
			Member of Expert Review Committee	M.S.Swaminathan Research Association
			Trustee, Nutrition Advisor & Consultant.	Spirulina Research Foundation – Antenna Trust
			Member of the Scientific /Organizing Committee	International Conference in Functional Foods in Health & Disease
			President of Kilakarai – Madurai Chapter	Indian Dietetic Association of India
			Fellow	International College of Nutrition (FICN)
			Life Member of “State Level Task Force”	Tamil Nadu, Nutrition Network for Tamil Nadu and

				Kerala Sponsored by UNICEF
			Member of the Scientific/ Organizing Committee	8 th International Conference at Nevada University, Las Vegas, USA
			Life Member & Area Coordinator of Indian Association	Parental and Enteral Nutrition, Japan
		Ms. D. Mouna, Assistant Professor	IDA Life Member	Indian Dietetic Association
11.	Computer Science	Dr. S. Vidya, Associate Professor,	Member of Doctoral Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bharathidasan University, Trichy • Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram
		Dr. S. Arul Jothi, Assistant Professor,	Member of Editorial Board	<i>Journal of Engineering and Computer Innovations Security and Communication Networks</i>
12.	The Research Center of Commerce	Dr. B. Sahaya Rani Fernando, Associate Professor,	Subject Expert	Meenakshi Govt. Arts and Science College for Women, Madurai
			University Nominee for Board of Studies	EMG Yadava College for Women, Madurai

		Dr. S. Fatima Rosaline Mary, Associate Professor,	Member of Doctoral Committee	Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
13.	PG IT	Dr. P. Shyamala, Head & Assistant Professor	Life Member	Indian Academic Researchers Association
14.	Computer Applications (MCA)	Ms.B.Chandirika, Head & Associate professor	Board of studies Member	V.H.N.S.N College, Virudhunagar Sourashtra College, Madurai
			Chief Examiner	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai
15.	Management Studies (MBA)	Dr. P. Uma, Director,	Member of Doctoral Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anna University, Madurai • Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of Neighborhood College-IQAC • Member of Governing Council 	Mangayarkarasi College, Madurai
			Expert Member of Staff Selection Committee	K.L.N. College of Engineering
			Member of Advisory Committee	Tamilnadu Council for Enterprise

				Development (TACED)
			Academic Auditor	Thiagarajar College of Arts & Science, Madurai
			Member of Board of Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SVN College, Madurai • VHNSN, Virudhunagar
		Ms. L. Meena, Assistant Professor	Executive Council Member	Thiagarajar Arts College Alumni Association
		Ms.K.Kavipriya, Assistant Professor	Director	Sakthi Exnora (EXNORA International), Madurai

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

1. Ph.D. Awarded

4 of our faculty are awarded the Ph.D. Degrees. They are as follows:

- ❖ **Dr. A. Roselin Mary**, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of English
- ❖ **Dr. L. Caroline Sugirtham**, Associate Professor, Department of Physics
- ❖ **Dr. M. Suganya**, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology with Computer Applications
- ❖ **Dr. S. P. Savitha**, Assistant Professor, The Research Centre of Commerce

2. 6 of our Faculty Members have registered for Ph.D. and 13 faculty members have submitted their Ph.D. theses.

3. UGC Major-Minor Projects

- ☐ There is **1** ongoing Major Research Project
- ☐ **1** Major Research Project has been completed.
- ☐ **15** Minor Research Projects have been applied.

Ongoing Major Project				
S. No.	Name	Co-Investigators	Title of the Project	Amount (₹)
1.	Dr. D. Fatima Baby , The Research Centre of Economics	1.Dr. G. Uma 2.Dr. Sr. T. L. Lillykutty	Socio- Economic Transformation of Fisher Folk After Tsunami in Kanyakumari District - An Analysis	2,40,000
Completed Major Project				
S. No.	Name	Co-Investigators	Title of the Project	Amount (₹)
1.	Dr. M. Rosary Royar , The Research Centre of English	1. Mrs. S. Aarthi 2. Dr. R. Saktheswari	Ecological Concerns in the Select Novels of Contemporary (2000-2010) Indian Writers.	8,79,600

4. Research Guidance

25 of our faculty members are recognized Research Guides.

S. No.	FACULTY NAME & DESIGNATION	DEPARTMENT	UNIVERSITY
1.	Dr. T. V. Anandhi , Associate Professor & Head	The Research Centre of	Madurai Kamaraj University

2.	Dr. Shobana Nelasco, Associate Professor	Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Madurai Kamaraj University • University of Technology, Mauritius • Sai Nath University, Ranchi
3.	Dr. M. Regina Mary, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
4.	Dr. G. Uma, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
5.	Dr. D. Fatima Baby, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
6.	Dr. Ivy Jeno, Assistant Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
7.	Dr. M. Meenakumari, Associate Professor & Head	Department of Sociology with Computer Applications	Madurai Kamaraj University
8.	Dr. S. Geetha, Associate Professor & Head	The Research Centre of English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Madurai Kamaraj University & • Mother Teresa University
9.	Dr. Mary Magdalene Abraham, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
10.	Dr. S. J. Kala, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
11.	Dr. K. Josephine Mary, Associate Professor & Head	The Research Centre of Tamil	Madurai Kamaraj University
12.	Dr. A. Pappy Kamala Bai, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
13.	Dr. M. Kamala, Associate		Madurai Kamaraj

	Professor		University
14.	Dr. V. Valliammal, Assistant Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
15.	Dr. K. Latha, Assistant Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
16.	Dr. R. Dayana Christy, Assistant Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
17.	Dr. C. Sornamala, Assistant Professor		Manonmaniam Sundaranar University
18.	Dr. S. Rose Mary, Associate Professor & Head	Department of Mathematics (Regular)	Madurai Kamaraj University
19.	Dr. Dheva Shantha Kumari, Associate Professor	Department of Physics	Bharathiar University
20.	Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani, Associate Professor & Head	Department of Home Science With Food Biotechnology	Madurai Kamaraj University
21.	Dr. Jacqueline Gigi Vijayakumar, Associate Professor & Head		Madurai Kamaraj University
22.	Dr. T. Jeyanthi Vijayarani, Associate Professor	The Research Center of Commerce	Madurai Kamaraj University
23.	Dr. S. Fatima Rosaline Mary, Associate Professor		Madurai Kamaraj University
24.	Dr. P. Shyamala, Assistant Professor & Head	Department of Information Technology (M.Sc. (IT & M) & M.Sc. (CS & IT))	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Madurai Kamaraj University & • Mother Teresa University
25.	Dr. P. Uma, Director	Department of	Madurai Kamaraj

		Management Studies (MBA)	University
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- 🦋 **20** - Madurai Kamaraj University
- 🦋 **2** - Madurai Kamaraj University & Mother Teresa Women's University
- 🦋 **1** - Manonmaniam Sundaranar University
- 🦋 **1** - Madurai Kamaraj University, University of Technology-Mauritius & Sai Nath University-Ranchi
- 🦋 **1** - Bharathiar University

5. Books published

5 books have been published by the faculty:

- 📖 **Dr. K. Latha**, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Tamil has authored a book titled, ***Ra. P. Sethupillai***
- 📖 **Dr. R. Dayana Christy**, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Tamil has authored a book titled, ***Thani Nayakam Adikal*** தனி நாயகம் அடிகள்
- 📖 **Dr. S. Vidya**, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science has authored a book titled, ***Functional Behaviour & Vulnerabilities of Address Resolution Protocol***.
- 📖 **Dr. T. Jeyanthi Vijayarani**, Associate Professor, The Research Center of Commerce has authored a book titled, ***Export Marketing of Coir Pith in India***
- 📖 **Dr. S. Beulah Mabel**, Assistant Professor, Department of Management Studies has authored a book titled, ***Trade Impediments in Exports***

6. Review:

Ms. V. Sofia Adaikala Mary, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Social Work, has reviewed a book titled, "Handbook for Professional Practice and Career Development in Social Work",

authored by Mr. Nicholas Francis, Published by Francis Publications in 2015.

7. Publications

The faculty have published **128** Research Papers in International & National Journals & Magazines, ISBN certified Seminar Proceedings and Books. **7** chapters have been published in different books and **4** Books have been edited.

8. Papers Presented

The Faculty members have presented **181** Research Papers in various Seminars, Conferences, Workshops and Symposiums (International **86** and National **95**)

9. Guest Lectures Delivered

22 Guest Lectures were delivered by the Faculty Members.

10. Consultancy

S. No.	Department	Faculty Name & Designation	Consultancy on/for	Institution / Organisation
1.	Sociology and Social Work	Ms.J.Rajameenakshi, Assistant Professor	Students' Counselling	Srs. of St. Charles Borromeo, Madurai.
2.	The Research Centre of English	Dr. S. Geetha, Head & Associate Professor & Dr. S. Saira Banu, Associate Professor	English For Business-Communication	Thiagarajar School of Management, Madurai
3.	The Research Centre of	Dr. S. Fatima Rosaline Mary,	Steering Committee	Tamil Nadu Govt. I AM WARM Project Team Funded By

	Commerce	Associate Professor	Member	World Bank
4.	Management Studies (MBA)	Ms. N. Asha, Assistant Professor & Ms. L. Meena, Assistant Professor	-	Karvy Consultants Pvt. Ltd., Madurai
		Dr.M. Nagarenitha, Assistant Professor & Ms. K. Kavipriya, Assistant Professor	-	TACED., Madurai
		Dr. S. Beulah Mabel, Assistant Professor	Sustainable Development	Kalyani Honda, Madurai
			'High Value-High Involvement & Low Value- Low Involvement And What Triggers The Shift'	For Nmore, Bangalore, Karnataka

11. All India Radio Programmes by 6 Staff Members from The Research Centre of Tamil

S. No.	Name	Theme	Place	Aired on
1.	Dr. R. Angel, Assitant Professor	இயற்கை இன்பம் - சூழல் சிந்தனை	Madurai	10.02.2015 & from

				11.09.2015 to 19.09.2015
2.	Dr. S. Arul Micheal Selvi , Assistant Professor	இயற்கை இன்பம் - இயற்கை	Madurai	21.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - இயற்கையும் இறைவனும்	Madurai	22.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - நிலம்	Madurai	23.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - நீர்	Madurai	24.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - காடுகள்	Madurai	25.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - சூழலும் மாசுபடலும்	Madurai	26.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - புவி வெப்பமடைதல்	Madurai	27.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - ஓசோன் படலம்	Madurai	28.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - காற்று மாசுபடலும் அமில மழையும்	Madurai	29.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - கழிவுகள்	Madurai	30.10.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம் - சூழல் பாதுகாப்ப	Madurai	31.10.2015
3.	Dr. C. Sornamala , Assitant Professor	கண்டனென் கற்பினுக்கு அணியை (கம்பராமாயணம்)	Thoothukudi	9.11.2015
		இயற்கை இன்பம்	Madurai	23.11.2015
4.	Dr. S. Anburani , Assistant Professor	நவீன இலக்கியத்தில் விளிம்புநிலை மனிதர்கள்	Madurai	06.12.2015
5.	Dr. P. Loyola Juliet Mary , Assistant Professor	ஆக்கிரமிப்பு	Madurai	21.01.2016
		சுற்றுச்சூழலால் பாதிக்கப்படும் பெண்கள்	Madurai	22.01.2016

		சுற்றுச் சூழல் பாதுகாப்பில் பெண்கள்	Madurai	23.01.2016
		மறைந்துவரும் உயிரினங்கள்	Madurai	24.01.2016
		மறைந்துவரும் பறவைகள்	Madurai	25.01.2016
		சுற்றுச்சூழல் மாசை தவிர்ப்பதில் தனிநபரின் பங்கு	Madurai	26.01.2016
		இந்தியக் காடுகள்	Madurai	27.01.2016
		சுற்றுச்சூழல் பாதிப்பால் காலநிலை மாற்றம்	Madurai	28.01.2016
		மக்கள் பெருக்கமும் சுற்றுச்சூழலும்	Madurai	29.01.2016
		சுற்றுச்சூழலும் மனிதனும்	Madurai	30.01.2016
		மரங்கள்	Madurai	31.01.2016
6.	Dr. Pappa , Assistant Professor	இயற்கை இன்பம் (All India Radio & Hello FM)	Madurai	From 11.02.2016 to 20.02.2016

12. SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS/CONFERENCES/SYMPOSIUMS ORGANISED

❖ 36 programmes have been organised on campus

➤ International Level (3)

❖ 1 Seminar

❖ 1 Symposium (Interdisciplinary Symposium)

❖ 1 Conference (Interdisciplinary Conference)

➤ National Level (8)

❖ 3 National Seminars

❖ 4 National Conferences (1 Interdisciplinary Conference)

❖ **1 National Workshop**

➤ **State Level (5)**

❖ **2 Seminars**

❖ **1 Workshop**

❖ **1 Symposium**

❖ **1 Intercollegiate Technical Meet**

➤ **10 Workshops**

➤ **6 Intercollegiate Meets**

➤ **1 Training Programme**

➤ **2 Management Development Programmes**

➤ **1 Regional Level Seminar**

INTERNATIONAL LEVEL

SEMINAR

- The Zoology Association, Department of Zoology organised an International Seminar on “Transformation of UG Students to Great Scholars” on Feb. 25, 2016. Speaker: **Dr. Premkumar Albert**, Senior Researcher, Dept. of Ecology, Environment and Plant Sciences (Dept.), Stockholms Universitet, Stockholm. Sweden.

SYMPOSIUM (INTERDISCIPLINARY)

- The Department of Chemistry, Zoology and Home Science with Food Biotechnology jointly organised an International Symposium on “Emerging Trends on Biochem-Nutraceuticals” on Dec. 04, 2015. **Dr. Daniel R. Premkumar**, Research Assistant Professor, Department of Neurosurgery, University of Pittsburgh, PA 15201, USA, **Dr. Esther Pauline Jane**, Faculty, Department of Neurological Surgery, PRESB B400 Pittsburgh, USA, **Dr. Kalai Selvi**, Principal Scientist, CECRI, Karaikudi and **Dr. C. A. Kalpana**, Associate Professor, Department of Food Science and Nutrition, Avinashilingam Institute for Home Science and Higher Education for Women, Coimbatore were the Resource Persons.



CONFERENCE (INTERDISCIPLINARY)

- An International Conference on “Changing Urban Scenario: Challenges and Opportunities” was jointly organised by The Research Centre of Economics and Vergal (Roots), Madurai on Feb. 17, 2016. **Dr. K. K. John**, Professor in Corporate Economics, Saintgits College of Applied Sciences, Kottayam, Kerala delivered the Inaugural Address and **Dr. T. Nagarajan**, Faculty Mathematics and Social Sciences, ELP Coordinator (International Event) Dalton Academy, Peking University, IB and AP Program, Beijing, China delivered the Keynote Address.



NATIONAL LEVEL

NATIONAL SEMINARS

- The Department of Mathematics organised a One-day National Seminar on “Emerging Trends in Mathematics” on Dec. 22, 2015. **Dr. Pankaj Srivastava**, Department of Mathematics, Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology, Allahabad, India delivered the Keynote address.



- The Department of Mathematics (SF) organised a One-day National Seminar on “Challenges in Mathematics ” on Jan. 22, 2016. **Dr. S. Francis Raj**, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Pondicherry University, Pondicherry, **Dr. R. Kala**, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematics, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli, and **Dr. I. Sahul Hamid**, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, The Madura College, Madurai were the Resource Persons.



