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## About the College

B. K. Birla College of Arts, Science and Commerce (Autonomous), Kalyan a multi-faculty premier institution of higher learning, with an enrolment of more than 12500 students (8,100+ students in UG, PG and Research Programmes and 4400+ in Junior College) is affiliated to the University of Mumbai (UoM). The College was established in 1972, by Kalyan Citizens' Education Society with the blessings of Pujya Smt. B. K. Birla ji and Pujya Smt. Sarala ji Birla.

The College offers 30 UG, 29 PG courses and 09 Ph. D. programs. The College also conducts PG Diploma in Bio-nanotechnology and A-DMLT. The UGC has sanctioned a Community College for Diploma in Accounting and Taxation in 2015- 16.

The College has been reaccredited (3<sup>rd</sup> Cycle) by NAAC and awarded 'A' Grade (CGPA- 3.58) in 2014.

The College is spread over 20 acres of land (including B. K. Birla Public School) in the prime location of Kalyan city. The college has 55 classrooms with ICT facility, with 50% being smart classrooms and a 3D studio. As an initiative towards green campus, the college is focusing on use of energy saving devices, minimizing waste, Rainwater harvesting, etc. and creating awareness about plastic-free campus.

The 'Bust' of Pujya Shri B. K. Birla ji has been installed at the College and unveiling ceremony was held on Saturday, the 9th April 2022 at the gracious hands of our Chief Patron Padma Bhushan Smt. Rajashree ji Birla (Chairperson, Aditya Birla Centre for Community Initiatives and Rural Development).

The college is striving to achieve greater heights of academic excellence.

### Infrastructure

- i) Physical -The additional construction of 55000 sq. ft. is almost ready for use.
- ii) Digital - The College has taken special efforts towards developing IT enabled campus and Digital Footprints. The College has well-equipped laboratories and Library under the patronage of our Chairman, Shri O. R. Chitlange.

On the occasion of Celebration of Golden Jubilee Year of our College and Birth Centenary Year of our Founder Pujya Shri B. K. Birla ji, the Postal Stamp was released with the College logo and photo of Pujya Shri B. K. Birla ji by the Department of Posts, Government of India at the hands of Shri Bhagat Singh ji Koshiyari, Hon'ble Governor of Maharashtra and Chancellor of Universities in Maharashtra State and Padma Bhushan Smt. Rajashree ji Birla, our Chief Patron, Chairperson, Aditya Birla Centre for Community Initiatives and Rural Development (Digitally) on Thursday, 14 October, 2021 at Raj Bhavan, Mumbai.

The College in the pursuit of excellence has attained numerous awards and accolades. The College has been consistently ranked among the best colleges of India in different education surveys nationwide. Recently, the college has been Ranked No. 1 as 'Promising Future Ready - Institution' by Education World, India Higher Education Rankings 2021-22.

The College has Gandhian Studies Center, Women's Studies, and Dr. Ambedkar Studies Center. The College is also a Centre for Yoga and Philosophy, Centre for studies in Epigraphy and Foreign Languages.



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B. K. Birla College has a vibrant work-culture with holistic approach to education. The teaching - learning process is supported using ICT, interactive exercises, projects, assignments, etc. in addition to chalk and talk method. It has taken special efforts towards developing IT enabled campus and Digital Footprints and introduced several new age programs to cope up with the market trends.

The academic results have always been higher than the University results.

**7\* faculty members from Degree College have been promoted to the post of Professor and 3 faculty members promoted to the post of Associate Professor under the Career Advancement Scheme.**

(\*Dr. Geetha Unnikrishnan, Dr. Maninder Kaur Dhaliwal, Dr. Swapna Samel, Dr. Meeta Bhot, Dr. Balkavi Suranje, Dr. Mahendra Khandpekar and Dr. Madhavi Thakurdesai)

Research is an integral part of teaching. 25 faculty members are Ph.D. Guides. Many faculty members are working on Major and Minor Research Projects and have published a number of research papers and authored books. 25 Patents (19 Published and 06 Awarded) have been contributed by the Faculty Members. Dr. Aanand Dharmadhikari, Dr. Ankita Malpani, Dr. Rinky Rajwani from Degree College, and Dr. Kiran Patil from Junior College have been awarded Ph.D. Degree.

The performance of students is excellent in extra-curricular activities including NCC, NSS, Sports, etc. The College NCC Units have bagged the Vice Chancellor's banner for 12 times out of 20 for being best NCC Unit of UoM. Our cadets participate in *Republic Day Camp, Thal Sainik Camp and All India Nau Sainik Camp* regularly.

The College ranked 4<sup>th</sup> in sports (30 Gold, 13 Silver and 12 Bronze) in UoM (2018-19). 28 students have represented the college at National Level and won One Gold, Five Silver and One Bronze medals. The management provides financial support to the students for participating at International and National Level. The College provides Tuition fee concession to needy students in addition to scholarships / freships by Government.

The College has been granted '*Autonomous Status*' by UGC and UoM from 2018 - 19.

The COVID-19 lockdown came with a different set of concerns as the college has scheduled the examinations for Semester IV and Semester VI examination. The classroom teaching was ongoing for first year and for PG classes with 80% of the syllabus being already taught. But the lectures were dismissed, and examinations were postponed till further notice from 16th March, 2020. There was feeling of uncertainty and put hold to future for the entire world in general and final year students in specific. The college had to address the challenges where some students without reliable internet access and/or technology struggled to participate in digital learning.

The College Management and Authorities took this challenge as opportunity to continue teaching learning process through the extensive use of e-learning platform. The college has subscribed for Microsoft Teams and had scheduled Training Sessions for the faculty Members (from 15<sup>th</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> April 2020). Hence, the transition in teaching modalities from offline to online was smooth.

