Department of Commerce Voc. (BFSI)

The Department of Commerce Voc. (BFSI) conducted an Inaugural Meet on 1st September 2022 from 02:30 pm to 03:30 pm in Mother Regina hall by invoking God's blessings, followed with a welcome address. The Resource person for the Inaugural meet was Dr. John G, Dean of School of Management studies, St. Joseph College, Trichy, spoke on the topic Career Opportunities. Sir, shared his real life experiences of how setting a career is important in life. He explained that labor market needs more efficient and qualified candidates. Sir gave a brief introduction about the profile of students community all over India and he also explained the carreer opportunities and recruiting statistics that is in practice till date by companies in India. Sir also spoke about the competition persisting for a skillful job and explained the students how they should equip themselves by having extra qualification apart from basic degree to grab the opportunity to get employed in a reputed concern with a high scale pay. Sir, highlighted that it is not degree but it is the skill that will fetch you the job" so he empowered to students to take up many computer language courses like C++ programming, Python and Certification in Microsoft office. The learning new skills is about continuous learning and enriching ourselves. Sir, believes that mobile phone is the best educating device and so he suggested to take up online courses like NPTEL, SWAYAM and Power BI. He concluded the session saying, "You are at right track but you have to equip with skills which employer need". A total of 84 students from I B.Voc.(BFSI), II B.Voc.(BFSI) and III B.Voc.(BFSI) participated in the meeting. Session ended with vote of thanks given by the student council member. Students got an awareness about the different career opportunities and also an idea about professional courses. The session helped the students to build their own dreams related to their career and help them to secceed in their life.

An association meet was held on September of 29th 2022 from 12:30pm to 1:30pm in Mother Regina hall by invoking God's blessing, followed with the welcome address. Mr. Ramachandrababu. N of R save, the chief guest of the session and spoke about the Entrepreneurship-Service Sector. Sir spoke about entrepreneurship, and he highlighted its important role in the economic growth and the development of nation. He spoke that an entrepreneurial act is a critical factor in economic development and an integral part of the socio economic transformation. Sir gave us brief explanation about Micro, Small and Medium enterprises and their limitations. Sir, suggested the students to take up professional course like Chartered accountant (CA), Certified Management Accountant (CMA) and he also gave a short introduction about the Roles, Income and Assets of the high profiled entrepreneurs. He educated the students about the RBI function, the Ratio Rates of the Banks, Lending\Deposit Rates, Needs of the Insurance, Tax Planning and also about filing the taxes. Sir explained about Insurance Regulatory & Development Authority of India, Post office Saving Schemes, products of the banks, Investments in Mutual funds and shares. He also made known about the Security Exchange Board of India (SEBI) and Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA). concluded the session by giving an idea about the various opportunities the students have in this

field. A Total of 68 students from II B.Voc. (BFSI) and III B.Voc. (BFSI) participated in the meeting. Session ended with the vote of thanks said by Student Council Member Ms.Yashica. Students got the awareness about the Entrepreneurship and its opportunities.

A one day workshop was organized by the Department of Commerce Voc. (BSFI) on the topic Securities Operation and Risk Management on 27th October 2022 in Mother Regina's Hall. The Resource Person for the workshop was Mr. Glenn Roger Carr, Co-Founder and Director, Finmark Trainers India Pvt Ltd, Chennai. The workshop commenced by invoking the Lord's blessings and a welcome address. Sir, gave a wide knowledge about securities and differentiated security and securities. The essence of the topic was brought out clearly by various examples, followed by participants of share market their rights in the company. He also enunciated about Preference shares, Rights shares, FCCB – foreign Currency Convertible Bonds, Masala Bonds, ADR – American Depository Receipt, GDR – Global Depository Receipt and finally IDR – Indian Depository Receipt. Sir also enlightened the students about Private issue, Public issue, Merchant banker, IPO – Initial Public Offer, divisions in capital market and how secondary market is further subdivided as cash and derivative market was explained. The connotation of derivatives and pros and cons of investing futures and options was illustrated. He apprised about job opportunities available for B.Voc. (BFSI) students in stock broking firm especially in back office and front office. The methods and resources of earning money through CNC, Margin Trading was apparently explained. He enlivened the crowd by gifting chocolates to students who answered correctly. He demonstrated how a stock broker works as per the order of his clients and trades on behalf of his clients. Sir, divided the students into four groups and were asked to calculate margin value and concluded the session by enlisting the steps taken SEBI to prevent Insiders trading, Circular Trading and how SEBI facilitates people through grievance redressal office. The session concluded with vote of thanks, around 85 students attended the session.