- The Department of Information Technology & The Department of Computer Applications organized a National Seminar on “Emerging Trends in Data Analysis & Animation” on Feb 19, 2016. **Mr. K. Rajkumar**, MS (CS), Project Manager, Accel Frontline, Bangalore and **Ms. B. Kavitha**, Branch Manager, SSL Education, Madurai were the Resource Persons.



NATIONAL CONFERENCES

- The Research Centre of English, the Department of Sociology and Social Work and Vergal (Roots), The Educational Trust, Madurai jointly organised a National Conference on “Contemporary Issues in Society: Socio-Literary Perspectives” on Sep. 18, 2015. **Mr. Vareethiah Konstantine**, a Writer was the Cheift Guest.



- The Department of Management Studies (MBA) organised a National Conference on “Indian World-Class Manufacturing – The Road Ahead” on Oct. 01, 2015. **Fr. Dr. Francis P Xavier SJ**, Director, Loyola - ICAM College of Engineering and Technology, Chennai delivered the Inaugural Address, **Prof. P. Saravanan**, Assistant Professor & Chairman – Finance

and Accounting Area, Indian Institute of Management, Shillong delivered the Special Address and **Mr. B. T. Bangera**, Managing Director, Hitech Arai Ltd., Madurai delivered the Keynote Address.



- The PG Department of Computer Applications (MCA) organised a National Conference on “Innovative Technologies and Advanced Computing (NCITAC’15)” on Sep. 11, 2015. **Mrs. Archana Rajesh**, Engagement Manager, Misys Financial Software Systems delivered the Inaugural Address.



- The PG Department of Information Technology organised a National Conference on “Integration of Technology & Organisational Strategies (NITOS’15)” on Aug. 21, 2015. **Mr. Annamalai Ramanathan**, Senior Manager- Systems Engg., Cisco Systems India Pvt. Ltd, Bangalore released the conference proceedings-CD and delivered the Keynote Address.



NATIONAL WORKSHOP

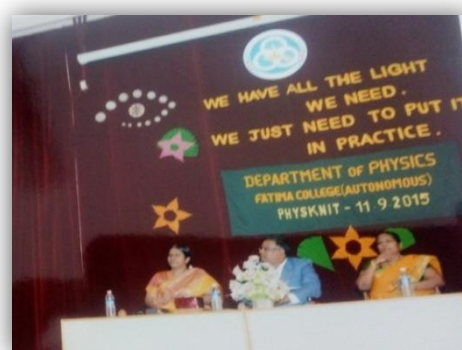
- The Department of English (SF) organised a National Workshop on “Recent Trends in English Language Teaching (ELT)” on Oct. 08, 2015. **Dr. Rajagopal**, Professor of English (Retd.), The English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad and **Dr. R. Senthilnathan**, Asst. Professor & Dy. Co-ordinator, UGC-SAP, Department of Educational Technology, Bharathidasan University were the Resource Persons.



STATE LEVEL

SEMINARS

- The Department of Physics organised a State Level Seminar PHYSKNIT-2K15: “Optic Fiber Communications” on Nov. 11, 2015. **Dr. P. Ramesh Babu**, Professor of Physics, Photonics, Nuclear and Medical Physics Division, School of Advanced Sciences, VIT University, Vellore delivered the Inaugural Address.



- The Research Centre of Commerce organised the Ruby Jubilee Seminar on “Career Carving Commerce Education” on Feb. 18, 2016. **Mr. Jayaprakash A. Gandhi**, Career Consultant and Analyst, Salem delivered the Keynote Address.



WORKSHOP

- The Department of Physics organised a State level Workshop on “Advanced Nanomaterials for Energy Applications” on Dec. 18, 2015. **Dr. P. Saravanan**, Senior Lecturer of Civil Engineering, University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia and **Dr. G. Gnanakumar**, Assistant Professor of Physical Chemistry, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai were the Resource Persons .



SYMPOSIUM

- The PG Department of Computer Applications (MCA) organised a State Level Technical Symposium “SIZZLERS’2K15” on Sep. 10, 2015. **Mr. Nirmal Raj**, Brick Steel Enterprises Ltd, Madurai delivered the Inaugural Address. 16 Colleges from all over the State took part in the symposium and Madurai **Sivakasi Nadar Pioneer Meenakshi College**, Poovanthi bagged the Overall Winners’ Sheild.



INTERCOLLEGIATE TECHNICAL MEET

- The Department of Computer Science organised a State Level Intercollegiate Technical Meet 'TECHMEET 2015-16' on Aug. 28, 2015. **Dr. G. Chandrasekaran**, Senior Professor & Director, Department of Computer Applications (MCA), Mepco Schlenk Engineering College, Sivakasi, delivered the Presidential Address.



WORKSHOPS

- The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and the Quality Circle jointly organised a One-day Workshop on "QUALITY CIRCLE – Need to Implement" on Dec. 12, 2015. **Mrs. Selvi Santhosham**, Head, Administration, TVS was the Resource Person.
- The Research Centre of Tamil organised a Workshop on "Nadagam Mozhithalum Velippadum (நாடகம் மொழிதலும் வெளிப்பாடும்)" on Aug. 29, 2015. **Dr. Francis Xavier**, Professor, Department of Tamil, St. Xaviers College, Tirunelveli was the Resource Person.



- The Department of Sociology and Social Work organised a Workshop on “Awareness and Prevention of Disability” on Dec. 03, 2015. **Ms. Angel Selvaraj**, Assistant Professor, Holy Cross College was the Resource Person.



- The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology organised a Workshop on “Fruits and Vegetables Preservation” on July 16, 2015. **Mr. M. Mariyappan**, Consultant, Food Processing Training Centre, Madurai was the Resource Person.

- The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology organised a Workshop on “Fabric Painting” on Aug. 28 & Sep. 07, 2015. **Mrs. Subashini**, Trainer, Fevicryl Fabric Colours, Madurai was the Resource Person.



- The Department of Business Administration (BBA) organised a One-day Workshop on “Life Skills For Effective Leadership” on Feb. 09, 2016. **Dr. S. Thiagarajan**, Head, Department of Economics, Sourashtra College, Madurai and **Mr. V. K. Boominathan**, Former Head, PG Department of Commerce, Bishop Heber College (Autonomous), Trichy were the Resource Persons.



- PG Department of Computer Applications (MCA) organized a Placement Workshop on “MAKE A MARK – AN EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS WORKSHOP” on Oct. 16, 2015. **Mr. K. Krishna Ganesh**, WHY, Chennai was the Resource Person.



- The PG Department of Information Technology organised a Placement Workshop on “Technology & Behavioural Transformation – Need for an Hour” on Sep. 29, 2015. **Mr. Sathyanath Premkumar**, Kalvi Institute Private Limited, Madurai and **Mr. Viswanathan Mahadevan**, Kalvi Institute Private Limited, Madurai were the Resource Persons.



- Department of Management Studies organized a One-day Placement Workshop on Oct. 15, 2015. **Mr. Selvaraj**, CEO, Jairekha industries, Mr. Prabakar, Divisional Manager, United India Assurance, and **Mrs. Meenakshi**, Assistant Professor, St. Terasa College, Thailand and **Mrs. Shalini Selvaraj**, Senior HR executive, TVS & Sons Co. were the Resource Persons.



- The Research Centre of Economics organised a Workshop on “Data Analysis Using E-Views” for Research Scholars on Jan. 22, 2016. **Dr. S. Pushparaj**, Assistant Professor, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai was the Resource Person.



INTERCOLLEGIATE

- The Department of Commerce with Computer Applications (B.Com. CA) organized an Intercollegiate Competition “TALENTRON’ 16” on Feb. 23, 2016. **Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary**, Principal delivered the Inaugural Address, **Sr. S. Francis Pauline**, Secretary felicitated and **Mrs. K. Mary Jacinta**, Vice Principal (SF), Fatima College delivered the Valedictory Address. Lady Doak College, Madurai won the overall shield.



- The Research Centre of English organised the Intercollegiate Meet ‘ORACLE 2015’ on Sep. 21, 2015. **Dr. D. Laura Dameris Chellajothi**, Assistant Professor of English, Bharathidasan University, Trichy delivered the Inaugural Address. The American College, Madurai won the Overall Shield.



- The Department of English (SF) organises the Intercollegiate Meet ‘PROVIDENTIA’ on Jan. 29, 2016. **Dr. X. John Paul**, Assistant Professor of English, School of Social Science and Languages, VIT, Vellore delivered a lecture on “Supernatural Elements in Literature”. The Thiagarajar College of Arts and Science, Madurai won the Overall Shield.

- The Department of French celebrated the French cultural Day on Feb. 25, 2016. **Mrs. Madame Audrey Simon**, Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, Fatima College, Madurai delivered a lecture on “French Culture”.
- The Department of Hindi organised the Hindi day, “Rangeela” on Feb. 25, 2016. **Dr. Srimathi Rohini Pandian**, Head, Department of Hindi, Sourashtra College delivered the inaugural address.



- The PG Department of Computer Applications organized an inter departmental technical meet ZEAL O FEST 2K16 on Mar. 09, 2016. The students of B.Com. with Computer Applications and B.Sc. (IT) were the overall winners and runners respectively.



TRAINING PROGRAMME

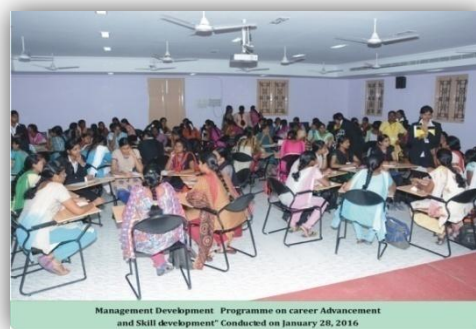
- The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology organised a Training on “Cushion Making” on July 17, 2015. Mrs. Suganya, Trainer, Vision Trust, Madurai was the Resource Person.

MANAGEMENT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES

- The Department of Management Studies organised the Management Development Programme on “Career Advancement and Skill Development” for 73 final year undergraduates from 5 different Colleges in Madurai on Jan. 23, 2016.



- The Department of Management Studies organised the Management Development Programme on “Career Advancement and Skill Development” for 90 final year undergraduates from Shift - II and 63 final year undergraduates from Shift - I of Fatima College on Jan. 28, 2016



REGIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR

- The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and The Quality Circle jointly organised a Seminar on “Avalanche in Higher Education” on Dec. 19, 2015. **Rev. Dr. C. Joe Arun S.J.**, St. Joseph’s Institute of Management (JIM), St. Joseph’s College (Autonomous), Tiruchirapalli and **Dr. F. R. Alexander Pravin Durai**, Dean, School of Management Studies, St. Joseph’s College (Autonomous), Tiruchirapalli were the Resource Persons.



GUEST LECTURES

Various Departments of the College organised **104** Guest Lectures.

MoU

The College has signed around **31 MoUs** with reputed Companies, Institutions, Hospitals and NGOs. During the academic year 2015 - 2016 the students have undergone Internships, Summer Internships and 'On-the-Job' Training as an outcome of the MoUs signed.

ENDOWMENT LECTURES/SEMINAR

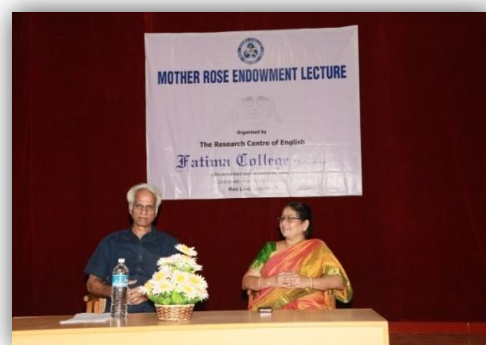
- ❖ The Department of Physics organised an Endowment Lecture on “Nanomaterials and Current Applications” delivered by **Dr. D. Mangalraj**, Emeritus Professor, Department of Nanoscience and Technology Bharathiar University, Coimbatore on Aug. 13, 2015.
- ❖ The Department of Mathematics organised **Rev. Sr. Marie Teresa Endowment Lecture** on “Some Interesting Problems in Algebra” delivered by **Dr. L. Benedict Michael Raj**, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematics, St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirappalli on Sep. 18, 2015.
- ❖ The Research Centre of Tamil organised **Dr. M. A. Susila & Dr. J. Fatima Endowment Lecture** on “சிற்பியும் நாமே சிற்பமும் நாமே” delivered by **Dr. G. Chandran**, PG Assistant, St. Mary's High School, Madurai, on Jan. 07, 2016.



- ❖ The Department of Mathematics organised **Dr. Mrs. A. Regina Mary Endowment Lecture** on “Role of Mathematics in Astronomy” delivered by **Mr. J. Xavier Adaikala Raj**, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematics, Arul Anandar College, Karumathur, Madurai on Jan. 19, 2016.



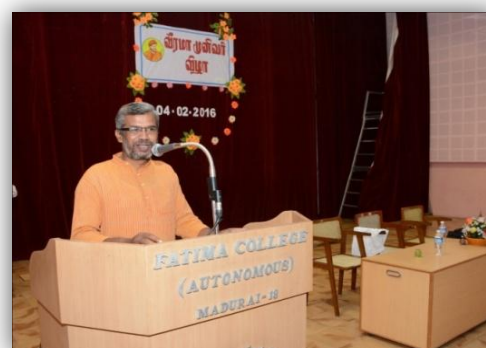
- ❖ The Research Centre of English organised the Mother Rose Endowment lecture on “New Criticism, Reader Response Theory and Postmodernism” delivered by **Dr. V. Rajagopalan**, Dean, S.S.K.V. College of Arts and Science for Women, Kanchipuram on Jan. 19, 2016.



- ❖ The Department of Zoology organised an Endowment Lecture on “Mechanism of Ageing” delivered by **Dr. S. Sudhakar**, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Biotechnology, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli on Jan. 25, 2016.



- ❖ The Research Centre of Tamil organised **Veeramamunivar and Journalism Endowment Seminar** on Feb. 04, 2016. **Fr. Dr Anbarasu**, HOD, Department of Tamil, Arulananthar College, Karumathur delivered a lecture on “தமிழ் இலக்கியங்களில் சேக சபையினரின் பங்களிப்பு” and **Mr. Sozha Nagarajan**, Sub Editor, Theekathir, Madurai delivered a lecture on “சமூக விழிப்புணர்வில் இதழியல் துறையின் பங்களிப்பு”.



- ❖ The Department of Computer Science organised the **Silver Jubilee Endowment Lecture** on “Data Structures and its Applications” delivered by **Dr. P. Shanmugavadivu**, Head and Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science and Applications, Gandhigram Rural Institute-Deemed University, Gandhigram on Feb. 10, 2016.



- ❖ The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology organised **Dr. Sr. P. A. Mary Endowment Lecture** on “Coping with Stress during Adolescence” delivered by **Dr. A. Suriakanthi**, Professor & Head, Department of Adult Continuing Education & Extension, Gandhigram Rural University, Gandhigram on Feb. 17, 2016.



- ❖ The Department of Chemistry organized **Ms. N. Shakunthala Endowment Lecture** on “Biomimetic Chemistry” delivered by **Dr. K. Pitchumani**, Former Senior Professor & Head, Dept. of Natural Products Chemistry and Director, Centre for Green Chemistry Processes, School of Chemistry, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai on Mar. 10, 2016.