Microsoft 365 included free MS Tools to work, learn, organize, and connect with students like • MS Office • OneDrive • Outlook • SharePoint • Microsoft Forms • Microsoft Teams • Microsoft Edge. By integrating with Microsoft 365, all students and faculty were able to access cloud storage, integrated email and calendaring, mobile apps, and collaborative chat, calling and learning via Online Platform of



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## MS Teams.

Regular meetings, Special Task Team for training teachers and students was formed, Daily Review and Feedback Mechanism was implemented. The college came up with the action plan to settle concerns of the students and continue the teaching on online mode. All the guidelines issued by the University of Mumbai, UGC and Government of Maharashtra were implemented for Teaching, Learning and Evaluation after the declaration of lockdown.

Faculty Members connected with students and explained the importance of health. Student Survey was conducted to understand the availability of devices, wifi connectivity or internet connectivity, and the current location of the students. Webinars was organized to spread awareness about the pandemic, inspire and instill positive attitude amongst the faculty members and the students.

Few topics of webinars organized by the college were 'COVID-19: What Science has learnt and still learning'(250 participants), 'RT-PCR: A Molecular Diagnostic Test for Detection of Covid19'(260 participants), Recent Trends in HR(160 participants) 'Cyber Hygiene(1800 participants) 'Chanakya and Management'(300 participants) 'Functional Nanomaterials: Concepts, Structure Property Relationships, Knowledge-Based Design, Translational Materials Research'(922 participants) Online Abhyas Mahotsav (110 participants) 'The New Normal - Conversations for a better tomorrow' 'Education Technology for Learning - e - Learning' 'Real Life Management'

Eminent Doctors from the 'Task Force Team of KDMC' & Renowned Doctors were invited during 2 Day webinar on 'Awareness and Preventive Measures to fight COVID-19 spread in our Area'. Around 22000 participants attended the webinar through Live Telecast on You Tube Channel, Facebook Webpage and Live Event on MS Teams.

The College organized Webinars in association with Mpower on various topics to provide professional psychological counselling to students for various mental concerns like fear, depression, eating disorders, etc. from 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2020. College in association with Mpower launched Tollfree Number for students, parents, faculty and staff with unlimited access on 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2020. The services are absolutely confidential and calls are answered by experienced psychologist.

Reference Material was shared with the students on MS Teams in the form of Power point Presentation, Lecture Notes, Blogs written by Faculty Members, problem sheet for practical subjects like accountancy, mathematics, etc.

Revision Lectures were conducted on MS Teams for final year students of UG and PG. Online Lectures were supported by creation of e-content which was shared with the students. E-content was uploaded in the subject of mathematics on the YouTube Channel of the faculty member.

Training sessions on soft skills, personality development, alternate career guidance, image enhancement and interview techniques were organized by the Placement Cell.

MS Quiz Forms were shared with the students to prepare them for MCQ Based Online Examination. Practical Examinations and Project Work Evaluation were also arranged and completed online on MS Teams platform. Sample MCQs were prepared and published on the College website and circulated among the students, to develop the awareness about exam pattern amongst UG Sem VI & PG Sem IV Students. Mock Sessions were conducted on the online examination application subscribed by the college for the conduct of examinations. The College has signed an agreement with SchoolGuru Eduserve Pvt. Ltd.-Mumbai for the conduct of online examination. The examinations were conducted during 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 to 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2020 for the Academic Year 2019-20.

The UGC has issued guidelines to begin new academic session from the month of August 2020 and for first year from September 2020.



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## **Outcome:**

The education has changed significantly with the distinctive rise of e-learning, whereby teaching is undertaken remotely and on digital platforms. A wave of Digital Literacy can be witnessed amongst faculty members and students, which will definitely make the way out for Blended Learning Model in the Future. More than 7000 students (Degree College) and 190 Faculty Members are using this new normal mode of Online Teaching Learning and Evaluation.

The College has introduced M.Sc. (Data Science and Big Data Analytics), M.Sc.(Finance) and M.Com. (Banking and Finance) courses from A.Y. 2019-20 and M.Sc. (Artificial Intelligence) and M.Com. (Accounting and Finance) from A.Y. 2020-21. The College has also introduced M.Sc. Chemistry (Analytical Chemistry), Microbiology (Industrial Microbiology), Physics (Materials Science), Zoology (Cell Biology and Cytogenetics) Biotechnology, (Industrial Biotechnology), Information Technology (Cloud Computing), Mathematics (Applied Mathematics), B.VOC. Courses in (MLT, Cyber Security & Forensics, Business Management & Entrepreneurial Development and Financial Market & Trading Operations), B.Sc. (Hons.) Interior Design, B.Sc. (Hons.) Integrative Nutrition & Dietetics, B.M.S. (Hons.) Sports Management, B.M.S. (Hons.) Event Management & PR and M.Com. (Business Management) from the A.Y. 2021-22.

The College has established Mpower Counselling Cell instituted by Smt. Neerja ji Birla, Founder and Chairperson, Mpower, to provide holistic mental health care solutions. It was inaugurated at the august hands of Smt. Neerja ji Birla on 17<sup>th</sup> February 2021 and has been instrumental in providing mental health care to the staff and students reeling under the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic.

The College has introduced Post Graduate Diploma in Global Education in Association with ADITYA BIRLA EDUCATION ACADEMY for Aspiring Teachers, in service teachers looking for career growth and working professionals, looking for a career switch.

The college has established Career guidance and Placement cell and Entrepreneurship cell and Skill Hub to provide help, support, and guidance. Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated B. K. Birla College - Entrepreneurship Cell and Skill Hub (RUSA) on 03.02.2019 digitally.

A number of students have qualified for the UPSC / MPSC, IIT- JAM, NET and SET examinations and have received INSPIRE fellowship.

The RUSA has sanctioned our college a grant of Rs. 5.00 cr. for 'Enhancing Quality and Excellence under Component 8'.

The college has signed MoU with University of West Georgia and few other national and international institutes for faculty and student exchange and to promote research. We have signed MoU with Century Rayon, Shahad, Century Enka Ltd., Pune and Rajashree Polyfil Ltd., Bharuch, for strengthening academics and research.

