Panel-Discussion

The teachers guiding the top 3 teams at the end of Round One will be invited to participate in a Panel Discussion along with industry representatives. The teacher who is judged to be the best panelist will be awarded the 'Best GuidingTeacher Award'.

Team and Individual Awards

Participating teams and their teacher mentors will be awarded Certificates

Best Team: 1st Prize: Rs. 10000, 2nd Prize: Rs. 7500

Best Paper: Rs. 5000

Most Innovative Policy Prescription: Rs.2500

Best Q&A session: Rs. 2500

Best Speaker (Technical Presentation): Rs. 2500

Best Speaker (Non-Technical Presentation): Rs.2500

Best Guiding teacher: Rs. 2500

Participation Fees

No fees will be charged for the Pre-qualification round. The 5 Best Qualifying teams will be charged Rs. 1000/- as non-refundable fees.



About Goa:

Goa, the International tourist destination with so much more than just tourism, is visited by large numbers of International and domestic tourists each year for its beaches, places of worship and world heritage architecture. It has rich flora and fauna, owing to its location on the Western Ghats range, a biodiversity hotspot.

About the College:

Established in 1973, Vidya Vikas Mandal's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics – the flagship institution of Vidya Vikas Mandal – is recognized allover Goa as a premier institution of higher education.

Located in the Shree Damodar Educational Campus, the College is ensconced in a peaceful environment. The College has Wi-Fi and ICT-enabled classrooms, a richly stocked library with print and e-resources, well-equipped computer laboratories, a gymnasium and sports facilities, which the students and staff put to optimum benefit. The College runs 6 programmes - B.Com, BCA, BBA(Financial Services) and B.Voc.(Software Technologies) at the Undergraduate level and M.Com and Post Graduate Diploma in Finance & Taxation at the Postgraduate level. The College has Research Centres in Commerce and Management Studies, from which 4 scholars have so far been awarded their doctoral degree.

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Last date of Registration & Submission of Paper: 25th April 2022

ONLINE ROUNDS ON:

14th May 2022

'Niti Samvaad' is a national platform for the best students of the best colleges in the country to publicly present their independent and informed views on policy issues concerning the Indian economy. At "Niti Samvaad 2.0" the outstanding team of Christ University Bangalore had the distinction to be named 'the best'.

Niti Samvaad 3.0 will empower student participants to contribute substantially on issues relevant to the chosen theme and present their policy prescriptions on the suggested theme using appropriate research designs and presentation methods in the following three rounds: The Pre-Qualification Round, the Technical Presentation Round and the fast-track Non-Technical Presentation Round to be held online on 14th May 2022.

Participants:

Scheduled to be an Annual National Event, participation is restricted to undergraduate students of some of the best colleges in the country. Participants will engage themselves in reflection about, researching into and representation of contemporary issues pertaining to commerce and economics.

Each team will comprise of 3 undergraduate students of the college and 1 teacher mentoring the students.

The guiding Teacher will be a member of the team, and has the opportunity to bag the 'Best Guiding Teacher Award'.

Entry is restricted to Only OneTeam per College.

Themes

Participant Colleges could select one of the following topics:

- 1) Skill India: A tool for reshaping Indian Economy
- 2) Green Entrepreneurship: Emerging paradigm for sustainable growth and development

Round 1: Pre-Qualification Round

Participants from the invited colleges will register themselves online, and will submit their reflections on the chosen topic electronically, strictly adhering to submission guidelines and the given time framework. A Panel of Judges will independently evaluate the submissions and will select the Best Five teams only to qualify for the personal presentation rounds to be held online on 14th May 2022.

Submission Guidelines

- Only online submission within the given time schedule will be entertained. The submission should be on a neatly typed MS-Word document on A4 page setup with margins of 1 inch on all sides, single line spacing, page numbered and 'Garamond' font with max. word limit of 5000. The Document should contain no pictures/images except for figures/tables/graphs.
- ➡ Footnotes should appear at the bottom of the page on which they are cited/referenced.
- → Tables and Figures should be numbered. Sources of data used in both tables and figures should be duly acknowledged as a footnote to the same. In case some abbreviations and acronyms are used in the tables and figures, these should be duly described in the main body text of the manuscript where they have been cited/referenced/interpreted and well as in the footnotes of the table/figure.
- → Tables and figures should be duly referenced in the body text where these have been interpreted.
- → All Figures (charts, diagrams or line drawings) should be of clear quality in black and white. In case of figures which cannot be included in MS Word, pdf is the only accepted standard image format.
- Research Methodology used in the manuscript should be explained in detail and mathematical equations (if any) should be typed using MathType or any equation editor, should be consecutively numbered using Arabic numerals in parentheses.
- Sources of data used in the study should be duly acknowledged and the procedures used to convert raw data into usable data should be explained in detail. At the end of the manuscript, all references cited in the body text should be complete in all respects and arranged in alphabetical order. Authors should carefully check the list of references for completeness, accuracy and consistency.
- ⇒ Strictly follow the 'APA' style for references and for citations.
- The issues of copyright infringement, plagiarism or other breaches of best practice in publication shall be taken very seriously. All submissions must be accompanied by plagiarism-check report using any popular software with no similarities above 10%.

- → Noregistration/submissions will be allowed beyond 25th April 2022
- → Participating teams will have to register Online, through the linkprovided on the college website. The link will be operational from 4th April 2022.

Round 2: Technical Presentation and Q&A Session

The 5 best teams selected at the end of the pre-qualifying (first) round, will be invited to compete through Rounds 2 and 3 after the second-stage registration. The qualifying teams will now be asked to make a formal technical presentation and face public queries. The focus of this round will be on the problem identification and dwell on policy prescriptions. This round will be evaluated by a panel of Jury comprising of accomplished professional practitioners and experts.

Presentation Guidelines:

- ➡ The 5 qualifying teams at the end of the pre-qualifying round will be Informed about their selection, and will once again need to register themselves to confirm their continuation in participation and online presence for the final event dates.
- ⇒ The PPT file must be mailed to the organisers at least one week in advance of the event date. No further changes in the submitted ppt file will be permitted thereafter.
- → All technical presentations and responses to questions will be in English only.
- ➡ The presentation must necessarily indicate policy gaps in the chosen topic and suggest policy reforms.
- ➡ The issues of copyright infringement, plagiarism or other breaches of best practice shall be taken very seriously. All usage of secondary sources of data must be duly acknowledged and quoted.
- ➡ Each team will be given 15 minutes for making a presentation and 15minutes to answer the queries put forth by the jury.

Round 3: 7-minute Non-Technical Presentation Round

All teams will now make a Non-Technical Presentation online before a non- technical jury drawn from diverse backgrounds. The focus of this round is to judge whether teams can present complex issues in simple language that any layman could understand. The time allotted for this round is 7 minutes (including Q & A).

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