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

Fatima College has adopted the healthy practice of identifying and nurturing the latent talents among students. The students are encouraged to participate in various cultural and academic events and competitions in and outside the college premises, enabling them to accomplish in the same. The following are their achievements:

- ❖ **A. Thenmozhi**, Ph.D. Tamil Scholar is receiving an amount of ` **12,000/-** per month from CICT as Research Grant for **Research Fellows** for the year 2015 - 2017.
- ❖ **Sr. J. Arul Sunila**, Ph.D. Tamil Scholar has received an amount of ` **5,45,000/-** from UGC towards **Maulana Azad National Fellowship** (UGC-Minority Fellowship) for the year 2015 - 2016.
- ❖ **PG Information Technology and III MCA Students** bagged the II Prize of **Hon'ble Chief Minister's Award** for Excellence in E-Governance for the Year 2015 – 2016 and won the Cash Award of ` **7500/-** for the project entitled, "Voice Pad Software Improvement".
- ❖ **20** students of **III MCA** have been certified by MICROSOFT TECHNICAL ASSOCIATE Certification, after the training on the online course "Application Development Frameworks" hosted by the PG Department of Computer Applications.
- ❖ **Best Cadet Award** of ` **3500/-** was given to Cdt **K. Madula** of III B.Sc. Home Science by NCC Commanding officer, 2 TN Girls Battalion, Madurai.
- ❖ 18 students participated and won a Cash Prize of ` **5000/-** for the 9 models on "Crowd Management in Madurai during Festivals", 'Hygiene and Sanitation during Monsoon', 'Mosquito Marquee and Dengue Prevention', 'Fire Safety Measures at Shopping Malls', 'Earthquake Preparedness-Structural Aspects of Buildings', 'Global Warming – CO2 Management', 'Man-Made Disasters-Removal of Oil Spills in Water and Rain Water Harvesting" exhibited in the Science Exhibition-cum-Competitions organised by Madurai Corporation under the aegis of GOL-UNDP climate risk Management Programme at Tamukkam Ground, Madurai on July 17, 2015.
- ❖ **Ms. B. Nandhini**, III B.A Sociology with C.A. and **Ms. M. Sivasankari**, II B.A Sociology with C.A. undertook a study on "Drug Addiction Among Youth" in Madurai organised by ROOTS an NGO on July 17, 2015.

- ❖ **R. Jeyaprabha**, II B.A. English won the Second prize and cash award of ` 250/- in the State Level Essay writing Competition organised by Nandhini Voice for the Deprived, Chennai on Aug. 03, 2015
- ❖ **11 students of III B.A. Tamil [P. Amudha, P. Backiya Lakshmi, G. Revathi, K. Sivashankari, P. Rosilda, C. Suriya, R. Rathna, A. Chitra, N. Velumathi, P. Pandesswari and P. Amudha] and T. Jenita**, III B.Sc. Chemistry received the **Oviya Kalaignan Award-2015** for participation in the District Level Drawing Competition on the 69th Independence Day organised by Kaviyarasar Kalai Tamil Sangam, Namakkal on Aug. 15, 2015.
- ❖ **M. Sivasankari, II B.A. Sociology** won the II prize in the District Level Speech Competitions organised by the LIC of India, Madurai on Sep. 04, 2015.
- ❖ **S. Akilandeshwari, I B.A. English** won the first prize and cash award of ` 2000/- in Sangam 4 cultural competitions organised by Pillar Centre, Madurai and Sangam 4, Chennai on Sep. 04, 2015.
- ❖ **B. Udaya, I MSW** published a research article titled, “A Field Study on Contemporary Issues in Indian Society – A Glimpse” in the ***ROOTS International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches***: a Peer Reviewed, Refereed and Quarterly Journal published by Vergal (ROOTS), The Educational Trust, Publication Division, Achampathu, Madurai in Oct. 2015, Vol. No: 2, special Issue No: 4, Contemporary Issues in Society: socio-literary perspectives, pg.82-83, ISSN: 2349-8684.
- ❖ **Lourdes Chremoline and Nithya Purna**, I MBA published an article titled, “Technology to Promote E-Business” in the Intercontinental Journal of Marketing Research Review, ISSN: 2321-0346, Online ISSN: 2347-1670, Print -Impact Factor: 0.882, Vol: 3, Issue: 10, Pp No: 275-281 on Oct. 2015 - Special Edition.
- ❖ **A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil** has been awarded the **Bharathi Yuva Kendra Award** for best participation in cultural activities by Bharathi Yuva Kendra Trust, Madurai on Oct. 15, 2015.
- ❖ **J. Kavya**, II B.Sc. Chemistry, NSS Volunteer attended a 10 – Day **Adventure Camp** at Dharmshala, Himachal Pradesh from Oct. 10 to 19, 2015.

- ❖ **K. Dhanalakshmi**, B.Sc. Mathematics (Shift II) won the I Prize in the 69th Independence Day Celebrations' State Level Intercollegiate Essay Writing Competition organised by Kaviyarasar Kalai Tamil Sangam, Paramathi Velur, Namakkal on Oct. 10, 2015.
- ❖ **M. Karthiga**, II B.Sc. Physics won the I Prize in Elocution Competition in The State Level Intercollegiate Competitions Commemorating the 85th Birthday of Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam organised by A. K. D. Dharmaraja Women's College, Rajapalayam on Oct. 10, 2015.
- ❖ The following students won prizes in the State Level Intercollegiate Literary and Cultural Competitions organised by Ramalingar Pani Mandram, Chennai on Aug. 29, 2015:

Speech Competition	S. Akilandeswari, I B.A. English	III Prize and Cash Award of ` 2000
Essay Writing Competition	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	III Prize and Cash Award of ` 2000

- ❖ The following students won prizes in the District Level "Intercollegiate Literary Competitions" conducted by Tamil Valarchi Kazhaham, Govt. of Tamil Nadu on Jan 27, 2016:

Speech Competition	S. Akilandeswari, I B.A. English	I Prize and Cash Award of ` 10,000/-
Essay Writing Competition	M. Karpagavalli, II M.A. Tamil	I Prize and Cash Award of ` 10,000/-

- ❖ **M. Karpagavalli**, II M.A. Tamil won the I prize in the Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam Memorial District level Essay Writing Competition organised by the office of the Joint Director of Collegiate Education, Madurai on Oct. 10, 2015.

- ❖ **M. Karthiga**, II B.Sc. Physics won the I Prize in The District Level Intercollegiate Bharathi Vizha Speech Competition organised by Madurai Kamban Kazhaham on Oct. 13, 2015.
- ❖ **V. Kaviya Jayalakshmi**, II MBA undertook a project on "HR Role in Organization Development & Employee Turnover" at VIRBAC Animal Health, Vietnam from Nov. 2015 to Dec. 2015.
- ❖ **S. Akilandeswari**, I B.A. English won the I Prize in the District Level Thirukural Speech Competition conducted by Madurai Thiruvalluvar Kazhaham, Madurai on Jan. 08, 2016.
- ❖ **Sr. J. Arul Sunila**, Ph.D. Tamil won the I Prize and Cash Award of ` 7,000/- in the State Level Research article presentation competition conducted by Don Bosco Higher Secondary School, Madurai on Jan. 19, 2016.
- ❖ The following students won prizes in The District Level “Bharathidasan Poetry Recitation Competitions” conducted by D.M.K. Illakiya Ani - Madurai Branch on July 07, 2015:

Poetry Recitation	D. M. Kamieni, II B.Sc. Mathematics (Shift II)	III Prize and Cash Award of ` 3000
	R. Jeya Pratha, II B.A. English	Consolation Prize and Cash Award of ` 1500
	M. Karthiga, II B.Sc. Physics	Consolation Prize and Cash Award of ` 1500

- ❖ **Yogalakshmi J & Lourdes Chremoline Fernando**, I MBA won the I Prize and the Cash Award of ` 1000/- in Idea Contest, Management Meet organised by Kongu Engineering College, Perungudi on Feb. 19, 2016.
- ❖ **K Divya, R. Subhashiney, Grysta Mercy & F. Lourdes Chremoline**, I MBA won the Cash Award of ` 1500/- in Business Plan Competitions, IGNITE 16-A National

Level Entrepreneurial Summit organised by St. Joseph's Institute of Management, Trichy on Feb. 27, 2016.

❖ The following **85** papers were presented by the students in various Institutions:

➤ **Department of Sociology with Computer Applications & Social Work**

✚ The following students presented papers in the National Conference on “Contemporary Issues in Society: Socio-Literary Perspectives” organised by the Research Centre of English, Department of Sociology and Social Work, Fatima College, and Vergal on Sep. 18, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
1.	B. Udhaya , I MSW	A Field Study on Contemporary Issues in Indian Society-A Glimpse
2.	R. M. Raja Jothi , I MSW	Alienation Among Women Domestic Employees

➤ **The Research Centre of English**

3. **K. Vidhya**, Ph.D. Scholar presented a paper on “Issues of Racial Identities and Stereotypes in Dianason’s Satellites” in the International Seminar organised by V.H.N.S.N College, Madurai on Sep. 4, 2015.
4. **Mrinalini**, **Ph.D.** Scholar presented a paper on “Ethnic Conflict in Chimamanda Ngozi Adiche’s *Purple Hibiscus* – A Socio-Literary Perspective” in the International Conference on Socio-Literary Perspectives organised by Roots and Fatima College, Madurai on Sep. 18, 2015.
5. **Anandha Vaishnavi S**, Ph.D. Scholar presented a paper on “Sensitivity towards Wilderness in Peter Christensen’s Select Poems” in the International Conference on Canadian Studies organised by St. Joseph’s College, Trichy on Feb. 01, 2016.
6. **Anandha Vaishnavi S**, Ph.D. Scholar presented a paper on “A Phenomenological View of Athol Fugad’s “Master Harold”... And The Boys” in the International Conference on English Language and Literature: Retrospect and Prospects organised by Bishop Heber College, Trichy on Feb. 04 & 05, 2016.

✚ The following students presented papers in the National Seminar on Mapping Literature with Culture and Society organised at N.M.S.S.V.N. College, Madurai on Jan. 09, 2016:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
7.	Priyadharsini G, I M.A English	Bapsi Sidhwa's <i>Pakistani Bride</i> : A Journey From Gender Oppression to Emancipation
8.	Esther Arockia Mary, I M.A English	Search for Ancestry in Sally Morgan's <i>My Place</i>

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he following students presented papers in the Students' Seminar on Indian Literature in English organised At V.H.N.S.N College, Virudhunagar on Feb. 24, 2016:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
9.	Priyadharsini. G, I M.A English	Reflections of Myth and Indianness in The Select Poems of Jayanta Mahapatra
10.	Esther Arockia Mary, I M.A English	Myth in Girish Karnad's <i>Hayavadana</i> and <i>Nagamandala</i> : A Comparative Study

➤ The Research Centre of Tamil

✚ The following students presented papers in the International Seminar on "Aaivu Kovai" organised by the All India University Tamil Teachers Association, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai on June 16, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
11.	P. Dhanalakshmi, Ph.D. Scholar	பெண்ணிய நோக்கில் நாடகங்கள்
12.	A. Thenmozhi, Ph.D. Scholar	கம்பராமாயணத்தில் போர்
13.	S. Elakiya, Ph.D. Scholar	தொல்காப்பிய இரப்புச் சொற்களின் விதியாக்கமும் அதிகாரக் கட்டமைப்பும்

✚ The following students presented papers in the International Seminar on "Thamilar Valviyal Marabum Matramum" organised by Semmuthai

Pathippagam & Dept. of Tamil, K.S.G. Arts & Science College, Kovai on Dec. 26, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
14.	P. Dhanalakshmi, Ph.D. Scholar	தலித்தியப் பார்வையில் நாடகங்கள்
15.	S. Elakiya, Ph.D. Scholar	கால்டுவெல்லின் மொழியாய்வும் மொழி தேசிய உருவாக்கமும்
16.		இலக்கணப் பிரதி மரபும் மாற்றமும்
17.	G. Santhi, Ph.D. Scholar	தமிழர் பண்பாட்டில் நம்பிக்கை மரபு
18.	A. Merinaruby, Ph.D. Scholar	குறுந்தொகை உணர்த்தும் வாழ்வியல் நெறி
19.	S. K. Maragtham, Ph.D. Scholar	வளையாபதி காப்பியம் காட்டும் வணிகரின் வாழ்வியல்
20.	A. Thenmozhi, Ph.D. Scholar	நடுகல்
21.		சங்கம் நாவல் காட்டும் மலைவாழ் மக்கள்

✚ The following students presented papers in the International Seminar on Thoothu Ilakkiyangal organised by Ulaga Tamil Kalvi Iyakkam (cyf jkpo; fy;tp), Thamizhoor, Tirunelveli on Dec. 27, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
22.	P. Dhanalakshmi, Ph.D. Scholar	தூது இலக்கியத்தின் வித்தும் விழுதுகளும்
23.	S. Elakiya, Ph.D. Scholar	“தந்திவிடு தூது சித்தரிக்கும் சமுதாயமும் எதார்த்தவியல் நடைமுறையும்”
24.	G. Santhi, Ph.D. Scholar	சமூக நோக்கில் விறலி விடு தூது

✚ The following students presented papers in the National Seminar on Tamil Kiriththuva Ilakkiyankalil Iyarkai (jkpo; fpUj;Jt ,yf;fpaq;fspy; ,aw;if), organised by Holy Cross College, Trichy on Jan. 21, 2016:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
25.	Sr. J. Arul Sunila, Ph.D. Scholar	தேம்பாவணியில் இயற்கை
26.	S. Elakiya, Ph.D. Scholar	இயேசு காவியத்தில் இறைமாட்சியும் இயற்கைப் புனைவும்
27.	S. Salome Rajaregam, Ph.D. Scholar	அருள்நிறை மரியம்மை காவியத்தில் இயற்கை

28. **S. Elakiya**, Ph.D, Scholar presented a paper on “கம்பரின் தத்துவக் குறியீடும் அற தரிசனமும்” in the National Seminar on Tamizhiyal Aaivu organised by Siddhar Tamil Aaivu Mandram, Dhannammal Kalvi Arakkattalai, Sivagangai Dist. on Jan. 30, 2016.

29. **A. Thenmozhi**, Ph.D. Scholar presented a paper on “சங்கம் நாவல் காட்டும் மலைவாழ் மக்கள்” in the தென்பாண்டிநாட்டுப் படைப்பாளர்களின் சமூகச் சிந்தனைகள் organised by Semmuthai Pathippagam & Dept of Tamil, K.S.G. Arts & Science College, Kovai on Dec. 26, 2015.

30. **G. Revathi**, III B.A. Tamil presented a paper on “தேம்பாவணியில் உவமை” in an Endowment Seminar on Veeramamunivar organised by The Research Centre of Tamil, Fatima College, Madurai on Feb. 02, 2016.

➤ **Department of Physics**

31. **A. Anne Michael Divya**, II B.Sc. Physics presented a paper on “Lithium Ion Conducting Membrane Based on Biopolymer-Tamarind Seed Polysaccharides” in the International Conference on ‘Functional Material and Devices organised by University of Malaya, Malaysia from Aug. 04 to 06, 2015.

🌈 The following students presented posters in the International Conference on “Electrochemical Science and Technology” organised by IISc Bangalore from Aug. 07 to 09, 2015.