The College has a well-equipped Central Library with IT infrastructure, 79,000+books, 1130 audio-visual materials, 114 periodicals, 33 E-books, institutional membership of Inlibnet and Delnet.

The College has been sanctioned Rs. 30.00 Lakhs for being 'Mentor Institution', by UGC under PARAMARSH scheme (2019-20).

On 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> October 2021, Achievers College of Commerce and Management Night College, Kalyan



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(Established in August 2013) (our Mentee College) has undergone the process of 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle of Accreditation by NAAC as First Mentee College of B. K. Birla College (Autonomous), Kalyan under the PARAMARSH scheme of UGC. The College has been accredited by NAAC and awarded B+ Grade (with CGPA - 2.66).

The college has been selected Under the Scheme 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan 2.0' for 'Holistic development of adopted Villages' by MHRD, GoI. (2020).

## Academic Performance (2020-21)

The Covid – 19 pandemic which started in March 2020, affected the lecture schedules as well as conduct of examinations. The College stepped up to combat the situation. The College opted for the online mode of Microsoft Teams for Teaching- Learning. Similarly, The Qurio Application by SchoolGuru was officiated for the conduct of online examinations. The College provided training to the faculty members and students in the use of Microsoft Teams and gave individual ids to everyone. Similarly training, mock tests and proctoring was provided for the Qurio app.

The College conducted the Semester VI examinations of undergraduate and Semester IV examinations of Post Graduate classes on behalf of the University of Mumbai, under the autonomous status in April/May 2021. The Internal assessment of 40 marks for all classes was completed before April 2021. The students at our college have shown excellent academic performance (overall) in the Examinations held in April / May 2021.

### College Result 2020-21

Undergraduate Programmes			
Programme	Result (%)	Programme	Result (%)
T.Y.B.Com.	99.83	T.Y.B.Sc.	97.78
T.Y.B.Com. Fin. Mgmt.	100.00	T.Y.B.Sc Comp Sci	100.00
T.Y.B.Com. (B&I)	100.00	T.Y.B.Sc Bio-Tech	100.00
T.Y.B.Com. (A&F)	100.00	T.Y.B.Sc. I.T.	100.00
T.Y.B.M.S.	100.00	T.Y.B.A.	100.00
		T.Y.B.M.M.	100.00
Postgraduate Programmes			
Programme	Result (%)	Programme	Result (%)
M. A. (Marathi)	100.00	M. Com	98.82
M. A. (Hindi)	93.33	M. Com (E-Commerce)	96.55
M. A. (Political Science)	100.00	M.Com. (Banking & Finance)	95.45
M. A. (Business Economics)	100.00	M.Sc. (Physics)	100.00
M. A. (History)	100.00	M.Sc. (Chemistry)	100.00
M.Sc. (Zoology)	100.00	M.Sc. (Botany)	100.00
M.Sc. (Computer Science)	100.00	M.Sc. (Microbiology)	100.00
M.Sc. (Environmental Science)	100.00	M.Sc. (I.T.)	100.00
M.Sc. (Biotechnology)	96.15	M.Sc. (Bioanalytical Science)	100.00
M.Sc. (Data Science and Big Data Analytics)	100.00	M.Sc. (Finance)	100.00



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## Landmark Events 2021-22

The academic year 2021-22 was the *Golden Jubilee* year of BKBCCK. The College marked the year by conducting various activities like *Webinars*, *Alumni lecture series*, *Scholarly lecture series*, *Scholarly lecture series* under the UGC Scheme 'PARAMARSH', *Workshops* and *Abhyas Mahotsav*. A unique lecture series '*BKBCCK Expressions*' (252 sessions) was conducted through the year which saw Faculty members from the past and present sharing glimpses of their journey in BKBCCK.

- Department of Environmental Sciences on the occasion of '*World Environment Day*' organized a webinar on the topic '*Ecosystem Restoration*' on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Bivash Pandey, Director, Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS), Mumbai delivered the Keynote Address.
- Department of Computer Science organized online Summer Camp on '*3D Designing*' under DBT Star College Scheme from Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 to Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- UGC Sponsored Centre for Yoga, Philosophy and Practice, NCC, NSS and Sports in Association with Kaivalyadhama Yoga Institute, Mumbai organized 10-Day Yoga Workshop on '*Boosting Immunity Among Youth Through Yoga*' every day from 7.30 am to 8.30 am from Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2021 (International Yoga Day) on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- NCC Unit organized a special lecture on '*Rainwater Harvesting*' on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Avinash Patil, Principal, BKBCCK was the Resource Person.
- 6 Mah. Bn. Mumbai- 'A' Group organized Orientation Training Programme for CTO's from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 to Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Opening Address was given by Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director, (Education), BKBCCK on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Inaugural Ceremony of the '*Golden Jubilee Year Celebrations*' of our College and 'Birth Centenary Year Celebrations' of Pujya Shri B. K. Birla ji, was held online on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

Padma Bhushan Smt. Rajashree ji Birla, Chairperson, Aditya Birla Center for Community Initiatives and Rural Development and Our Chief Patron have graced the Ceremony as the Chief Guest and our efforts towards the progress of the Institution and conveyed her blessings.

- On the occasion of celebrations of Golden Jubilee Year and also Birth Centenary Year of Pujya Shri B. K. Birlaji in 2021-22, Students' Council, BKBCCK organized Quiz Competition on 'About our College and Principles of Pujya Shri B. K. Birla ji'. Last date for registration is 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021 E-certificate were given to the winners of the competition.
- From Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2021, BKBCCK organized Special Lecture series '*BKBCCK Expressions*' on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations. The lecture series continued throughout the year on every working day at 4.00 pm. All the faculty members starting with Dr. Geetha Unnikrishnan, Associate Professor and Head, Dept. of Zoology, BKBCCK, some of the retired faculty members and few faculty members who have gone on to become Principal of other colleges and higher positions in the University delivered lectures and shared glimpses of their journey in BKBCCK. The platform



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used was Microsoft Teams. More than 200 sessions of 'BKBCCK Expressions' were conducted in 2021-22.

