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PRAGATI COLLEGE

OF ARTS & COMMERCE, DOMBIVLI (E)
Affiliated to University of Mumbai

Department of Self Financing Courses
Organises

One-Day International Conference on

"BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN CLASSROOMS & CORPORATES"



Saturday, 21st January, 2017

VENUE :
PRAGATI COLLEGE AUDITORIUM

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ABOUT THE COLLEGE

T.Z.A.S.P. Mandal's Pragati College of Arts & Commerce, Dombivli, is one of the leading education institutions in Mumbai suburb, affiliated to the university of Mumbai, with around 3500 students on its roll including junior college and professional courses. National Council for Accreditation and Assessment, Bangalore, accredited with 'B' grade in 2013-14. The college is managed by Thane Zilla Agri Shikshan Prasarak Mandal. Hon'ble Shri Jagannathji Patil, Chairman, T.Z.A.S.P. Mandal and Former Minister, Maharashtra State, is a visionary and guiding force for the college.

Besides the regular degree courses in Commerce and Arts, the college runs several other courses in the field of management. This includes the bachelor of management studies (BMS), B.Com. in Banking and Insurance (B.Com. B&I), B.Sc. in information technology (B.Sc.I.T.), M.Com (Advanced Accounting) and M.A. in Economics. Also we have started Bi-Focal for Junior section i.e. Computer Science & Electronics from 2009-10. The college follows several healthy practices in higher education and lays stress upon the development of overall personality of the students.

ABOUT SELF FINANCING DEPARTMENT

When one works as an executive at entry level, the work environment now demands broadened mindsets and qualifications for diverse positions. The changing workforce, recent economic downturn and changing demographics are all contributors to this paradigm shift. Technical and specialized skills, honed to an art today may indeed become outdated in the near future. It is essential that employees continue to expand their current knowledge base and skill sets to add personal value in their organisations. A specialised degree does just that, in addition to preparing the student for continued growth and lifelong learning. It is with this objective in mind that the University of Mumbai has introduced the Bachelor of Management Studies (B.M.S.), B.Com. In Banking & Insurance, B.Sc. in (I.T.). These courses were introduced in the year 2003 by the University and in the same year the Self Financing Department was established by the College so as to help the local students to take the benefits of this paradigm shift from general education to professional education.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Education is a powerful tool for human empowerment, and also a strong driver of social thinking and transformation besides being the engine of prosperity and development of the nation. The self-financing courses which are considered as job-oriented programs not only provide better choices for students but also cater to the demands and needs of industries. These assure good placements as they offer specialized training mainly with the help of industry experts. World Economy is rapidly changing day by day, throwing new challenges before academicians. We, as teaching fraternity need to find the solution for these challenges. It is necessary to develop a proper mechanism where in the students can change themselves according to the need and situation. If given the practical insight of the corporate world. This conference is basically organized with the motive to discuss the gaps between corporate expectations and education. It will be useful for the academicians, research scholars and business houses and the university to amend present policies for the growth and development.

AIMS & OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE

1. To discuss the changing trends in education in global era.
2. To discuss innovative & Motivating new ways of imparting knowledge.
3. To find out efforts previously taken to fill the gap between industry / corporate expectation & academics.

THEMES OF THE CONFERENCE

MANAGEMENT

1. Development of Soft Skills : Need of the Hour
2. Entrepreneurship : Encouraging innovative business idea.
3. Changes to be brought in current management practices
4. Any other related theme

BANKING & INSURANCE

1. Importance of Employability Skills with reference to Banking & Insurance Industries.
2. Insurance : A Career beyond working as an agent.
3. Academic Integration
4. Any other related theme.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

1. Emerging challenges in class room teaching.
2. Development of E learning, virtual classroom.
3. Access of technology to rural learners.
4. Any other related theme.

CALLS FOR RESEARCH PAPERS

Two hard & one soft copies (in the CD format/through e-mail) including an abstract of 300 words and full paper in 2500 words of A-4 sheets and in Times New Roman (Font Size-12 with double spacing+) together with the registration form & delegate fees should be sent to convener on or before 10th January 2017. The abstract of the papers in the hard copy should be submitted on a separate sheet & the soft copy should be e-mailed to the following address. **Selected papers will be published in conference proceedings with ISBN.** Accomodation will not be provided by Organizing Committee.

REGISTRATION FEES

Demand draft should be drawn in the favour of **'The Principal, Pragati College, Dombivli'** payable at Dombivli.

Registration Fees :

International Delegate	US \$ 50/-
Corporate Presenter	Rs.2,000/-
Paper Presenter (including compendium)	Rs.1,200/-
Participant	Rs.1,000/-
Research Scholar	Rs.800/-
Student	Rs.500/-

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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE Saturday, 21st January, 2017

Registration & Breakfast
8.00 a.m. To 9.00 a.m.

INAUGURATION
9.00 a.m. To 10.00 a.m.

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Chief Guest

Shri Chandrashekar Tilak

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PLENARY SESSION

Mr. Jeetendra Nair
M. D., Unilight Ventures

Dr. Sangeeta Pawar

H.O.D. (Department of Commerce)
University of Mumbai

FIRST TECHNICAL SESSION

10.00 a.m. To 11.30 a.m.

Dr. Nishikant Jha

H.O.D. (Accounting & Finance), Thakur College

Mr. Amit Jain

Zonal Manager, 109F

SECOND TECHNICAL SESSION

11.30 A.m. To 1.00 p.m.

Dr. Girish Kumar Rana

Associate Professor, J. Z. Shah Arts College &
HP Desai Commerce College, Amroi, Surat (Gujarat)

Dr. Kanchan Fulmali

Associate Professor,
M. L. Dahanukar College, Vileparle

Lunch Break

1.00 p.m. To 2.00 p.m.

THIRD TECHNICAL SESSION

2.00 p.m. To 3.30 p.m.

Prof. Rajendra Patil

Assistant Professor, S. K. Somaiya College,
Vidyavihar, Mumbai

Mr. Kiran Bhangale

Senior Software Architect, Pitney Bowes India, India, Pune

VALEDICTORY & FEEDBACK FROM PARTICIPANTS

3.30 p.m. Onwards

- Chairperson -

Hon'ble Pushpalatai Patil

Vice-Chairman
T.Z.A.S.P. Mandal