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
32.	M. Jesintha Leema Rose, II	Study of Proton Conducting Polymer

	M.Sc. Physics	
33.	M. B. Srividhya, II M.Sc. Physics	Lithium Ion Conduction in Triblock Polymer
34.	M. Tamilarasi, II M.Sc. Physics	Characterisation of PVAC-PMMA of Lithium Triflate
35.	T. Leoni Rose, II M.Sc. Physics	Lithium Ion Conduction in PVAC-PMMA Blend Polymer Electrolyte

36. Nivetha & R. Pandiselvi, II B.Sc. Physics presented a paper on “Spions as Photo Acoustic Contrast Agents” in the National Seminar on “Ultrasonics” organised by Mannar Thirumalai Nayakar College, Madurai on July 24, 2015.

37. D. Sophia, II M.Sc. Physics presented a paper on “Synthesis and Characterisation of CoFe_2O_4 ” in the National Conference on ‘Smart Materials’-NCSM 2016 organised by PG & Research Department of Physics & Chemistry on Feb. 23 & 24, 2016.

➤ **Department of Chemistry**

38. R. Gayathri, III B.Sc. Chemistry won II Prize for a paper presented on “Medicinal Chemistry” in the International Seminar on Corrosion organised by Sacred Heart College, Dindigul on Oct. 20, 2015.

🌈 The following students won prizes in presenting papers in the State Level Seminar on “Expanding Frontier in Chemistry” organised by Arul Anandhar College, Madurai on Sep 06, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper	Prize
39.	V. Priyadarshini, I M.Sc. Chemistry	Role of Ionic Liquids in the Organic Synthesis	II Prize
40.	J. Kaviya, II B.Sc. Chemistry	Dendrimers	II Prize

➤ **The Research Centre of Commerce**

41. **C. Santhiya**, I M.Com. Computer Applications presented a paper on “Mobile Computing” in the National Conference of Innovative Technologies & Advanced Computing- NCITAC’15 organised by the PG Department of Computer Applications, Fatima College, Madurai on Sep. 11, 2015.

✚ The following students presented papers in the International Seminar organised by Jeyaraj Annapackiam College, Periyakulam on Dec. 15, 2015:


No.	Name	Title of The Paper
42.	R. T. Abinaya, M.Phil. Scholar J. Jhali, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Job Satisfaction Among Logistics Workers in Madurai City
43.	P. Amali Fathima, M.Phil. Scholar A. Sharmila, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Organic Food Products in Madurai City.
44.	S. Deivanai, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Preference Towards Smart Phones.
45.	C. Aishwarya, M.Phil. Scholar S. Reshma, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Online Retailing in Madurai City.
46.	V. Malar, M.Phil. Scholar M. Varshini, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Perception Towards Eco Friendly Products in Madurai.
47.	N. Sahayavani, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Recent Trends in Logistics and Job Satisfaction Among Drivers in Madurai City.
48.	S. Lavanya, M.Phil. Scholar T. Vijaya Lakshmi, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Behavior Towards Retailing in Madurai City.

✚ The following students presented papers in the National Seminar organised at Sri Kaleeswari College, Sivakasi on Dec. 17, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
49.	R. T. Abinaya, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Online Retailing in Madurai city.
50.	C. Aishwarya, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Perception & Insights

	T. Vijaya Lakshmi, M.Phil. Scholar	Towards Four Wheelers in Madurai city.
51.	S. Deivanai, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Brand Preference Towards Smart Phones.
52.	J. Jhali, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Preference Towards Organized & Unorganized Sectors in Retailing in Madurai.
53.	S. Lavanya, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Attitude Towards Online Retailing in Madurai City.
54.	V. Malar, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Consumer Preference Towards Organized Retail Sector in Madurai City.
55.	N. Sahayavani, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Job Satisfaction Among Logistics Workers in Madurai City.
56.	A. Sharmila, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Brand Preference Towards Electronic Gadgets in Madurai City.
57.	M. Varshini, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Preference Towards Online Shopping among College Students in Madurai City.
58.	P. Amali Fathima, M.Phil. Scholar	A Study on Online Shopping in Madurai City.

59. **C. Santhiya & B. Indhumathi**, I M.Com. with Computer Applications presented a paper on “Cloud Computing” in the National Conference on “Innovations in Big Data Search Mining and Management” organised by the Department of Information Technology and Management, Arul Anandar College, Karumathur on Feb 26, 2016.

 The following students presented papers in the State Level Workshop organised by the Department of Economics, Arul Anandar College, Madurai on Sep. 28, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
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60.	K. Saranya, Ph.D. Scholar D. Anusankari, Ph.D. Scholar P. Ruby Leela, Ph.D. Scholar S. Maria Nisha, Ph.D. Scholar R. Keerthiga, Ph.D. Scholar P. Dhivya, Ph.D. Scholar	Data analysis for Social Science
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➤ **Department of Commerce with Computer Applications (B.Com. with CA)**

✚ The following students presented papers in the Symposium “Sizzlers’2K15” organised by the Department of MCA, Fatima College, Madurai on Sep. 10, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
61.	N. Swathi, III B.Com with Computer Applications, Sec 'A'	Artificial Intelligence
62.	Nivedha Nathan, III B.Com with Computer Applications, Sec 'A'	How to Prevent the Unauthorized Access?

➤ **Department of Computer Applications (B.C.A.)**

✚ The following students presented papers in the National Conference on “Technology and Organizational Strategies” conducted by the PG Department of IT, Fatima College, Madurai on Aug. 21, 2015.

No.	Name	Title of The Paper	Prize
63.	N. T. Lavanya & M. Ananthi, III BCA	Big Data & Hadoop	I Prize
64.	D. Sangeetha & B. Gayathri, III BCA	Cloud Computing	II Prize

65. **T. Pramila, V. Roselin Sofia & A. Vasanthi**, II BCA won the Best Paper Presentation Award for the paper, “Bionic Eye” presented in the National Conference on “Innovative Technologies and Advanced Computing” organised by the PG Department of Computer Applications, Fatima College, Madurai on Nov. 22, 2015.

✚ The following students presented papers in the National Seminar on “Emerging Trends in Data Analysis & Animation” organized by UG Department of Information Technology and the UG Department of Computer Applications, Fatima College, Madurai on Feb 19, 2016.

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
66.	V. Padmasri & R. Pavithra Devi, I BCA	Wireless Communication
67.	Surya & Mounika, II BCA	Wireless Communication
68.	Roslin Sofia, II BCA	Internet of things
69.	Jackulin & Isrealin, II BCA	Cyber Security
70.	Poornima & Jeya Priskilla, II BCA	Bio Metrics
71.	Vasanthi, II BCA	Li Fi Technology
72.	S. Priyanka & B. Keerthana, II BCA	Network Security
73.	Anupriya & Rachael Leon, II BCA	Biometrics
74.	Jeno Magdalene, II BCA	Cyber Security
75.	Pandipriya & Shamili, II BCA	Mobile computing
76.	Ruby Clara, II BCA	Wi-Fi Technology
Paper Presentation Award Winners		
77.	T. Monika Rajalakshmi, I BCA	Cyber crime and its preventive Measures.
78.	V. Supriya Krishnathi, M. Shalene, II BCA	Biometrics
79.	S. Sri Ranjani, V. Punithapriya, III BCA	Cyber Crime

➤ **Department of Information Technology (B.Sc. IT)**

80. **J. H. Nivetha & Shruthilaya**, III B.Sc. IT presented a paper on “Big Data and Analytics” in the National Conference on “Integration of Technology & Organisational Strategies (NITOS’15)” organised by the PG Department of IT, Fatima College on Aug. 21, 2015.

81. **S. Shanmugambica & M. B. Deepika**, III B.Sc. IT students won I Prize for presented paper on “Overview of Visualization” in the National Seminar on “Emerging Trends in Data Analysis & Animation “organized by the UG Department of Information Technology and the UG Department of Computer Applications, Fatima College, Madurai on Feb 19, 2016.

✚ The following students of III B.Sc. IT presented papers in the National Conference on Innovative Technologies and Advanced Computing organised by the Department of Computer Applications (MCA) on Sep. 11, 2015.

No.	Name	Title of The Paper	Prize
82.	Sneha	Advances and Issues Emerging in Biometrics	I Prize
83.	S. Shanmugambica, M. Deepika & M. B. Deepika	An Overview of Virtualization	I Prize

➤ **Department of Computer Applications (M.C.A.)**

✚ The following students presented papers in the 4th Innovative Technologies organised by Thiagarajar College of Arts & Science, Madurai on Sep. 21, 2015:

No.	Name	Title of The Paper
84.	I. Kalaivani & K. Savitha, II MCA	Cryptanalysis
85.	J, Sebastiny Christy Rubala & S. R. Sayada Lubna Musarat, II MCA	Cryptocat

❖ The College won the **Overall Shield** in the National Level Cultural Meet, Genesis 2016 conducted by Nehru College of Management, Coimbatore on Feb. 12, 2016.

Facial Painting	1. V. Raghavi &	I Prize
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	2. S. Shanmugambica, III B.Sc. IT	
Web Designing	1. R. Priyadharshini & 2. J. Ruby Clara, III BCA	III Prize

❖ The College won the **Overall Shield** in the State Level Intercollegiate Competitions commemorating **113 Kamarajar Birthday Celebrations-2015** organized by N.M.S.S.V.N. College, Madurai on July 10, 2015. The following students won prizes:

Poetry Writing	D. M. Kamieni, II B.Sc. Mathematics (Shift II)	I Prize
Project	G. Sujana, III B.A. English	I Prize
Ivergal Sannthithal	1. P. Iswarya & 2. S. A. Kowsalya, III. B.Com. Computer Applications (Shift II)	I Prize
Group Song	1. P. Sharmila & 2. P. Bernica, II B.Sc. Chemistry 3. A. Catherine & 4. S. A. Asha Fatima, II B.A. English 5. A. Vaideeshwari, III B.A. English (Shift II)	I Prize
Model Making	1. S. O. Susitha & 2. U. R. Mathivadani, III B.A. English	I Prize
Quiz	1. M. Anisha & 2. M. Chitra, II B.A. English (Shift II)	II Prize
Villupattu	1. P. Amaravathy, 2. S. Hemamalini, 3. M. Karupammal & 4. M. Mounica, II B.A. Tamil 5. P. Shemthi, III B.A. Tamil	II Prize
Rangoli	1. S. Swathi & 2. R. Kumutha Valli, III B.Sc. IT (Shift II)	III Prize

❖ The following students from the Department of Computer Science participated & won the **Overall Shield** in the Intercollegiate Competition organized by N.M.S.S. Vellaichamy Nadar College, Madurai on Sep 09, 2015:

Software Development	R. Srilakshmi, II B.Sc. Computer Science	I Prize
Quiz	T. S. Sharmili & K. S. Vishwasri, III B.Sc. Computer Science	II Prize
Poster Presentation	M. Dimple, II B. Com with CA, Sec 'A'	III Prize
Paper Presentation	K. T. Keerthana & J. Santhana Shiny, III B.Sc. Computer Science	III Prize
As you like it	G. Priyadharshini B. Germen Sylvia, M. Clareena, K. Swathiga, R. Kiruthika & S. K. Janci, III B.Sc. Computer Science	III Prize

❖ The following students of II B.Sc. Physics won the **Overall Shield** in **FESTOPHYS'16** conducted by Gandhigram Rural University, Dindugal on Feb. 02, 2016:

Minute To Win	J. Sherin,	I Prize
Shadow of Physics	A. Catherine Chitra, Sangeetha Priya, Vaishnavi, S. Brindha, M. Karthiga, & R. Meera	I Prize
Paper Presentation	R. Meera Naachiyar	II Prize

Model Display	K. Ramaya, & V. Rajeshwari	III Prize
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❖ The following students won the **Overall Shield** in the Intercollegiate Competitions organised by Tamil Nadu Theological Society, Madurai on Feb. 11, 2016:

Essay Writing	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize
Mime	S. Saranya & S. Angelin, I.B.A English (Shift II) M. Janani, L. Nithya, S. Anu Revathy & M. Deva Rani, II.B.A English (Shift II) M. Letriciya Roselin & S. Divya Priyadharshini, III.B.A English (Shift II)	II Prize
Singing	S. A. Asha Fatima, II.B.A English	II Prize
Verse Writing	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize
	K. Sobitha, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize

❖ Fatimites won The **Overall Runners' Shield** in the State Level Intercollegiate Cultural Competitions - Crossroads`15 organised by Penniel Rural College of Education, Parali, Dindigul District on Dec. 11, 2015.

Rangoli	1. S. Rajmeena & 2. S. Nivetha, II B.Sc. Mathematics (Shift II)	I Prize
Mime	1. S. Anu Revathy, 2. L. Nithya, 3. M. Devarani & 4. M. Janani, II B.A. English (Shift II)	II Prize

	5. S. Saranya & 6. S. Angelin, I B.A. English (Shift II)	
Maathi Yosi	M. Priyadharshini, III B. Com with Computer Applications, Sec 'B'	II Prize
Dance	M. Priyadharshini, III B. Com with Computer Applications, Sec 'B' R. Divya, II B. Com with Computer Applications, Sec 'A'	II Prize
Folk Dance	S. Vijayadharshini, II BCA	II Prize

❖ Fatima College won the **Overall Runners' Shield** in the State Level Intercollegiate Cultural Competitions - Ival`16 organised by Lady Doak College, Madurai on Jan 09, 2016.

Sarigama (Group Singing)	1. R. Nancy Sylvia & 2. M. Soniya, II B.Com. Computer Applications (Shift II) 3. R. Dhivya Priyadharshini & 4. X. Brashilla, III B.A. English (Shift II) 5. M. Joe Mercy, 6. S. Aarthi Sara & 7. T. Preethi, II B.A. English (Shift II)	I Prize
Essay Writing Competition	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize
Multitasking	S. Akilandeswari, I B.A. English	I Prize
Pen it Up (Essay Writing)	Richa Jenifer Hapadgara, II B.A. Sociology with Computer Applications	II Prize
Elocution Tamil	S. Akilandeswari, I B.A. English	II Prize

Review Writing	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize
Mono Act	M. Sivasankari, II B.A. Sociology with Computer Applications	II Prize
Ennangal Ezhuthuvom	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize
Face painting	1. N. Shajita Parveen & 2. R. S. Sugashini, III B.A. English (Shift II)	III Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in various competitions:

Ad-Act	C. Swathi, III B. Com with CA, Sec 'A'	I Prize	Sivakasi Nadar College	20.06.2015
Dance				
Speech	S.A. Kowsalya & P. Ishwarya, III B. Com. with CA, Sec' A'	I Prize	S. Vellaichamy Nadar College	26.06.2015
Paper Presentation	N. Annie Pearlyn & K. Swathiga, II B.Sc. Computer Science	II Prize	Gandhigram Rural Institute –Deemed University, Gandhigram	08.07.2015
Elocution	S. Vishnupriya, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize	The Institute of Social Science, Madurai	22.07.2015
Essay Writing - Tamil	A. Nagajothi, II M.A. Tamil	I Prize	Thiagarajar College of Arts & Science, Madurai	29.07.2015
	R. Gayathiri, II B.A. Tamil	III Prize		
Bread Fest	III UG Students (Home Science)	II Prize	MADITSSIA	17 & 18.08.2015
Quiz	Ishwarya. B & Priyadharshini. G, I M.A. English	II Prize	Travel Club, Madurai	27.09.2015
	A. Daisymary & K. Adhilakshmi, II M.A. Tamil	I Prize	Sri Krishnasamy Arts & Science College, Sattur	04.09.2015

Paper Presentation	S. Ashika Thasleem, III B.Sc. Zoology	II Prize	Department of Zoology, Thiagarajar College, Madurai	11.09.2015
Mime	S. Vishnupriya & A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize	Sri Krishnasamy Arts & Science College, Sattur	04.09.2015
Elocution	S. Vishnupriya, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize		
Essay Writing - Tamil	M. Karpagavalli, II M.A. Tamil	I Prize	Dept. of Gandhian Studies & Ramalinga Philosophy, Madurai Kamarajar University, Madurai	05.10.2015
			JDCE, Madurai	15.10.2015
Elocution	S. Vishnupriya, II.B.A. Tamil	III Prize	American College, Madurai	15.10.2015

❖ The following students won prizes in the State Level “Intercollegiate Oratorical and Essay Competitions” conducted by The Indian Society of Criminology - Madurai Branch on July 22, 2015:

Oratorical - English	V. Roshini, III B.A. English	I Prize
Oratorical - Tamil	S. Vishnu Priya, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize
Essay Writing - English	M.A. Sugaragavi, III B.A. English	I Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in the District Level “Intercollegiate Essay Competitions” conducted by Thiagarajar College Staff Association on July 29, 2015:

Essay Writing	A. Naga Jothi, II M.A. Tamil	I Prize
	R. Gayathri, II B.A. Tamil	III Prize

- ❖ The following students won prizes in the District Level “Intercollegiate Competitions” conducted by the Divine Life Society, Madurai on Aug. 20, 2015:

Verse Writing	S. Manosini, II M.A. English	I Prize
Essay Writing	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize
Recitation	M. Chitra, II B.A. English	III Prize

- ❖ V. Agnes Veronica, III BCA won the I prize in Front Page Magazine Contest at the National Conference on “Technology and Organizational Strategies” conducted at the PG Department of IT, Fatima College, Madurai on Aug. 21, 2015.