- BKBCCK (UGC sponsored Centre for Yoga, Philosophy and Practice, NCC, NSS and Sports) in association with Kaivalyadham Yoga Institute, Mumbai celebrated 'International YOGA Day' on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2021. Shri Subodh Tiwari, CEO, Kaivalyadham Yoga Institute, Lonavala was the Chief Guest. The Program was conducted on Microsoft Teams.
- Mpower and Department of Management Studies jointly celebrated 'International Yoga Day' on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2021 by the activity 'Clapping Hands for Good Health' on Microsoft Teams.
- BKBCCK, 6 Mah. Bn. Mumbai-'A' Group organized Orientation Training Programme for CTO's. Closing Address was given by Brig. Manohar Thomas (Retd Sr. GM (Admin), Century Rayon, Shahad on Microsoft Teams Platform.
- Department of Management Studies organized Faculty Development Program on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Ms. Shalu Purswani, NET, SET in Management & Commerce delivered the talk on the topic 'Steps to Success'.
- Department of Gymkhana and Sports, BKBCCK, BKBNC and Centre for Yoga, Philosophy and Practice jointly organized 15-day workshop from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July to 26<sup>th</sup> July 2021 on 'Energize Yourself. The daily fitness session was from 6.30 am to 7.30 am at morning and 5.00 pm to 6.00 pm at evening.
- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture series' the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. S. B. Mantri, Former Vice president, TATA Auto Comp, CEO Tata TOYO Radiator Co and Vice president at VIT Institutes, Pune delivered the talk on the topic 'Learnings from Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj: 1. Flawless planning and precise execution 2. Complete Clarity and seamless alignment'.
- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture series' the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Vinod Nowal, Deputy Managing Director, JSW Centre, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra delivered the talk on the topic 'Leaders ignite transformation to achieve impossible'.
- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture series' the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mrs. Snehal Karle Patil, IRS, Dy Director of Income Tax, Central Board of Direct Tax, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi delivered the talk on the topic 'Competitive exams with special focus on UPSC exams'.
- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture series' the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. CA Shilpa Shah, Sr. General Manager (Finance), Century Rayon, Shahad delivered the talk on the topic 'The Real-World Accounting'.
- BKBCCK organized special lecture series under PARAMARSH Scheme on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Rajendra Shinde Principal, St. Xavier's College, Autonomous, Mumbai delivered the talk on the topic 'Sharing of Best Practices'.



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- BKBCCK, BKBNC, BKBPS and Century Rayon High School, Shahad jointly organized 'Dnyanyatra' on the occasion of Ashadhi Ekadashi on Digital platform on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021.
- BKBCCK, Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti, New Delhi and Dept. of Gandhian Studies and Peace Research Centre Gujarat Vidyapith, Ahmedabad jointly organized 2<sup>nd</sup> Regional E-Conference on 'Impact of Mahatma Gandhi on India's Freedom Struggle' on digital platform.

Dr. Rajendra Khimani, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Gujarat Vidyapith was the Chief Guest for the same. Smt. Rajni Bakshi, Executive Committee member, GSDS was the Guest of Honor.

Welcome address delivered by Shri Dipankar Shri Gyan, Director, Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti, New Delhi. A lecture was conducted on 'Launch of Orientation Course on Nonviolent Communication in Gujarati' by Prof. Premanand Mishra, Dept. of Gandhi Darshan, Gujarat Vidyapith.

Introduction to the course on Nonviolent communication given by Dr. Vedabhyas Kundu, Program Officer, GSDS. Vote of Thanks given by Dr. Rajdeep Pathak, Program Officer, GSDS and Moderation was done by Dr. Namita Nimbalkar, Dept. of Philosophy, University of Mumbai.

This program was organized on the occasion of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav: 75<sup>th</sup> celebration of India's Independence.

- Departments of Biotechnology, Bioanalytical Sciences and Environmental Sciences celebrated 'MARINE WEEK' from 26<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> July 2021 and the inaugural address delivered by Dr. Sanjay Deshmukh, Prof. Dept. of Life Sciences, and Former Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai on the topic 'Mangroves for Sustainable Human Development' on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. This program is celebrated on the occasion of 'International Day of Conservation of Mangroves'.
- BKBCCK NSS UNIT organized 'Guru Purnima Programme' on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. R. S. Lokhande, Director, Research, J.N. University, Jaipur and coordinated by Dr. Sandesh Jaybhaye, Program Officer BKBCCK and Area Coordinator.
- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture series' the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Ms. Meeta Rajivlochan, Member Secretary, National Commission for Women, New Delhi delivered the talk on 'Women Empowerment - Challenge and Opportunities'.
- Department of Management Studies in collaboration with Public Concern for Governance Trust, Mumbai organized BKBCCK PCGT Campus Ambassador Program 2021-22 on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. V. P. Raja, Ex-IAS Officer, PCGT Chairperson was the Resource Person for the same.
- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture series' the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Rajiv Mishra, Principal, J. J. College of Architecture, Fort, Mumbai delivered the talk on 'A living to make a Life (Art, Architecture & Design)'.
- BKBCCK organized a webinar on 'Managing Stress' for Parents on Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- BKBCCK celebrated 'Teachers Day' and the Management felicitated the faculty members and staff who have completed 25 years of service on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2021.



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Shri O. R. Chitlange, Chairman, B. K. Birla College Governing Council, Kalyan and Shri Subodh Dave, Vice Chairman, B. K. Birla College Governing Council, Kalyan was present.

Felicitated persons were as following

Dr. Anuradha Hastak, Dr. Sandesh Jaybhaye from Degree College,

Dr. Khemraj Barhate, Shri Bharat Bhimte, Mrs. Manisha Dond and Mrs. Sunita Palve from Junior College,

Dr. Pratibha Gadhe as Ph.D. awardee and Mr. Suryakant Chougule (Lab Attd.).