The Department of the Commerce Voc. (BFSI) conducted an association meet on 3rd November 2022 from 2:30 PM in Shanthi's hall by invoking God's blessing, followed with the welcome address. Mr. Ashok Kumar, Virtual Coach, Founder Vera Level Business was the chief guest of the session and spoke about the Studentpreneur. Sir, explained how Studentpreneurship helps to secure student's future and also create employment opportunities. He highlighted that Entrepreneurship and innovation help individuals become independent and channel their creativity into creating something of their own in this competitive world and enhances student's analytical and logical skills that enable the students to solve any entrepreneurial problem. Sir emphasised on

the various essential life skills such as an innovative approach to solve a problem, resolve real world problems, collaboration and working with a team, and many more. He added that by encouraging creativity, innovation, and collaboration the entrepreneurship molds the students into an abler individual strong enough to face the reality of the outside world. Apart from the degrees and certifications, the students should have the much-needed experience to start their journey in the market with a strong foundation as the world is changing rapidly and we are voyaging steadily towards a generation equipped with more technical knowledge and advancement. He also added that the future belongs to the innovators and leaders. Sir quoted that building entrepreneurship development and skills during learning stage is important so he initated us to start the studentrepreneur journey. Sir explained that empowerment skills include aspiration, tolerance, positive impact and transparency. He further elucidated that to become a Studentpreneur he or she should find education on training facts, building connections, finding the need of idea, getting education and all these should be done in a simplified manner. To gain more knowledge about studentpreneur he referred a book named Ekighai which is highly inspiring. A Total of 80 students from II B.Voc (BFSI), II B.Voc (BFSI) and III B.Voc (BFSI) participated in the meeting and they felt highly benefitted. Session ended with the vote of thanks said by Ms. Neha III B.Voc (BFSI).

On 11th January 2023 in Mother Regina Hall at 02.30 pm an association meet was held. The Session started by invoking the blessing of God Almighty. Then session was followed with a welcome address. Mr. N. Manikandan, Branch manager, Punjab National Bank, METLIFE was the resource person and he spoke on the topic "Career Opportunities in Banking Industry". Sir gave a brief introduction about the profile of student's community all over India and he also explained the career opportunities and recruiting statistics that is in practice till date by banking industry in India. He educated the students about the various job opportunities available in banking and insurance sectors and he also suggested the student to choose jobs that facilitates growth with stability and also he quoted the students to make proper alignment with hard work and smart work. Sir further elucidated the importance of insurance and the benefit of working as an insurance provider. He annotated that students can become Financial Advisor with 90 hours of training and getting an IRDA certified authorisation. Sir's teammate Mr. Shivan explained the various types of off roles and on roles jobs in insurance company. In off role, there are chances of opting for financial advisor and Distribution manager which requires leadership skills. He explained the three stages to work in off roles namely Probationary, Senior and Executive. In on role, there are various channels namely working as Direct, S2S and in corporate field. Sir advised to take up opportunities of becoming a Life Portfolio Manager (LPM), which is the first of its kind as Advisor Designation in Life Insurance Space in India with an income package of 10 lakhs per year. Finally Sir ended the meeting by sharing few websites to the students for those who wish to take up part time job during their graduation. The session came to an end with vote of thanks. About 80 students of I, II, and III B.Voc. (BFSI). The Session was very interactive, informative and very useful.

On 30th January 2023 the Department of Commerce Voc. (BFSI) organized an association meet in Mother Regina Hall at 11.30 Am. The Session started by invoking the blessing of God Almighty, followed by a welcome address. Mr. Glenn Roger Carr, Co-Founder and Director, Finmark Trainers India Private Ltd was the resource person and he spoke on the topic "Introduction to Investment Lab". Sir elucidated the importance of investment lab and highlighted that it is an effective way to put your money to work and which potentially builds wealth. Sir briefed the usage of the Investment lab which strives to deliver the concepts and decipher the art of value of investing to students. It mainly focuses on experiential learning in par by collaborating the theoretical knowledge into practical skills related to stock market. Investment Lab endeavor to create efficient investment decision related to Financial Markets and various financial Instruments to the students also to develop independent Investor decision for future, to will generate good wealth by investing in Financial Markets to become financial independent. The key features of Investment Lab are Online Trading, Consultancy, Personal Financial Planning, IPO, Investment Planning, Fundamental Analysis, Sector Analysis, Mock Stock, BSE Visit, Research Report Analysis, Portfolio Management, Investment Advices, Expert Talk, Technical Analysis, and Stock Analysis. It gives access to workstations designed to precisely mimic real trading desks, Up-to-date news and information, unsurpassed trading and portfolio simulation tools.