- ❖ The following students won prizes in the National Level Seminar & Exhibition on “Nuclear Energy” sponsored by The Kudankulam Nuclear Power Project (KKNPP, Govt. of India), and jointly organized by Vickram College of Engineering and Technology, Ennathi and the Entrepreneurship Development Cell of Anna University Regional Office, Madurai on Aug. 20 & 21, 2015:

Quiz	J. Sherin & M. Vidhya, II B.Sc. Physics	I Prize
Poetry Reading- English	S. Angelin Sofia, I B.Sc. Mathematics	I Prize
	G. Sujana, III B.A. English	II Prize
Skit	S. Felci Selestina, M. Maheswari, P. Pricilla Sunsika, V. Rajeshwari & R. Pranshanthi, III B.Sc. Computer Science	I Prize
Poster Presentation	A. Anitha Kumari, II B.A. Economics M. Dimple, II B.Com. with Computer Applications (Shift II)	III Prize
Tamil Poetry	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize

❖ **V. Mary Kamala Priya, J. Lourdes Jenifer, R. Mageshwari, Jensy & Vigneshwari. K,** II M.Sc. (CS & IT) students won the II prize in Mime at the Intercollegiate Competitions conducted by the ANJA College, Sivakasi on Sep. 11, 2015.

❖ The following students won prizes in the **IT Galaxy'15** conducted by Jeyaraj Annapackiyam College for Women, Periyakulam on Sep. 15, 2015:

Quiz	M. Aruna & S. Santhi, III MCA	I Prize
Paper Presentation	R.G. Sobitha, III MCA	I Prize
Just a Minute	R.G. Sobitha, III MCA	I Prize
Rangoli	M. Aruna, III MCA	II Prize
	B. Madhubala, III MCA	II Prize

❖ The following students won prizes Intercollegiate Competitions 2015 conducted by the Lady Doak College, Madurai on 18.09.2015:

Ad-act	T. Priyanka, G. Saranya Devi, Ishwariya, & A. Nandhini, II M.Sc. (IT & M)	I Prize
Quiz	P. Kanipriya, II M.Sc. (IT & M)	II Prize
E-waste	Ishwariya, II M.Sc. (IT & M)	III Prize

❖ The following students from the Research Centre of Tamil and the Research Center of English received Swami Vivekanandar Award from Bharathi Yuvakendra, Madurai on Oct 04, 2015:

Best Achiever in Education	R. Arul Arasi, F. Sagaya Mary & K. Anusuya, I M.A. Tamil & P. Amudha, II B.A. Tamil
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Best Singer	R. Rathna, III B.A. Tamil
Best Dramatist	A. Chitra & G. Revathi, II B.A. Tamil
Best All Rounder	S. Keerthana, II M.A. English

❖ **A. Angel Rani & A. Anitha Pandi**, I M.A. History and **S. Bhuvaneswari**, II B. A History won the II prize in the Quiz competition conducted by the DHAN Foundation, Madurai on Nov 11, 2015:

❖ The following students won prizes at the **Intercollegiate Literary Competitions** organised by St. Xavier's College, Palayamkottai, on Dec. 17, 2015:

Poetry Recitation	Mohammed Fazila Fathima F, I B.A English	II Prize
Talentia	Oviya Subalakshmi.G, II B.A English	II Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in Tamil Charam conducted by ANJA College, Sivakasi on Jan. 28, 2016:

Verse Writing	S. Dhivya, II B.A.Tamil	I Prize
Elocution	S. Vishnupriya, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize
Drama	B. Amarapathi, M. Karupppammal, K. Sobitha, M. Nivetha, S. Hemamalini & P. Kowsika Dev, II B.A. Tamil	III Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in the Intercollegiate Competitions organised by Madurai Kamban Kazhaham Arakattalai on Feb. 09, 2016:

Singing	M. Rubavahini, II B.Com.	I Prize
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Speech Competition	M. Sivashankari, II B.A. Sociology with Computer Applications	II Prize
Essay Competition	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in the Intercollegiate Competitions for Library Week Celebrations organised by NMS Vellaichamy Nadar College, Madurai on Feb. 11, 2016:

Elocution	S. Akilandeshwari, I B.A. English	I Prize
	S. Pavithra , I B.Sc. Computer Science	II Prize
	M. Sivashankari, II B.A. Sociology with Computer Applications	III Prize
	M. Karthiga, II B.Sc. Physics	III Prize
Read & Review	M. Sivashankari, II B.A. Sociology with Computer Applications	I Prize
	R. Keerthiga, II B.A. Sociology with Computer Applications	III Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in Inter collegiate competitions conducted by the Tamil Nadu Theological Society, Arasaradi, Madurai on 11.02.2016:

Verse Writing	A. Birthous Banu &	I Prize
	K. Sobitha, II B.A. Tamil	II Prize
Essay Writing	A. Birthous Banu, II B.A. Tamil	I Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in MOTO'16 conducted by VHNSN College on Feb. 16, 2016:

Bridal Makeup	Swarnalatha, Tamil Arasi, I MBA	I Prize
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As You Like IT	Soundarya R M, Archana K, Sr. Stella M.P, Preethiswini T J, Grysta Mercy, I MBA	I Prize
Mehandi	Swarnalatha, Raja Rajeswari, I MBA	I Prize
Face Painting	Meeralakshmi, Satvishree, I MBA	II Prize
B-quiz	Dhivya, Raja Rajeswari, I MBA	II Prize

❖ The following students won prizes in the 10th National Management Day conducted by Madurai Management Association on Feb. 20, 2016:

Just A Minute	R. Niveda, I MBA	1 Prize
	M. Nithya Purna, I MBA	II Prize
For organising 10 th National Management day	M. Nithya Purna & Preethi, I MBA	Cash Award of `. 250 each

❖ S. Vishnu Priya, II B.A. Tamil won the II prize in the Women's Day - Elocution competition conducted by the Dinamalar, Madurai on 20.02.2016:

HIGHLIGHTS OF STUDENTS' UNION

The Students' Union organises Inter-Collegiate cultural competitions annually.

Springs 2K15

An Intercollegiate Cultural Fest, "Springs 2K15" was organised on Aug. 22, 2015. **Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary**, Principal presided over the Inaugural. **Rev. Jegath Gaspar Raj** the founder of Tamil Mayam, Chennai was the Guest of Honour for the Valedictory.

- 🦋 Participants from 14 colleges in Tamil Nadu took part in 15 cultural events.
- 🦋 V.V.V. College, Virudhunagar won the Overall Shield.
- 🦋 The title Ms. Springs was won by Jeyaraj Annapackiam College, Periyakulam



Fine Arts

The Inter-Departmental Competitions on "**Dream Big**" conducted on Nov. 27 & 28, 2015 in memory of the Great Dreamer, **Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam** not only helped the students tap their innate potentials but also enabled them unravel their dreams for future. The UG & PG students of the Research Centre of English were the Overall Winners.



CELEBRATION OF SPECIAL DAYS / EVENTS

🦋 WORLD BREASTFEEDING WEEK

The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology celebrated the World Breastfeeding Week on Aug. 07, 2015. **Dr. Priscilla Gunasekaran**, Gynaecologist & Obstetrician, Aroma Hospital, Madurai delivered a Special Lecture on “Breastfeeding is the Best Feeding”



🦋 WORLD FOOD DAY

The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology celebrated “World Food Day” by organizing various activities. Stalls on Nutritious Foods, Beauty Tips, Brain Foods, Ideal Body Weight (IBW) Checkup were put up to create awareness on health and well being among Fatimites.



🦋 INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

The International Yoga Day was celebrated on June 21, 2015. Mass Yoga was demonstrated.



🦋 WORLD POPULATION DAY

The Department of Sociology and Social Work observed World Population Day on July 10, 2015. The students performed street plays on campus and also in nearby villages of Paravai, Samayanallur, Sollavanthan, Thiruvédagam and Kallikudi.

🦋 INTERNATIONAL DAY OF ELDERLY

The Department of Sociology and Social Work observed the International Day of Elderly and conducted a Signature Campaign in the college and in the nearby villages such as Thirumalnatham, Rayapuram, Rishabam and Nagari on Oct. 01, 2015.

🦋 WORLD CANCER DAY

The college in collaboration with Devaki Hospital, Madurai conducted an awareness programme on “Breast Cancer” to commemorate the World Cancer Day on Feb. 4, 2016. **Dr. Devaki M.D.**, Devaki Hospital and **Dr. N. Rajaram**, Oncologist, addressed the NSS Volunteers.



🦋 INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

The International Women's Day was celebrated in collaboration with Dinamalar on Mar. 08, 2016. **Kavingar. Dr. Tamizhachi Thangapandiyan** and **Dr. Hemalekha**, Consultant Obstetrician, Gynaecologist & Laparoscopic Surgeon, Apollo Speciality Hospitals, Madurai were the Chief Guests.



🦋 INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY

The International day of people with disability was organised by NSS on Dec. 03, 2015. **Mr. A. Jeyapaul**, Coordinator of Bethshan School for Special Children addressed the NSS volunteers.



🦋 NATIONAL NUTRITION WEEK

The Department of Human Nutrition and Nutraceuticals organised an intercollegiate Nutrition Fest – NUTRIFEST 2015: “Better Nutrition: Key to Development” on Sep. 16, 2015 to mark the National Week of Nutrition. **Mrs. Kavitha Pagalo**, Entrepreneur delivered the Valedictory Address.



🦋 NATIONAL VOTERS' DAY

The College celebrated the National Voters' Day on Jan. 25, 2016. **Dr. Pappa**, Assistant Professor, Tamil Department educated the students on the significance of electoral rights. Tracing the History of Indian Election Commission she also provided them with tips on the process of election and underscored the need to vote.



- **Voters' Enrolment:** Students were informed about universal franchise , their voting rights and were encouraged to enlist themselves in the voters list so as to enable them to exercise their rights. Under the guidance of the principal and with the help from part V students and staff many students enlisted themselves. The students from the suburban areas and rural areas were instructed to get themselves enlisted in their respective localities. The mission was accomplished within the scheduled time.
- 20 students have volunteered for Election Day Duty of Video Graphing the polling process in polling booths

🦋 RAMANUJAN'S DAY

The Department of Mathematics (SF) celebrated “Ramanujan Day” on Dec. 15, 2015. **Dr. S. Arumugam**, Senior professor (Research) & Dean (R&D), Kalasalingam University, Krishnankoil delivered a lecture on the “Basic Concepts in Number Theory”.



🦋 NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

The Department of Physics Celebrated the “National Science Day” on Feb 25, 2016. **Prof.Mrs.L.Natarajan**, Adjunct Professor of Physics, University of Mumbai delivered a Special Lecture on “Probing X-ray Spectroscopy of Exotic Atoms” and distributed the prizes to the winners.



❖ YOUTH AWAKENING DAY CELEBRATION

Youth awakening day was celebrated on Oct. 15, 2015. **Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary**, Principal, Fatima College, presided over the function and **Dr. M. Manickam Mahendran**, Associate Professor, Thiagarajar Engineering College, Madurai was the Chief Guest.



❖ COMMUNAL HARMONY CAMPAIGN WEEK

Communal Harmony Week was celebrated from Nov. 19 to 25, 2015.



❖ HUMANITY PROTECTION DAY – HUMAN CHAIN

Humanity Protection Day was observed on Dec. 10, 2015. In a bid to underscore humanitarian concerns, a human chain was formed by the III UG students as part of the International Human Rights Day celebrations. **Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary**, the Principal, declared open the Human Chain and delivered the Keynote address.



🦋 COLLEGE BIRTHDAY

Rev. Fr. Emma S.J., Director, JESCCO Loyola Technical Institute, Madurai solemnised the 63rd Birthday of the college on July 02, 2015.



🦋 RAMZAN DAY

Ramzan was celebrated on July 16, 2015.

Ms. A. Sarpia Rani, Assistant Professor of French, delivered the Ramzan Message, followed by the cultural programmes marking the significance of Ramzan.



🦋 MUTHAMIZH VIZHA

The Research Centre of Tamil organised the “**Muthamizh Vizha**” on Aug. 29 & 31, 2015. **Mr. K. Sivakumar**, Ilakkiya Aanmeega Sorpozhiyalvar and **Dr. Francis Xavier**, Professor, St. Xavier’s College, Tirunelveli delivered special lectures on “வெளிச்சம் வெளியே இல்லை” and “நாடகம் மொழிதலும் வெளிப்பாடும்” respectively. கிரேஸ் கலைக்குழுவினர் staged the play; ‘யோபு’ – ஒளி ஒளி நாடகம்”.



🦋 TEACHERS' DAY

Teacher's Day was Celebrated on Sep. 04, 2015. **Mr. S. Vivekanandan**, Head, Department of Commerce, PMT College, Usilampatti delivered the Teachers' Day Address.



🦋 FOUNDER'S DAY & FATIMA DAY

The College celebrated "The Feast of Our Lady of Fatima & The Founder's Day" on Oct. 06, 2015. **Fr. Dr. Basil Xavier S.J.**, Principal, Arul Anandar College, Karumathur, Madurai delivered the Feast Day Message & Rev. Sr. Soosaiammal, Sisters of St. Joseph of Lyon, Assumption House, Madurai enlightened the students on the vision of the Founder.



✿ CHRISTMAS DAY

Rev. Fr. S. M. Paul Britto, Editor, Catholicu Sevai, of Madurai delivered the Christmas message on Dec. 22, 2015.