- BKBCCK organized 'Virtual Career fair 2021' in association with NAEMD. Session was conducted by Mr. Sachin Vedpathak, Faculty & Management Professional and Ms. Namrata Zodgey, Faculty & Industry Expert on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- BKBCCK organized 'Faculty Induction Programme' on behalf of UGC - HRDC Academic Staff College, University of Mumbai from 13<sup>th</sup> September to 14<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

Prof. Suhas Pednekar, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, University of Mumbai, was the Chief Guest for the inaugural function on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. K. Shanthi, Director, UGC HRDC, University of Mumbai also graced the occasion.

- BKBCCK organized 'Scholarly Lecture Series' of distinguished Alumnus on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on Microsoft Teams. Mr. Swapnil Thorat, IFS, Government of India, was the guest speaker on the topic 'Career in Administrative Service.'
- Departments of Botany and Environmental Sciences celebrated 'Wildlife Week' from Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> October to Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> October 2021.
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Special Guest Lecture was conducted by Dr. Shubalaxmi Vaylure, Moth Lady of India, Founder and Director, Ladybird Environmental Consulting LLP on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2021.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Guest Lectures was conducted by Dr. Sudhir Dhuri, Former Head, Department of Botany, V.G. Vaze College, Mulund on Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> October 2021.
  - Various Competitions were also arranged during this period, like
    - Mandala Art - Theme: Flora and Fauna
    - Warli Paintings - Theme: Flora and Fauna
    - Mask Paintings - Theme: Wildlife Biodiversity
    - Bird Bath - Theme: Ecofriendly
- 'Postal Stamp with Golden Jubilee year Celebration logo of the College and Photograph of Puja Shri B. K. Birla ji' under Brochure of Corporate My Stamp was released at Raj Bhavan, Mumbai on Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

Shri Bhagat Singh ji Koshyari, Hon'ble Governor of Maharashtra and Chancellor of Universities in Maharashtra State was the Chief Guest for the function.

Padma Bhushan Smt. Rajashree ji Birla, our Chief Patron and Chairperson, Aditya Birla Centre for Community Initiatives and Rural Development graced the occasion digitally.



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Shri H. C. Agrawal, Chief Postmaster General Maharashtra and Goa Circle and officials from Postal Department, Governing Council Members and Faculty Members were present for the function.

- ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System (QMS) recertification Audit is scheduled from 27<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Information Technology organized *Cyber Security Week* from 25<sup>th</sup> October to 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2021.
- Department of Physics and Science Association organized a Special Lecture on '*Atom, Atomic Radiation and Cancer Treatment*' on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. K. P. Mishra, Founder Head, Radiation Biology and Health Science Division, Bhabha Atomic Research Center, Mumbai and Former Vice- Chancellor, Nehru Gram Bharti University (NGBU), Allahabad was the Resource Person.
- Department of Zoology and Tiger Club under DBT Star Status organized '*BIRD WEEK*' from 5<sup>th</sup> November to 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2021,

Following competitions were conducted through online platform.

- 6<sup>th</sup> November 2021 - Capture the bird in a card (Greeting card making)
- 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021 - Sketch the bird (Drawing)
- 8<sup>th</sup> November 2021 - Make a bird feeder
- 9<sup>th</sup> November 2021 - write a biographical sketch on Indian ornithologist
- 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021 - poetry recitation on birds
- IQAC organized an Orientation Program for the First-Year students on Monday, the 29<sup>th</sup> November 2021 through hybrid mode. Due to Covid restrictions, number of students attending in college was highly restricted. Hence the faculty members delivered their talks from the college while students were requested to join online. Very few students participated in offline mode.
- Dept. of Higher and Technical Education, Govt of Maharashtra and Maharashtra Information Technology Support Centre organized a workshop on '*Career Katta – Coordinators Workshop*' on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2021. Mr. Yashwant Shitole, President, Maharashtra Information Technology Support Centre, Kolhapur was the Resource Person for the same.
- BKBCCK celebrated '*Vijay' Diwas*' on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2021, sponsored by Century Rayon.

This year, with the support of Century Rayon, the NCC Units of B. K. Birla College celebrated this Historical Day by honouring following persons-

- 1) Smt. Supriya Ambre, Wife of the Martyr Hav Sudhir Ambre was felicitated by Mr. Subodh Dave, Vice Chairman, Governing Council, BKBCCK.
- 2) Smt. Mary Baby, Wife of the Martyr L/Nk H. B. John was felicitated by Mr. H.S. Dagur, Chief Manufacturing Officer, VFY Business, ABG.
- 3) Smt. Bhavika More, wife of Naib Bharat More was felicitated by Mr. Vinay Jain, Chief Finance Officer, VFY Business, ABG.



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2 Gallantry Award Winners were also honoured on this occasion

- 1) Hony Capt. Arun Ramling Mali, the Veer Chakra Awardee was felicitated by Mrs. Anuradha Dave.
- 2) Havaldar Shantaram Mahadik, Sena Medal Awardee was felicitated by Dr. Avinash Patil, Principal, BKBCCK

Capt Suvarna Jadhav, an ANO for NCC Army Girls Wing of the College was also felicitated by Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director, Education, BKBCCK on this occasion for receiving DG Commendation on NCC Day-2021.

The Cheque towards the contribution from Century Rayon was handed over to Major Pranjal Jadhav, Officer In Charge, Sainik Solider Board, Thane the Officer In Charge at the hands of Mr. H. S. Dagur, Chief Manufacturing Officer, VFY Business, ABG and Mr. Yogesh Shah, Sr. Vice President (Finance), Century Rayon on account of Armed Forces Flag Day.