Department of Commerce Voc. (BFSI) organized an inauguration ceremony for the Investment Lab on 31st January 2023 with the Almighty's blessings. Our esteemed Rev Dr. (Sr.) A. Christina Bridget, Principal, Holy Cross College unfastened the ribbon ceremony in the presence of the Guests Of Honour Mr. Pradeep Founder, Finmark Trainers India Private Ltd. and Mr. Glenn Roger Carr, Co-Founder and Director, Finmark Trainers India Private Ltd. And the first order was placed by Dr. (Sr.) A. Christina Bridget, Principal, Holy Cross College. The investment lab offers students and faculties an invaluable hands-on learning experience and allows them to perform investment and trading room simulations by learning and applying current in-demand finance and analytics tools. The lab consists of many computer systems with share market data base installed within them. The lab serves as a platform for students and professors to gain knowledge on various share market operations and get an opportunity to train them in reel world share market scenario. The learners can use this lab for practicing the transactions done in share market, how to buy/sell shares and how to take logical investment decisions. Mr. Glenn Roger Carr, Co-Founder and Director, Finmark Trainers India Private Ltd, spoke about the mechanism and the usage of the Investment lab from the scratch. He also quoted that our Investment lab is the first ever investment lab set up in Arts and science colleges in Tamilnadu. Student representatives were selected from each class to learn and then share the knowledge with the rest of the students. Once students learn about investing in reel share market, they would be taken to deal the real world with the help of Mr. Glenn Roger Carr and his team. The inauguration was successful and the students enjoyed watching the stock market using the simulator. The programme came to an end with vote of thanks.

A Two day Workshop in Investment lab on 20th and 21st February 2023 on Hands On Training -Trading In Stocks. Mr. Ganesh Uthramoorthy, Faculty of Finmark India Pvt Ltd trained the Students of II B.Voc.(BFSI). The session started with a general introduction on the various companies listed in the NSE stock exchange. Sir divided the class into 3 groups. Each group students were taught about how to deal with shares in the reel share market. Sir taught us on how to create a market watchscreen with options of selecting the trade to be done in cash market -Equity (NSECM) or derivatives namely future and options (NSEFO). In derivatives he taught us on future index (FUTIDX), future stocks (FUTSTK) and option index (OPTIDX) and option stocks (OPTSTK) by adding new companies. The future index and stocks are created for consecutive 3months i.e present, next and third month. Option index and stocks have call option (CE) and put option (PE). Sir also taught us how to purchase shares in NSE Simulator with price conditions like market order (MO), limit order (LO) and stop loss order (SO). MO means an order to buy or sell a stock at the market's current best available price. LO means an order to buy or sell a stock with a restriction on the maximum price to be paid or the minimum price to be received. SO means an order placed to buy or sell a stock once the stock reaches a certain price. Trigger price is used in stop loss order. It is fixed higher during sale and lower price while buying. Sir also enlightened us how to verify the reports in options. Sir elucidated that "The right time to buy and sell shares need to be understood by practise and continuous research on NSE listed companies." Students understood the concept and procedure of trading well. The second day, students were given some data to trade on shares. Hands on Training cleared the entire concepts in the minds of students. The practical session was not only useful but also interesting and knowledgeable for the students. About 26 students benefitted the workshop.

On 27/02/2023 the B.Voc.(BFSI) association conducted Vezeto'23 (Coordinate to Lead), an inter – collegiate Competition in Regina's Hall. The Chief Guest of the inauguration was Mr. S. Pradeep, partner, S. Chenthilkumar & co. The event started with a prayer song and bible reading by Ruth Felicia. Ms. AnitaKumari, Association President, Department of Commerce. Voc (BFSI) delivered the welcome address. Nearly 140 students from 5 colleges participated in the event. The events conducted were Business Quiz, Best Manager, Ad-Zap, Cash Puzzle and Mime. Judges of the events were Dr. Michael Sammanasu, Dean of Students, JIM, Mr.Salman, Founder and CEO, Propeller Technology, Dr. Arul Sulochana, Faculty, JIM, Mr. Hermon Carduz, Director, Leaders choice wellness Training and development and Mr. Sebastian Raju, Mime Trainer. The chief guest for the valediction was Mr. Rajesh Yi Co – chair Trichy and CEO of Internest. The students of the Department of Commerce, Jamal Mohamad College were the overall Winners of Vezeto'23 and the students of the Department of commerce, National College were the Runners up of Vezeto'23. The event came to an end with the vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Vidhya, Association Vice president, Department of B.Voc(BFSI).

On 9th March 2023 an association meeting was held in the Shanthi's Hall at 2:30 pm by invoking God's blessings. The resource person was Ms. S. Sabina, Dietician and Health Coach. She spoke

on the topic Miracles of Millets. She highlighted on the different types of millets are cultivated in India like Finger Millet, Pearl Millet, Kodo Millet, Foxtail Millet, Raggi and Proso millet ,Little and Barnyard Millet. She advised us to take a portion of millets in meals as they are very nutritive compared to rice and wheat. She commented that Raggi has 30 percent more calcium and 20 percent more phosphorus than rice. Therefore millets are very important for a person's food intake. She highlighted that Millet is a good source of protein, fiber, key vitamins, and minerals which has potential health benefits of include protecting cardiovascular health, preventing the onset of diabetes, helping people achieve and maintain a healthy weight, and managing inflammation in the gut. Millet is an adaptable grain. At last she ended the session by saying that Millets Are Future Crops and they can be taken in form of many delicious recipes. She also gave some samples of millets to have a hands on experience of its texture and size. Around 88 students from I B.Voc (BFSI), II B.Voc (BFSI) and III B.Voc (BFSI) benefitted the meeting.