✿ PONGAL DAY

In an attempt to express their gratitude to the staff members and to share their joy with the poor and the orphaned the outgoing students celebrated the Pongal Day on Feb. 05, 2016.



✿ BHARATHI VIZHA

The Research Centre of Tamil celebrated **Bharathi Vizha** on Dec. 11, 2015. **Mr. Nellai Balu**, Founder, Bharathi Yuva Kendra Trust, Madurai delivered a lecture on “Bharathi – Oru Parvai (ghujp xU gh;it)”.



🦋 GREEN FEAST 2K15

The Department of Computer Science celebrated “Green Feast 2K15” organised by II year Computer Science students on Sep. 11, 2015. Stalls of Organic Food prepared through Fireless cooking by students were put up.



🦋 HELMET RALLY

Principal Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary flagged off the rally on July 07, 2015. The rally was undertaken from Fatima College to Simmakkal.



EVENTS

🦋 TRIBUTE TO TWO GREAT SOULS

Homage was paid to the Former President of India **Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam** and Former Principal of Fatima College **Ms. N. Shakunthala** on July 29, 2015.



🦋 RUBY JUBILEE

The Research Centre of Commerce celebrated the Ruby Jubilee (1975-2015) and organised a Grand Alumnae Meet on Jan. 25, 2016. **Kavingnar. Dr. Thamizhachi Thangapandian** was the Guest of Honour.



🦋 OIL & GAS CONSERVATION FORTNIGHT

The Department of Chemistry celebrated the Oil & Gas Conservation Fortnight on Jan. 28, 2016. **Mr. P. Sreedhar**, Deputy Manager, LPG, IOC Ltd., delivered a lecture on “LPG Safety”



🦋 GRANDMA-PA FEST

The Department of Sociology and Social Work organized “Grandpa-ma Fest” on Feb. 06, 2016. **Mr. Indra Soundar Rajan**, A Tamil-Short Story, Film Screenplay Writer and Novelist delivered the Keynote Address. As part of the Fest, Free Medical Camps were also organized.



🦋 CATHOLIC PROFESSORS' CONFERENCE

Catholic Professors Conference of Madurai Archdiocese was conducted in Fatima campus on Feb. 21, 2016. It began with the Eucharistic celebrations by **Most Rev. Dr. Antony Pappusamy**, Archbishop, Madurai followed by input sessions on the various Diocesan Commissions.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

Details	Date	Resource Person(s) / Trainer(s)
Meeting with External Expert on “Highlights of New Policies in Higher Education” and “Quality Improvement in Academic and Non-Academic Activities of the College	16.09.2015	Dr. F. R. Alexander Pravin Durai , Dean, School of Management Studies, St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Trichy.

RETRAINING TEACHERS:		
Orientation Programme on “Education for Change: Perspectives & Challenges – Personal and Social”	15.06.2015	Rev. Fr. Arul Raj , Director, Babuji Nilayam, Centre for Coastal Area Development Studies, Nagercoil.
Session on “Teaching-Learning Techniques”	02.10.2015	Dr. Fr. Francis Xavier , Director, Loyola ICAM College of Engineering and Technology, Chennai.
Effective English Communication Skills Course	Nov. 13 & 14 and 20 - 22, 2016	Mr. Lakshmi Narayanan, Ms. Golda Sunder and Ms. Archana, English Language Trainers, IL&FS.
RETRAINING OF NON-TEACHING STAFF:		
Orientation Programme on “Inter Personal Relationship”	15.06.2015	Rev. Fr. Arul Singarayar , Professor, St. Paul’s Seminary, Trichy.
Functional English Course	08.02.2016-30.02.2016	Mr. Lakshmi Narayanan , English Language Trainer, IL&FS.
TRAINING FOR STUDENTS:		
English for Employability Course	19.11, 2015-29.02. 2016	Mr. Hari Haran, Mrs. Meena, Mrs. Sakthi , and Mr. Chellapan , English Language Trainers, IL&FS.


RESEARCH ADVISORY CELL (RAC)


The Research Advisory Cell (RAC) comprises of the teaching staff from various disciplines who advice and set up guidelines for future growth of various research activities of the staff. The cell supports the faculty in basic research activities, identifies thrust areas of research and facilitates preparation and development of research proposals.


The RAC reviews the research activities and plans ways and means to create a Research culture on campus. Focus on altered methodologies and practical innovative ideas that could be executed are put into action.

An International Journal entitled, ***Fatima International Journal of Commerce, Humanities and Science*** (FIJCHAS) has been published. Further, this cell looks forward to call for papers for the forthcoming issues from various colleges in different states and countries.

STUDENTS' RESOURCE CELL (SRC): The Students' Resource Cell is an active wing of the RAC. The members of RAC, motivate students to undertake various research projects. The guidance of the staff and the enthusiasm of the young researchers keep the SRC buzzing with activities.

 **EXPLORIA:** A research fest titled Exploria'16 was organized by the Research Advisory Committee (RAC), Fatima College on March 9, 2016. It was an effective platform for young researchers to showcase their creativity, imagination and innovation. Participants from various colleges participated and presented their projects and research articles. The inaugural address was delivered by Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary, Principal. Dr Rajamanickam, Former State President of Tamil Nadu Science Forum and Ms T. Ramanidevi, Joint Registrar of Cooperative societies, Madurai Urban delivered motivational lectures. The 'Best Twenty Projects' were awarded with medals and certificates. Rev. Sr. S. Francis Pauline, Secretary, felicitated and Dr. Nellai Balu. delivered the Valedictory address.

 **INTERACTION:** The Research Advisory Committee organized a discussion with ***Dr. Krishnakumar, Scientist, DRDO*** on Mar. 07, 2016. The Students and the faculty members of the College had an interaction with the scientist and learnt about the ways and means of preparing research project proposals.

 **ANAEMIA FREE CAMPUS:** The Dept of Home Science and the Dept of Zoology undertook a study to establish the baseline data for

Nutritional Status of the Fatimites in the first year. The Anthropometric measurements viz height, weight, Body Mass Index, Waist hip ratio. Clinical Examination was done to identify the various deficiency symptoms. Dietary Survey – a 24 hour Recall method and Food Frequency chart were used to assess the adequacy of Food and Nutrient intake by a sub sample consisting of selected students. The Biochemical Estimation was done by assessing the Hemoglobin level in blood of the subjects.

■ 626 freshers from the Regular stream were taken for assessment. Among them, 44% were suffering from mild anaemia with a Hb level ranging from 10 to 12g.dl⁻¹, 42 % had moderate anaemia with 7 to 10 g.dl⁻¹ of Hb and 4% had severe anaemia with a Hb level less than 7 g.dl⁻¹. Only 10 % of the freshers had normal Hb level above 12 g.dl⁻¹.

■ About 20% of the severe and mild anaemic girls were selected for supplementation. They were given Iron rich mint, *Spirulina* incorporated lemon juice everyday as a midmorning drink. Supplementation was done for 40 days and a significant increase of about 20% in their Hb levels was discovered.

MASSIVE OPEN ONLINE COURSES (MOOC)

The College has collaborated with the **Spoken Tutorial Project** an initiative of the 'Talk to a Teacher' activity of the National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (ICT), launched by the Ministry of Human Resources and Development (MHRD), Government of India. The Spoken Tutorial project is being developed by **IIT Bombay for MHRD, Government of India.**

Ten staff members are identified as link persons, organizers and invigilators for the students of the PG departments of Computer Applications, Information Technology, Commerce with Computer Applications, and the Undergraduate departments of Computer Science, Computer Applications,

Information Technology, Sociology with Computer Applications and Commerce with Computer Applications. The staff have made the students aware of the Open Source Software and have trained them on spoken tutorial videos, a source of online self- learning. A batch of qualified candidates has been issued certificates by IIT Bombay after the conduct of a centralized online exam.

KANITHAMIZH PERAVAI

Kanithamizh Peravai, a forum for Tamil Computing is an initiative of the Tamil Nadu Virtual Academy that focuses on encouraging the use of Tamil in computing. Dr. Renuga, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, Mrs. A. Vimala, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science and Dr. Ponni, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil are nominated as Coordinators of the forum. The forum was inaugurated by **Dr. M. Dhanalakshmi**, Assistant Director, Tamil Virtual academy, Chennai on Jan. 21, 2016.

Through various skill development initiatives, the forum will enable the students to use Tamil as the primary language while using computers, mobile phones or other electronic gadgets. It will also encourage students to contribute in augmenting Tamil content available on the internet.

NATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER - CYBER SAFETY AND SECURITY STANDARDS

The National Cyber Safety and Security Standards has identified Fatima College as one of the outstanding Higher Educational Institutions across the country where a National Resource Center is to be set up. The resource center will create awareness and conduct training and research programmes for the faculty and students. It will function with the following primary objectives:

- To showcase to industry the environment and skills of students & faculty who are a part of the resource center.
- To provide students and faculty with hands-on experiences.

- To provide opportunities towards advanced research and publishing of papers for deserving students & faculty.
- To encourage students who would like to take up a career in cyber security.

INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology joins hands with the School of Public Health, San Diego State University (SDSU) in California, U.S.A. for a collaborative research work. The study is an international cross section study on “Eating and Weight Behaviours among College Students” has been approved in U.S.A, Japan, Thailand and Jordan. A great partnership has been set up between SDSU and Fatima College through this project.

Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology has been and continues to be the Academic Advisor for Ms Madeline Chera, a Ph.D. student in Cultural Anthropology, Indiana University, Indiana, U.S.A. Her study focuses on “Food and Culture, Local Food for All?: Heritage Discourse, Culinary Practice & Food Culture in South India ”. Phase - I of her research was sponsored by Indiana University and Phase - II of her research work is being sponsored by Full Bright Nehru Fellowship, jointly funded by Govt. of India and United States of America.

MEDITATION IN ACTION MOVEMENT (MAM)

In today’s context, students are under tremendous pressure from diverse quarters and are unable to cope with the demands of the “fast-forward”, “self-centred” and “instant-gratification” cultures. Against this backdrop, there has risen a dire need for spreading awareness on meditation and its benefits among students. Realising which, three phases of action plans have been designed and adopted towards training the students. They are as follows:

1. Orientation on Meditation
2. Formation of core-group
3. Training of Trainers (TOT)

In an attempt to orient the students, meditation has been incorporated into the curriculum as part of value education paper G1VE1 carrying two credits. A core group has been formed and the members are periodically trained by **Rev. Fr. Francis Thamburaj**, Director of MAM (Meditation in Action Movement), and Professor of Computer Science, St. Joseph's College, Trichy. The staff in turn train the first year students during the value education hour.

HIGHLIGHTS OF CELLS / CLUBS / CENTRES

There are **11 Cells/ Clubs / Centres** functioning vibrantly on campus.

E-Content Development Cell

The E-Content Development cell has presently undertaken the task of preparing e-materials for the two online foundation courses offered by the humanities and science departments mandated for all the students. The Modus Operandi is

- Framing of the syllabus with 5 units each for the both the papers.
 - ✓ One unit each prepared by the humanities as well as science departments.
- Recording of the live class room presentation as part of the e-material production in a stipulated time and specified teaching conditions.
- Peer reviewing of the e-material produced.
- Uploading the same in the website for students' accessibility.

Sound proof video recording room is under progress for e-material production. As an initial step some of the e-materials taken are uploaded in the website for a wider audience.

Entrepreneurship Development Cell

The Entrepreneurship Development Cell has organized various demo sessions on Paper Quilling, Nail Art, Jewel Making and Mehendi Designing in order to make students self employed. A special Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp was also conducted and various input sessions on Entrepreneurial skills, Entrepreneurship, Loan Schemes available for Entrepreneurs, Identification of opportunities for Entrepreneurs, Creativity and Business, Success Stories of Entrepreneurs were organized.

Human Rights Cell

The Human Rights Cell functions with the aim of enabling the students approach life-situations from a critical perspective creating a behavioural change.

- Human Rights Cell offers UGC sponsored Human Rights Education based on UGC curriculum to all the III year students.
- On Sep. 02, 2015, a Guest lecture on role of higher education in promoting the human rights was delivered by Sr. Amala, Madras high court, Madurai Bench.
- Five II UG Students From History, Sociology, Tamil, English and Economics participated in the two-day Human Rights Training Programme for Women Students organized at Arulanandar College in collaboration with the Institute of human rights education of people's watch on Dec. 4 & 5, 2015.
- Humanity Protection Day was observed in Fatima College, on Dec. 10, 2015. In a bid to underscore humanitarian concerns a human chain was formed as part of the International Human Rights Day celebrations. Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary, the Principal, declared open the Human Chain and delivered the Keynote address.
- 50 Fatimities participated in a One-day International conference against caste discrimination conducted at De Nobili, Madurai on Dec. 12, 2015.

- A One-day state level open conversation on Human Rights was conducted in Tamil Nadu Theological Society (TTS), Madurai on 18.12.15 as part of the 20th Anniversary Celebrations of People's Watch.

LEGAL AID SERVICE

Human Rights Cell and the Community Services Centre organized the awareness program on “Legal aid Services” on Feb. 01, 2016. A Team of advocates enlightened the students on Legal issues and highlighted the need to set up a Legal Clinic.

LEGAL CLINIC: The Madurai District Legal Services

Authority (MDLSA) has selected Fatima College as one of the Legal Aid Centres that would deal with the legal issues of the public in and around Fatima College. The Legal Aid Centre would function with the sole aim of allaying the apprehensions among common people about approaching the court and enabling them handle the same smoothly. Besides these, on every Wednesdays the lawyers would be available on campus for mediation counseling and legal consultation. They would also pave way for getting important certificates such as OBC, Death and other Certificates in a hassle free manner. There are also efforts to team up with the Community Services Cell of the college in creating legal awareness and in extending help to deal with legal issues in all the adopted villages.



Institute-Industry Interface Cell

610 Students have been placed this Academic Year 2015 – 2016 (Till Date) in the following Companies.

S. No.	Name of the Organization	Regular	SF	Professional	Total
1.	Brick Steel Infotech. Ltd.	-	-	7	7
2.	The Little Kingdom School, Theni	-	6	1	7
3.	Bright Star Educational Institutions	125	86	28	239
4.	TATA Consultancy Services	4	10	-	14
5.	S2 Academy	107	53	-	160
6.	Velammal Schools	5	6	3	14
7.	Effulganz Informatics & Technotainments	19	22	-	41
8.	Noble Institute of Communicative English	20	34	-	54
9.	WIPRO	14	11	-	25
10.	Portal Compass HR Solutions	-	-	1	1
11.	Triumphant Institute of Management Education	1	1	1	3
12.	Thaai Group of Institutions	5	13	-	18
13.	Ad India	-	2	7	9
14.	Magnes Management Consultants Pvt. Ltd.	-	-	16	16
15.	The Indian public school	-	1	1	-
Total		300	245	65	610

❖ **Sector wise placement details**

- ✓ 87 students got their offer letters from the Software sector.
 - ✓ 351 students got their offer letters from the Training sector.
 - ✓ 143 students got their offer letters from the Teaching sector.
 - ✓ 17 students got their offer letters from the Management sector.
 - ✓ 12 students got their offer letters from the Marketing sector.
- ❖ **100 %** placement of the **B.Sc. Computer Science, B.Sc. IT, B.Sc. Mathematics (SF), MBA, M.Sc. (CS & IT), M.Sc. (IT & M), M.Com. and M.Com. with Computer Applications** students achieved.
- ❖ Out of **610** students, **275** students are first generation learners.