- BKBCCK organized the Inaugural Function of '*PRAVAH-21*' on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft teams with the theme '*Sci-Tech Expedition: A Journey from Science to Technology*'. Prof. Deepak B. Phatak, Professor Emeritus, IIT Bombay was the Chief Guest. Shri Subodh Dave, Vice Chairman, Governing Council was the Guest of Honour.

All the science departments organized various competitions during this festival. Events covered were like Scientific Writing, Scientific Exhibition, Scientific Cartoon Memes, Video Making Competition, Scientific cartoon making, PowerPoint presentations, scavenger Hunt, Mobile application development, click a moment, Bio Collage, Bio Rangoli, codeathon, etc.

- The Valedictory function of '*PRAVAH 21*' was organized on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Suhas Pednekar, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai delivered the Valedictory Address.
- BKBCCK organized Short Term Course under RUSA on '*E-filing and Statutory Compliances to Tax Laws*' on behalf of UGC - HRDC University of Mumbai from 29<sup>th</sup> December 2021 to 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. This short-term course was designed to provide hands-on training on filing of Income tax returns as well as GST returns to the faculty members from all the disciplines.
- Departments of Environmental Sciences, Management Studies along with NCC and NSS in association with KDMC organized a '*Swachhta Abhiyan: A Cleanliness Drive*' on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December 2021 to clean the area of walking track around Kala Talav, Kalyan. The activity was conducted by Dr. Sonal Tawde, Dr. Sandesh Jaybhaye, Mr. Anil Tiwari, Lt. Prakash Sansare, Mr. Anand Dharmadhikari, Mr. Bharat Bagul, Mr. Ganesh Kumawat, NCC cadets, NSS valenteers and students from dept of Management Studies. Around 175 students participated in the drive. Mr. Ramdas Kokare, Asst. Commissioner, Solid Waste Mgmt, KDMC guided the activity personally.
- NSS unit organized the selection camp for the volunteers for The National Youth Festival to be held from 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> January 2022 at Puducherry on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> December 2021.
- BKBCCK organized '*Musical Evening*' conducted by the Faculty Members of BKBCCK on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.



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- Students' Council organized 'Vivek Manjusha' (National Online Quiz) on the occasion of National Youth Day on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Management Studies organized Intercollegiate Fest 'Aagaz: The New Year Beginning' on Friday, the 21<sup>st</sup> January 2022 and Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2022, The event was coordinated by Dr. Madhu Shukrey.  
Events conducted during this fest were Online Games, Instrumental Jugalbandi, Photo Prem, cooking without Gas, Break the Enigma, Mock Stock, Business Plan, Influencer Endorsement, Logo Making and Quiz Master, etc. on digital platform of Microsoft Teams platform.
- Department of English organized 'METAMORPHOSIS' National Level Inter-collegiate linguistic & literary contest on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2022 and Tuesday, the 25<sup>th</sup> January 2022. It was conducted from 10.00 am onwards on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Competitions like Caption Writing, Spell-It-Right, Speak A Minute, Poetry Recitation, Short Story Narration, Debate Competition, etc.
- UGC sponsored Centre for Yoga, Philosophy and Practices, BKBCCK organized '21 days Surya Namaskar Challenge - a key to healthy life' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams daily from Sunday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2022 to Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> February 2022. This programme was a tribute on 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Independence (75 Crore Suryanamaskar). India is celebrating Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. The Programme was coordinated by Dr. Archana Singh, Director, Centre for Yoga, Philosophy and Practices and Mr. Y. D. Bagrao, Physical Director, Gymkhana, BKBCCK.
- BKBCCK celebrated 73<sup>rd</sup> Republic Day on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2022.
- The Department of Geography organized an International Project on 'Coral Reefs Revival' on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. A Project by Rotaract Club of Dombivli Suncity and Rotaract Club of General Sir John Kotelawala Defense University (KDU), Sri Lanka conducted by the speakers RTR. Sanjay Jaiswal, RTR. Shreyas Avhad, RTR. Imasha Lakshmiwala and RTR. Rasheedah Amath.
- Depts. of Accountancy and Commerce jointly with Kalyan - Dombivli Branch of WIRC of ICAI organized Public Meetings on 'Union Budget- 2022' on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The Speakers were CA Sanjeev Gokhale, Practicing CA, Taxation Expert, Editorial Team of ABP Majha News Channel and CA Hiral Shah, Practicing CA, Hiral S. Shah & Associates.
- Dept. of Gymkhana and Sports organized '1<sup>st</sup> open online Blitz Swiss Chess Championship' on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Dept. of Computer Science organized 'Virtual Scavenger Hunt' on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Mpower Cell celebrated one year of *mpowering minds programme* on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- BKBCCK organized a tribute program in the memory of Bharat Ratna Smt. Lata Mangeshkar on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- BKBCCK organized a Brainstorming session on 'University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations - 2020' on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March



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2022 on digital platform of Zoom provided by R. J. College, Mumbai. All the Autonomous College in Mumbai attended the same.

Welcome address was given by Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director (Education), BKBCCK, information about the session given by Dr. T. A. Shiware, Director, (Education), Wilson College, Mumbai, Opening remarks was given by Prof. Suhas Pednekar, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai, addressed by Prof. B. P. Sable, Former Vice Chancellor, YCMOU, Nashik, Prof. S. S. Mantha, Former Chairman, AICTE and Prof. Ravindra Kulkarni, Hon'ble Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai.

- BKBCCK organized a workshop on 'E-Content Development' with MKCL regarding 'Demonstration for creating and launching online courses as per UGC guidelines' on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 at Conference Hall.

Session I conducted on 'Demonstration of Creating and launching online courses as per UGC Guidelines'.

Session II was conducted on 'Discussion on next action plan and formulation of road map with select faculty / IQAC members'.

Shri Vivek Sawant, Chief Mentor, Former M.D., MKCL was present.