Library Club

Library Club comes into being from the academic year 2015-16. Interested students enroll themselves in club.

- To motivate students to have taste of reading and to spread reading interest among students.
- To encourage critical thinking, innovation and creativity power.

The club organizes “Tweet a Book” programme, which promotes reading habit and develop information literacy skills. Also has continuous, yearlong activities and comprehensive evaluation. The members have to prepare a scrap book during their summer vacation, with a review of the selected book, author profile, bibliography, character sketches, new words/phrases, drawings, quizzes, quotations, comments etc.

Quiz Club

In accordance with the vision statement of the college, the Quiz club of Fatima College functions to empower the rural women folk through dissemination of knowledge. It also serves as a platform to facilitate

students to take part in the Inter-Departmental and Inter-Collegiate Quiz competitions. The club organised the following:

✧ An Inter-Departmental Quiz Competition on Dec. 18, 2015. **Dr. P. Shyamala**, Head & Assistant Professor, PG Department of Information Technology, Fatima College, Madurai was the Quiz Master.

M. Kavyashree and **C. Gayathri** of II U.G. English (Reg) emerged as winners. The students of The Department of Computer Science won the second place.

✧ Golden Jubilee A.V.Tilak Inter-Collegiate Quiz Competition was organised on 27.01.2016. **Dr. B. Geetha**, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai was the Quiz Master. Sourashtra College for Women, Madurai won the Golden Jubilee A. V. Tilak Shield and S. V. N. College, Madurai bagged the runner-up shield.

Guidance and Counselling Cell

- ♣ To promote a healthy psychological atmosphere, the college has instituted a counseling cell that consists of professionals and faculty members. The staff members selected by the student community were trained in counselling techniques and they in turn offer services to the students.
- ♣ **Rev. Fr. Jeyaseelan**, CMF, the students' Counsellor gives individual counselling and the respective student's parents are called to help in the counselling process.
- ♣ **Sr. Francis Pauline**, Secretary, Fatima College also extends her counselling expertise to the staff and students.

Net Coaching Centre

The College in collaboration with Elite Coaching Centre, KK Nagar organised coaching classes for National Eligibility Test aspirants in the campus from Nov. 19, 2015 to Dec. 23, 2015. As many as 24 students

majoring in English were trained on all the three papers and 7 from other majors on Paper-I only. The classes were conducted by eminent professors and distinguished experts from various colleges and universities in different parts of Tamil Nadu.

Consumer Club

The Consumer Club creates awareness on various consumer laws like Consumer Protection Act, Right to Information Act and Cyber Crime. The activities of the club are as follows:

- ✧ Mr. Manavalan, Advocate and State President of South Indian Consumer Protection Council inaugurated the Club on Aug. 27, 2015.
- ✧ An essay competition on “Indian Consumers in 21st Century” was conducted for the Commerce and Economics students .
- ✧ On Nov. 13, 2015 Mrs. Meenambal Muruganathan, Trainer in Women Consumer Protection Organisation, Madurai addressed the students on “Consumer grievances and settlements”
- ✧ A survey on “A Study on Consumer Rights among College Students” has been conducted by Commerce & Economics Students in December 2015.
- ✧ Awareness created among the young consumers of Fatima College through skit and mime show on 21.01.2016.
- ✧ The women of Thenkari Village were introduced to consumer rights on Feb. 25, 2016.

Quality Circle

The Quality Circle aims at sustaining and enhancing the quality of the working environment and at tapping the potentials in every individual through weekly meetings of the facilitators with the respective groups.

- ✧ A workshop on “Quality Circles and the Implementation Strategies” was organised for the staff & students.

Parent - Teacher Meet

The Parent-Teacher's Meet in Fatima College, a regular phenomenon aids the administrative body to become aware of the steady growth of our college and the areas that need to be looked into. The values that bind the parents to the institution become vocalized and valuable suggestions are received to make our mission of education more meaningful and relevant.

The Parent-Teacher Meet for I UG and I PG students was held on July 03, 2015. **Rev. Fr. U. Godwin Rufus**, Department of English, Arul Anandar College, Karumathur addressed the gathering.

The Parent-Teacher Meet for II UG and II PG students was held on July 17, 2015. **Rev. Fr. Pushparaj**, Regional, Superior Secular, Institute of Schoenstatt addressed the parents.

The Parent-Teacher Meet for the students of I Year Professional Courses and PG IT was organised on Sep. 18, 2015. **Fr. Jayaseelan, Counsellor**, Fatima College briefed the parents on their responsibilities.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PART-V ACTIVITIES

NSS, NCC, Women's Cell, AICUF and Physical Education are in the aided stream and Youth Red Cross, Green Club, Rotaract Club, Junior Jaycee and Consumer Forum are part of the Self-Financing stream. The following are the common events:

- "Dengue Awareness Campaign" on July 23, 2015.
- Inauguration by Sri. J. S. Prathabaraj, Deputy Superintendent of Police on Aug. 10, 2015.
- **Youth Awakening Day** was observed on Oct. 15, 2015, **Dr. Manikkam Mahendran**, Asst. Professor in Physics, Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Madurai addressed the students.

- The Communal Harmony Week was observed from Nov. 19-25, 2015 with the aim of inculcating a sense of social consciousness, responsibility and national discipline among the students.
- A One-day Workshop on “Accelerating Women Power” was organised for the Part-V students of the Self-Financing stream on Feb. 11, 2016.

National Service Scheme (NSS)

The NSS aims at the “Development of the personality of students through community service”.

- Visited Mother Teresa Home for the aged & mentally retarded persons.
- Blood Donation camp was organised and 83 units of blood were collected on Sep. 10, 2015.
- Organised Awareness Programmes such as follows:
 - Yoga for Healthy Life
 - Cancer
 - Tuberculosis
 - Blood Donation
 - Law and Crime against women
- 450 NSS Volunteers participated in the Restoration and cleaning of River Vaigai launched in collaboration with the District administration and the DHAN Foundation. Saplings were planted at the northern side of the riverbed at Kuruvikaaransalai, Madurai.
- Celebrated “National Voters Day” & “World Disabled Day”
- 100 NSS volunteers participated in the Republic Day Parade at Madurai Kamaraj University on Jan. 26, 2016.
- NSS Special camp was organized in the eight adopted villages of Kodayampatti, Thanichiyam, Thandalai, Manianji, C. Pudhur,

Alagapuri, Chinnaelandhaikulam and Sambakulam, between Mar. 04 and 10, 2016.

National Cadet Corps (NCC)

There are 132 cadets in the NCC unit of the college. One ANO with two Caretakers guide them in all their activities. Motto is Unity and Discipline.

S.No.	ANO & Cadets	Camp attended	Place	Date
1.	Cdt C. Karpaga Nandhini of II Computer Science and Cdt G. Revathi of II Tamil	All India Girls Trekking Expedition,	Nilgiri Trek	May 10 – 18, 2015
2.	11 Cdts	CATC- CUM- IUC National NCC Games at VSVN Polytechnic College	Viruthunagar	May 20 – 29, 2015
3.	Lt. Dr. Antony Amala Jayaseeli, ANO and 30Cdts	CATC- CUM TSC Training Camp	EMG Yadava College for Women	June 05-14, 2015
4.	9 Cdts	CATC- CUM- National NCC Games and Athletics	VV College of Engineering, Thisayanvilai	June 17-26, 2015
5.	79 cadets and one ANO	participated International Yoga Day	Madurai Group, at Race Course Grounds	June. 21, 2015
6.	Cdt P. Kamatchi of II Physics	TSC - TRG Camp	Kalasalingam University, Krishnakovil,	June 21-30, 2015
7.	Lt. Dr. Antony Amala Jayaseeli, ANO	Refresher Cum Promotion for SW Course	Officers Training Academy, Gwalior	July 01-30, 2015
8.	8 Cdts	CATC- CUM- GP TRG Camp – II National NCC Games	Mahakavi Bharathiyar College of	July 05-14, 2015

			Engineering and Technology, Vasudevanallur	
9.	Cdt P. Kamatchi of II Physics	TSC - IGC Camp at Rani Anna College	Women, Pettai, Tirunelveli,	July 13-22, 2015
10.	6 Cdts	CATC- CUM- GP Launch – National NCC Games	VHNSN Polytechnic College, Virudhunagar,	July 24 – Aug. 02, 2015
11.	Cdt S. Akshaya of II Zoology, Cdt Keerthiga of II Sociology with Computer Applications and Cdt. Jane Francisca	IUC for RDC Selection Camp	Pon Jersely College, Parvathipuram , Nagarcoil	July 27 – Aug. 05, 2015
12.	Cdt P. Kamatchi of II Physics	DTE TSC – TRG –I	St. John's College, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli	Aug 05 – 14, 2015
13.	SUO Janaki Subalakshmi and JUO Susaritha of III Zoology	Inter Group Volley Ball (Girls) Competition for Dte Team for National NCC Games	Kongunadu Arts & Science College, Coimbatore	Aug 05 – 14, 2015
14.	Cdt Swati of III Zoology, Cdt Vishali of II Home Science and Cdt Nandhini of II Zoology	Inter Group Camp for Kho – Kho for NCC National Games	Pondicherry	Aug 10 – 19, 2015
15.	Cdt P. Kamatchi of II Physics	DTE TRG – II TSC	Annammal College for Women, Tuticorin	Aug 16 – 25. 2015
16.	Cdt S. Akshaya of II Zoology	GP RDC TRG Camp – I	Police Training Centre, Tuticorin	Aug 26 – Sep. 04, 2015

17.	Cdt P. Kamatchi of II Physics	CATC CUM DTE TSC Launch Camp	Yadava College, Madurai	Sep 07 – 16, 2015
18.	Cdt S. Akshaya of II Zoology	GP IGC RDC Launch Camp	Police Training Centre, AR Line, Madurai	Sep 15-24, 2015
19.	Cdt P. Kamatchi of II Physics	ALL TSC Camp	Delhi	Sep 17 – 29, 2015
20.	Lt. Dr. Antony Amala Jayaseeli, ANO	NIC	AVC College, Mannampandal, Mayiladuthurai,	Oct 14 – 25, 2015
21.	Cdt Diana Abinaya Mary of II Chemistry and Cdt Jeyashri of II Home Science	Darjeeling Trek –I	-	Nov 15 – 24, 2015
22.	50 Cdts	Blood Donation Camp	Medical College, Madurai	Nov. 19, 2015
23.	40 Cdts	Ill effects of Plastics to the Environment and Rain Water Harvesting Awareness Rally	-	Nov. 20, 2015
24.	Lt. Dr. Antony Amala Jayaseeli, ANO and 20 Cdts	67th NCC Day	Balamandiram HSS, Madurai	Nov 22, 2015
25.	64 Cadets	CATC	Govt Kallar HSC, Cheekanoorni,	Dec 24 – Jan. 2, 2016
26.	48 Cadets	B' Certificate Examination	Lady Doak College, Madurai	Feb. 27 & 28, 2016
27.	34 Cadets will be appearing in 'C' Certificate Examination.			

Women's Cell

The Women's Cell of the college is an active and vibrant Part V activity that functions **to Rise, to Shine and to Liberate**. The following programmes were organized by the cell

■ Awareness Programmes:

- “Gender issues” to the villagers of Kattakulam, Sathyamoorthi Nagar, Maniangi and Thandalai through Street Play, Awareness songs, Skits and Mime show.
- “Conjugal Rights, Family laws and Elimination of violence against women” through skits.

■ Competitions on Gender equity.

■ Demonstration of 27 asanas to the students by Mr. Yogeshwar, Director, International Yoga Center.

■ Gender Champions Club upholding the motto “To integrate and mainstream the gender in all activities of the institution” was instituted by the cell.

■ Debates on “Status of Women towards Development” and “Gender Equity and Equality”

■ Group Discussion on “Gender Stereotypes” and “Violence Against Women”

■ Participation of 82 students in “One Billion Rising” campaign organized in collaboration with Ektha Trust.

AICUF

The All India Catholic University Federation is a movement of university students with a vision for a new and just society.

■ Election of Office Bearers on Aug. 26, 2015.

■ The Office Bearers took part in the Training camp at St. Joseph's College, Trichy on Aug. 02, 2015.

■ Blood Donation camp was organised.

- Two students attended the Leadership Camp at IDEAS Center, Madurai on Oct. 02 - 04, 2015.
- Awareness programmes:
 - Blood Donation
 - Breast Cancer
 - Social Issues
- On Jan. 07, 2016, Dr. Malar, Homeopathy, Prathiga Hospital addressed AICUFers on “Homeopathy Treatment”.
- Awareness on “Significance of Voting in Election” created through skits.
- Students presented:
 - Chart work on “Self Protection”
- Demonstration of social issues through role plays.
- Organised presentations on “Social Issues”.
- Three students participated in the AICUF state council meeting organised at Trichy on Jan 23-26, 2016.
- Four students participated in the Creative Writing Workshop organised by Loyola Technical Institute, Madurai on Feb, 19-21, 2016.

Green Club

The Green Club functions with the motto of **Plant a Tree, Green the Earth and Clean the Air to Live Happily.**

- Visited Mother Teresa Home for the aged & mentally retarded persons.
- Competitions on “Self Protection” and “Team work” were organised.
- Students presented:
 - Papers on “Self Awareness” and
 - Chart work on “Self Protection”

Junior Jaycee

Junior Jaycee is a Global Organisation providing individual development opportunities for young people to become better citizens. Junior Jaycee of Fatima College instills in students moral, physical and social values.

- Election of office Bearers on Aug. 26, 2015.
- Demonstration of social issues through role plays.
- Organised Presentations on “Social Issues”.
- Conducted Competitions on the following topics:
 - Self-Awareness
 - Problems in Learning a Language and Public Speaking Skills
- Group Discussion on “Child Labour”.
- Students were addressed on the topic “Redefine Yourself” By Mrs. Radha Aswath, Zone Trainer of Junior Jaycee, Madurai.

Rotaract Club

The Rotaract Club functions with the motto of “Fellowship Through Service” - representing the spirit, and enthusiasm of individuals who are bonded through Rotaract experience.

- Election of office Bearers on Aug. 27, 2015.
- Inauguration by Rtn. Sundaravel on Sep. 03, 2015.
- Group Discussion on “the Causes and Prevention of Rabies” and “Human Rights”.
- Rtn. Saravanaraj addressed the Rotaractors.
- Awareness on “Avenues available for the Differently-abled people in the society” created through skits.
- Republic Day was celebrated on Jan. 28, 2016.
- The students of NMR Subburaman Memorial School were provided with breakfast on Feb, 04, 2016.

Youth Red Cross

In an attempt to prepare young women for emergencies and to inculcate in them the spirit of Service, the Youth Red Cross of Fatima College undertakes the following:

- Conducted the following Camps:
 - Blood donation camp in collaboration with Govt. Rajaji Hospital on Sep. 10, 2015.
 - Eye Checkup Camp in collaboration with Agarwal Eye Hospital on Dec, 20, 2015.
 - Dental Check Up camp was conducted in collaboration with Vasan Dental Care on Feb. 25, 2016.
- Chart Competitions on “Your Vote is Your Voice” and “Safety is Your Lock, But You are the Key” and essay competitions on “An eye for an eye will only make the whole world blind” and “Peace cannot be kept by force; it can only be achieved by understanding” were conducted.
- Blood Donation, Aids & Dental Awareness programmes were organised.

Consumer Forum

The aim of the Consumer Forum is to educate the students to act as healthy consumers by making them aware of their rights and enabling them redress consumer mechanisms. Consumer Forum functions with the motto of **AWARE! ALERT!! And ACT!!!**

- Election of office Bearers on Aug. 27, 2015.
- Competitions on “Consumer Rights and Responsibilities” conducted.
- Organised presentations on the Rights and Responsibilities of consumers and Prevention of Food Adulteration.
- Created awareness through displays of charts on “consumer rights” and “consumer forum”.

- Debate on “Whether the Consumers are Wrongdoers? or The Businessmen are the Wrongdoers?” was conducted.

COMMUNITY SERVICES CENTER

The Community Services Center of Fatima College is committed in carving out a generation that would take active role in social activities. It aims at reaching out to the underprivileged community and thereby working towards building the nation. It is essential for a student to participate in the extension activities for not less than 40 hours each in the fifth and sixth semesters. The students have the opportunity to participate in activities that either extend their learning or complement what they learn in their classes.

Sixteen villages are adopted by the College in Vadipatti Block. Each Department has adopted a village based on the students and villagers population ratio. Extension activities revolve around the needs of the community. Hence a survey of the villagers’ needs in the adopted villages was conducted.

The following activities were executed by the Center:

S. No.	Department	Adopted Villages	Activity
1.	All the Departments	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Needs Analysis is carried out ❖ Survey on Socio-Economic Status of the Villagers ❖ World Elders day celebrated
2.	History	Ko. Sambakulam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Kitchen Garden established in 20 houses around the primary school ❖ Awareness on Legal Services offered.
3.	Economics	Ayan Thenkarai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Awareness on Social Issues. ❖ 20 Members of the Self Help Groups provided with Computer Literacy.

4.	Sociology	Thirumal Natham	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Orientation on Sathiyavani Muthu Ammaiyar Ninaivu Free Supply of Sewing Machine Scheme. 7 villagers underwent free sewing training. ❖ Eye camp organized. ❖ Kitchen garden established in 12 houses.
5.	Tamil	Kondayampatti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Reading habits inculcated in school students. ❖ Conducted Eye Camp ❖ Awareness on Legal Services offered ❖ Conducted Legal Camp
6.	English	Kondayampatti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Awareness on Organic Farming & Kitchen Gardening. ❖ Kitchen Garden established in 30 houses. ❖ Teaching English to 6th to 9th standards students of Government Higher Secondary School, Kondayampatti. ❖ Reading habits inculcated in school students by providing them books from the college library.
7.	Mathematics	Nedungulam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Kitchen Garden established in 55 houses. ❖ Teaching Short cut mathematical methods for 6th to 8th standards school students taught. ❖ Trained on the preparation of candles, detergent and powder, phenyl
8.	Physics	Maniangi	Awareness on Solar Energy created through solar energy-model displays

9.	Chemistry	Achchampatti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Four Fatimites, trained by small industries product promotion organization (SIPPO,) briefed the villagers on the Government welfare schemes. ❖ Trained on the preparation of candles, detergent powder and phenyl
10.	Zoology	Kuruvithurai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Awareness on Nutrition and Anaemia created. ❖ Calculated Body Mass Index for 100 People. ❖ Demonstration of Yoga among public and taught basic Yogasanas to school students. ❖ Training on preparation of herbal medicines for home remedies to 10 Housewives.
11.	Home Science with Food Biotechnology	Thandalai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Conducted Dietary Recall Survey for school students and found 100% lacked balanced diet. ❖ Analysed eating behaviours of the school students and found 80% to be malnourished. ❖ Anthropometric Measurement of school students (70) taken.
		<p>One week Community Nutrition Field work was organised for the I M.Sc. Human Nutrition and Nutraceuticals students at the Primary Health Centre, Samayanallur, Madurai from Sep. 21 to 23 & Oct. 01, 2015.</p>	

12.	Computer Science	Aandipatti	❖ Taught Basics of Computer to 37 village students in 4 different schools.
13.	Commerce	Kaattakulam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Conducted a rally to motivate the people to develop the savings habit. ❖ Created Awareness on the importance of saving habit and motivated around 50 people to open Recurring Deposit. ❖ Efforts are taken to open Recurring Deposit with the help of SBI in Vadipatti.
14.	BBA	Chinna Ilandhaikulam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Students from II standard to V standard were taught Tamil, English, Science and Mathematics. ❖ I std. students were taught to read and write Tamil and English alphabets.
15.	B.Sc. (IT)	Thiruvedagam	❖ Teaching Software: Microsoft Office Package 2010 to school dropouts and housewives
16.	BCA	Thiruvedagam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Global Hand Washing Day observed ❖ Plastic Awareness Campaign organised ❖ Sapling Plantation and Kitchen Garden establishment promoted ❖ Dengue Awareness Rally conducted ❖ Food Festival organized in collaboration with Thiruvedagam Panchayat and Namaste India (27 French students were exposed to Indian food).

17.	Mathematics (SF)	Thanichiyam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Created Awareness on Kitchen gardening ❖ Distributed vegetable and herbal saplings for the village people on Jan. 24, 2016. ❖ Developmental activities carried over. ❖ Conducted Legal and General Medical camps.
18.	English (SF)	C. Pudur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Awareness on the benefits of Herbal plants. ❖ Demonstration on reuse of polythene bags and plastics to grow plants. ❖ Distribution of the medicinal saplings. ❖ Planting of the medicinal saplings. ❖ Monitoring of the growth of medicinal plants in their houses.
19.	B.Com. with Computer Applications	Alagapuri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Kitchen gardens established. ❖ Survey of school students attending the tuition conducted.

➤ **FATIMA COLLEGE FLOOD RELIEF OPERATIONS (FCFRO):**

In a bid to facilitate the despondent victims of the rain wrecked Chennai and Cuddalore and in an attempt to contribute our mite in their rehabilitation, Fatima College undertook Flood Relief Operations in the following phased out manner:

- ✓ **Phase – I:** Fund collection from Staff and students
- ✓ **Phase – II:** Sales Day organised to raise funds for the cause by Staff and Students'
- ✓ **Phase – III:** Contribution of household materials and toiletries

- ✓ **Phase – IV:** Collection of Newspapers from the neighbourhood to raise funds through their sales.
- ✓ **Phase – V:** An amount of ` **11,31,279** was mobilized. Field Visit
 - The FCFRO culminated in reaching out to the worst affected areas of Siruvathur, Railway Colony, Eri Karai Colony, Housing Board Colony, Vallam, C N Palayam in Cuddalore and Pandrooti piloted by the Principal Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary and by the Secretary Sr. S. Francis Pauline on Dec. 18, 2016. Each affected family in the village was distributed with basic utensils for cooking, a pack of groceries consisting of 10 kgs of **rice, dal and spices, sarees, dhoties, towels and bedspreads**. The civic responsibilities and the concern for the less fortunate surfed out of the students during the relief work.


ACHIEVEMENTS IN SPORTS


Games is made mandatory for all the I & II year Part-V Physical Education Students. They unfailingly display their enthusiasm by participating in the Madurai Kamaraj University inter-collegiate Sports & Tournaments and various other open tournaments.

MKU Inter Collegiate Tournaments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Champion in Athletics ▶ Winners in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Basket Ball ✓ Kho-Kho ✓ Hockey ✓ Table Tennis ▶ Runner Up in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Badminton ✓ Ball Badminton ✓ Hand Ball
Open Tournaments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Winners in:


	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Basket Ball ✓ Hockey ✓ Kabaddi ✓ Kho-Kho ✓ Volleyball
We have produced	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ National Players : 10 ▶ State Players : 22 ▶ University Blues : 35 ▶ District Players : 52
National Level Players	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Kho-Kho <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ J. Roopa, I M.A. English ✓ K. Priya, I M.Com. ✓ S. Anuradha, III English ✓ R. Hema Priya, III English ✓ J. Vijaya Kumari, II B.C.A. ✓ S. Jugi Jenifer, II Mathematics (SF) ▶ Hockey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ P. Madhu Bala, I M.Com. CA ▶ Athletics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ G. Priyadharshini, II English

Sports Day

 The 63rd Annual Sports Day was held on Feb. 20, 2016. 570 students participated in the Inter-Departmental March Past Competition lead by the College Band. **Mr. Shailesh Kumar Yadhav IPS**, Inspector General & Commissioner of Police, Madurai City, Madurai took the salute and declared the Sports Meet open. Besides Sports events, there were Mass Dance, Gymnastic, Umbrella Dance, Karate and Mallakhamba Yoga and Pyramid Demonstrations.

 G. Priyadharshini, II B.A. English received the Individual Championship scoring 35 points. The I UG Students won the Overall Championship


Trophy for Athletics and II UG Students won the Overall Championship Trophy for Team Games.

 **Mr. K. Samidurai**, Secretary, Indian Association of Lawyers, Madurai, distributed the prizes.


ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

The Annual Alumnae Meet 2015 was organised on July 11, 2015. **Dr. Sankarashwari**, Obstetrician, Gynaecologist, Eswari Hospital, Sankaran Kovil, **Dr. Sarayu Krishnamurthy**, Professor & Head, Department of Physiology, KAVP Govt. Medical College, Trichy and **Ms. B. Vijayalakshmi**, Senior Editor, Deccan Chronicle, Chennai were the Guests of Honour.


The office bearers along with the Executive Committee members of the registered body of Fatima College Alumnae Association (FCAA) met at regular intervals. The FCAA has decided to create new chapters in various parts in and around Tamil Nadu. There is a proposal to enhance and strengthen the alumnae association internationally by creating chapters in Singapore and the USA.

 **Department Alumane Meet:** The Department of Commerce with Computer Applications (B.Com. with CA) organised the Meet on Nov. 21, 2015



 **Ruby Jubilee Alumnae Meet:** The Research Centre of Commerce organised the “Department Alumnae Meet” on Jan. 25, 2016.



 **Intramural Competitions:** In an attempt to tap the latent creative

skills among students and to create a platform for them to showcase the same, the Fatima College Alumnae Association organized various competitions like Mime Show, Art from Waste, Group Song, Dance Drama and Presentations on topics like *Fatima in 2020*, *Fatima: Going Global* and *Evolution of Fatima College, Suggestions to Strengthen Alumnae Association* respectively on Mar. 07, 2016.

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT ANIMATION AND TRAINING (WEAT)

WEAT, a social wing of Fatima College, aims at improving the economic and social status of the underprivileged women and girls in and around Madurai. WEAT offers training programmes like Apparel Designing, Garment Construction, Tailoring, Machine Embroidery, Computer Application, Bakery & Food Preservation and Diploma in Medical Lab Technology.

- ✧ DMLT students participated in the following:
 - Training at Meenachi Mission Hospital on June, 23-27, 2015.
 - A Seminar at SOCO Trust Madurai on July. 27, 2015.
 - A seminar at Meenakshi Mission Hospital, Madurai on Aug. 11, 2015.
- ✧ Usha Sewing Machines Company gave a demonstration on “New Computerized Embroidering Machine and its Benefits” on Jan. 10, 2016.
- ✧ Training for Home Science Department students who received prizes in the competitions conducted by TN catering colleges.
- ✧ The bakery course and the sale of bakery products began on July. 06, 2015.
- ✧ Certificates on Tailoring and Computer were distributed to 42 students on July 25, 2015.

- ✧ Celebrated Children's Day in different villages. Around 175 children attended and took part in various competitions. Dr. Sr. Fatima Mary, Principal, Fatima College, Madurai was the Chief Guest.

CONCLUSION

It is with a thankful heart lifted unto God Almighty, I place on record the achievements of the Academic Year **2015 - 2016**. I express my deep sense of gratitude to our Guest of Honour **Thiru. U. Sahayam, I. A. S.**, Vice Chairman Science City, Chennai. I am proud to acknowledge that the legacy and the rich educational empowerment of this institution is surpassed to many generations through the exemplary service minded Teaching Faculty. The unassumed tireless services of the Non-Teaching staff towards the success of our educational ministry is worth mentioning.

I am particularly indebted to Sr. Emily Joseph, the Provincial, Sr. Celine Sahaya Mary, the Councillor-in-charge of Education Ministry, Sr. Francis Pauline, the Secretary and the Management Committee who have a penchant for decision making and who spend their considerable part of their prime time for the efficient running of the college on a day-to-day basis.

Shaping the personality of the young students in the desired directions has always been accompanied by the highly skilled Vice Principals, Sr. Fatima Michael, Mrs. K. Mary Jacinta, Mrs. Fernando Delishia and the Programme Coordinator, Dr. Fatima Baby towards the meticulous planning of the varied programmes

I whole heartedly appreciate the Controller of Examinations, Mrs. Mathavi Manisekar and Dr. Mahima Ragland for their loyal service and methodic work pattern that have made possible the publication of results on time. They have also brought in thoughtful examination reforms keeping in mind the students' welfare.

The efforts put in by the Deans of Academic Affairs - Dr. T. Jeyanthi Vijayarani, Dr. B. Medona and Mrs. E. Helena for sustaining quality education and to attain excellence is appreciable. The Deans of Extra-Curricular Activities, Mrs. G. Angel, Mrs. S. Aarthi and Mrs. A. Mercy Angela who kept the students on the toes all the way and guided them towards the right path is incredible. Thank you for the team work.

I admire with gratitude the work of Dr. Vasantha Esther Rani and Dr. Arasammal the Deans of Research Cell for creating a research ambience on campus. I also place on record my appreciation to Dr. Dheva Shantha Kumari, the co-ordinator of UGC affairs committee and Dr. P. Shyamala for their hard work taken to establish international collaboration and in writing proposals to various funding agencies.

A word of appreciation to the hostel warden, Sr. Bindu Antony and the team for their painstaking efforts in making the hostel *a home away from home* to all the inmates

I recognize with gratitude the contribution of Dr. L. Caroline Sugirtham, IQAC Coordinator. I am pleased to witness the amicable and spirit filled cooperation extended by the growing stalwarts Dr. S. Vidya, Dr. S.J. Kala in all aspects. Their patience and perseverance succeeded in

producing this presentation with the technical assistance of Mrs. Sathya Kala and Ms. Kruthiga Meenakshi I applaud their untiring efforts taken to maintain the sustenance in the campus.

I am much obliged to all the Heads of the Departments, the Librarian Mrs. C. Sujatha, Placement Officer Mr. H. Vincent and the Physical Education Directress Mrs. R. Velankanni Matharasi for carrying forth the vision of the institution. With deep gratitude I thank DHAN, SOCO Trust and Meenakshi Mission Hospital who are our co-partners in the journey towards relevance and excellence.

I thank the Students' Counsellors Rev. Fr. Jeyaseelan, CMF and our Spiritual Guide Rev. Fr. Kennady CSsR. The Medical help rendered by Dr. Venkateswaran, Dr. Balasubramaniam and Dr. Radha Rukumani is thankfully acknowledged.

I record my profuse thanks to the Tamil Nadu Transport Corporation for their unstinted service by providing special buses and bus pass to our students. It is a boon to them as they commute quite comfortably and easily from different parts of Madurai. I'm much obliged and thankful to TVS, the initiators of this special and unique favour rendered to us for decades.

I remain ever grateful to all the well-wishers of the institution who contribute their best towards its development. As I come to the close of the annual report, I bow in gratitude to the Ever-Loving God who hovers over and protects us. It is He who gives us the wisdom to channelise our energy and effort in moulding the youth who enter the portals of Mary Land.