- Arts Circle organized 'BIRLOTSAV- SERIESCON' on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2022, an intercollegiate festival conducted at main building stage.
- Arts Circle organized Valedictory function of 'BIRLOTSAV - 2022' on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2022.
- RUSA Inspection was held on Tuesday, the 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2022. Shri Santosh Kawde, Joint. Director, RUSA; Shri Pramod Patil, Dy. Director (Finance) RUSA; Dr. Pramod Pabrekar, Sr. Consultant, RUSA; CA Kaushik Gada, Independent C.A., Dr. S. K. Patil, I/C Principal, CKT College, Panvel were present.

Dr. Naresh Chandra, Prin. Dr. Avinash Patil, Shri Rajesh Mundada, Shri B. D. Joshi and Mrs. Swapna Dighe were also present.

- The function of 'Unveiling of Bust of Pujya Shri B. K. Birla ji' held on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2022 at the gracious hands of Padma Bhushan Smt. Rajashree ji Birla, our Chief patron and Chairperson, Aditya Birla Centre for Community Initiatives and Rural Development and our Chief Patron.
- B. K. Birla college has hosted 'All India Inter University Rugby Championship (Men and Women)' on behalf of University of Mumbai from 12<sup>th</sup> April to 21<sup>st</sup> April 2022 at Century Rayon Sports ground (Ramleela maidan). More than 1000 Rugby Players (Men and Women) from different universities of the country participated in the tournament.

Inaugural Function of 'All India Inter-University Rugby Tournament (Women) 2021-22' (under the auspices of the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi) was held at Century Rayon Sports Ground (Ramleela Maidan), Shahad on Tuesday, the 12<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

The Chief Guests were Prof. R. D. Kulkarni, Hon'ble Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai and Dr. Vijay Suryawanshi, IAS, Hon'ble Commissioner, KDMC, Kalyan, Shri Subodh Dave, Vice Chairman, Governing Council, BKBCCK and Shri Rahul Bose, President, Indian Rugby Football



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Dept. of Sports & Physical Education, University of Mumbai and BKBCCK organized Prize Distribution Function of *All India Inter-University Rugby Tournament (Women) 2021-22* (under the auspices of the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi) held at Century Rayon Sports Ground (Ramleela Maidan), Shahad on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

The Chief Guest was Dr. Sudhir Puranik, Registrar, University of Mumbai, Mumbai; Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director (Education), BKBCCK; Dr. Avinash Patil, Principal, BKBCCK; Dr. Harish Dubey, Chairman, Gymkhana Committee, BKBCCK and Dr. Mohan Amrule, Director, Sports & Physical Education, University of Mumbai were also present.

- Dept. of Sports & Physical Education, University of Mumbai and BKBCCK organized an Inaugural Function of '*All India Inter-University Rugby Tournament (Men) 2021-22*' (under the auspices of the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi) at Century Rayon Sports Ground (Ramleela Maidan), on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2022 at Shahad.

Prof. R. D. Kulkarni, Hon'ble Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai, Shri Dattatray Karale, IPS, Addl. Commissioner of Police, Thane Div. (East Region); Dr. Mantada Raja Dayanidhi, IAS, Hon'ble Commissioner, Ulhasnagar Municipal Corporation; Shri Subodh Dave, Vice Chairman, Governing Council, BKBCCK and Shri Rahul Bose, President, Indian Rugby Football Union were the Guests of Honour.

Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director (Education) BKBCCK; Dr. Avinash Patil, Principal, BKBCCK; Dr. Harish Dubey, Chairman, Gymkhana Committee, BKBCCK and Dr. Mohan Amrule, Director, Sports & Physical Education, University of Mumbai were also present.

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- BKBCCK has organized '*Degree Distribution Ceremony*' on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Shri O. R. Chitlange, Chairman, Governing Council, BKBCCK, BKBC and BKBCNC, Kalyan was the Chief Guest.
- Dept. of Environmental Sciences organized the opening meeting for Pre-assessment of National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Mr. T. Samuel Paul Prasanna, Lead Assessor and Technical Assessor, NABL was present.
- Dept. of Environmental Sciences organized the Advisory Committee meeting on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2022 to discuss the observations of the Pre-assessment visit of NABL.



## Internal Quality Assurance Cell

- CAS meeting was conducted for the teachers on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2021. K. M. Agarwal College and Wada College Teaching Staff were also present for their meeting in the Seminar Hall. Dr. Sanjay Jagtap, Joint Director, Higher Education, Konkan Region, Panvel was present.
- BKBCCK organized special lecture series under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. R.S. Mali, Former Vice Chancellor, Kavayitri Bahinabai Chaudhari North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon delivered the talk on the topic '*Reforms in Higher Education: NEP 2020 / Internalization of Best Practices*'.
- BKBCCK organized special lecture series under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. B. S. Ponmudiraj, Adviser, NAAC delivered the talk on '*Internalization of Best Practices*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. V. N. Magare, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Pravara Institute of Medical Sciences, Deemed to be University, Loni delivered the talk on '*Quality Enhancement Initiative - NEP-2020*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Rajan Welukar, Former Vice-Chancellor, University of Mumbai delivered the talk on '*Reforms in Higher Education: Sharing of Best Practices - NEP - 2020*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Shashikala Wanjari, Former Vice-Chancellor, SNDT Women's University delivered the talk on '*Reforms in Higher Education: Sharing of Best Practices - NEP - 2020*'.
- Department of Environmental Sciences organized '*Ecofriendly Ganpati Idol Making Competition*' on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on Ganpati Festival.
- BKBCCK organized special lecture series under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC. Prof. Ravindra Kulkarni, Hon'ble Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai delivered the lecture on the topic '*Multiple Entry and Exit Options in Academic Programme, ABC and Umbrella School Concept*' on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- BKBCCK organized a special lecture series under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Samir Kulkarni, Director, Innovations, Incubations and Linkages, University of Mumbai, delivered the talk on the topic '*Journey of Innovation from Idea to Entrepreneurship*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Siddheshwar Gadade, Secretary, Janardan Bhagat Shikshan Prasarak Sanstha, Panvel and Former Principal, CKT College, Panvel delivered a Keynote address on the topic '*Teaching - Learning and Extension activities in Higher Education*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Sukhadeo Thorat, Former



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Chairman, UGC delivered a Keynote address on the topic '*Education Policy, 2020: What is New and Old in the New Education Policy?*'.

- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.

CMA Dr. Kinnarry Thakkar, Professor and Head, Dept. of Commerce, University of Mumbai was the Guest Speaker.

- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Friday, 22<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Latha Pillai, Former Sr. Advisor, NAAC, Bangalore delivered a Keynote Address on the topic '*Quality Initiatives - NEP 2020*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Vandana Chakrabarti, Former Pro Vice Chancellor SNDT Women's University, Mumbai delivered a Keynote address on the topic '*Student involvement in community work during pandemic times*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC Preparations' on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. S. S. Mantha, Former Chairman, AICTE delivered the lecture on '*NEP-2020-Reforms in Higher Education-Post Pandemic*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Kavita Laghate, Professor, JBIMS delivered the lecture on '*NEP 2020: Reforms in Higher Educational Sector*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Padma Shri Ramakrishna V. Hosur, Senior Professor, Dept. of Science, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Colaba, Mumbai delivered the lecture on '*Holistic Education and Scientific Research: Ancient Wisdom and Modern Perspective*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Harold D'Costa, President, Cyber Security and Operation and CEO- Intelligent Quotient Security System, Pimpri, Pune delivered the lecture on '*Cyber Attacks - Detection and Prevention*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Sharad Mhaiskar, Hon'ble Pro Vice Chancellor, Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies (NMIMS), Mumbai delivered the lecture on '*NEP 2020 and its implications for Higher Educational Institutions*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Vibha Surana, Professor and Head, Dept. of German and I/c Director, Confucius Institute, University of Mumbai delivered a talk on the topic '*NEP 2020 with special reference to promote Foreign Languages*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under 'PARAMARSH' scheme of UGC on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Seema Purohit, Principal, Brihan



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Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune delivered a talk on the topic '*Attributes and examples of Multidisciplinary Approach suggested in NEP*'.

- The College has organized a meeting under the scheme of 'PARAMARSH' on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2021 to review the preparedness of all the mentee institutions for NAAC Accreditation. Dr. Avinash Patil, Principal, BKBCCK; Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director (Education), BKBCCK, all the respective mentors of the Colleges and Principals / IQAC Coordinator of Mentee Colleges attended the meeting.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Shri V. P. Raja, Retd. IAS and Trustee, Public Concern for Governance Trust (PCGT), Mumbai delivered a talk on the topic '*Reflections on Ethics, Values and Governance*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. (CA) Mahesh Bhiwandikar, Chairman, Achievers College of Commerce and Management (Night), Kalyan was the Guest Speaker for the same.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Ulhas Kolhatkar, Pediatrician, Siddhi Hospital, Dombivli delivered a talk on the topic '*Diet for New India*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Anil Heroor, Oncologist, Anil Cancer Clinic, Dombivli (E) delivered a talk on the topic '*Health Issues with special reference to Cancer Studies*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' and '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Shri Gaurav Ghelani, Academic Relationship Manager, India West and Central, Tata Consultancy Services delivered a talk on the topic '*Industry- Academia Connect*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Shri Pankaj Borkar, Deputy Controller of Patents and Designs, Govt. of India, New Delhi delivered a talk on the topic '*IPR- Patent, Designs, Trademarks, Copyrights*'.
- IQAC conducted an Induction Program on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> December 2021 for all newly appointed Faculty Members.
- IQAC in association with E-Cell organized 3 days Entrepreneurship Development Program from Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> December to Wednesday, the 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021, for Budding Entrepreneurs titled as '*Discover an entrepreneur within you*'.

Following Eminent speakers were invited to deliver special talks

- Dr. Samir Kulkarni, Director Innovation, Incubation and Linkages, University of Mumbai delivered a talk on the topic '*Creating Awareness about Entrepreneurship Ecosystem*' on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2021.



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- Mr. Aadesh Suryarao, Chief Executive Officer at MU Ideas Foundation, University of Mumbai. Incubation and Linkages, University of Mumbai delivered a talk on the topic '*Creating Awareness about Entrepreneurship Ecosystem*' on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2021.
- Prof. Ismail Akbani, Head, Innovation and Linkages, Symbiosis Centre for Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Pune delivered a talk on the topic '*Idea Generation to Project Implementation*' on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2021.
- Dr. Rakhi Sharma, Academic Head, Jai Hind College, Convener, Incubation Centre/ E- Cell and Skill Hub delivered a talk on the topic '*Successful Stories of Start Ups*' on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2021.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' and '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Sandeep Jadhav, MD, DPM, FIPS Manav Neuro Psychiatric Hospitals Pvt. Ltd. Kalyan delivered a special talk on the topic '*Post Pandemic Health issues : Psychological perspective*'.
- BKBCCK organized '*Scholarly Lecture Series*' under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Sumit Shrivastava, MD, DNB (Medicine), Consulting Physician, Lifeblyss Clinic, Ashirwad Bldg, first floor, Murbad Road, Kalyan delivered a talk on the topic '*Post Pandemic Health issues and care to be taken*'.
- BKBCCK organized special Lecture series under '*PARAMARSH*' scheme of UGC on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Officer on Special Duty, CSIR, New Delhi and Former Director, NEERI, Nagpur delivered the talk on '*Phytoid: A Wetland Technology for treatment of wastewater*'.
- BKBCCK organized 8<sup>th</sup> Meeting with Mentee Institutions on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2022 to facilitate the process of NAAC accreditation for the PARAMARSH colleges.

## International and National Webinars Organised:

The various departments in the College organized more than 100 online webinars on International and National level. All the webinars received an overwhelming response and were very well received by the participants.

- National Service scheme organized a Webinar on '*De-Addiction*' on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Dr. Varun Manek, MDS, St. George Govt. Dental Hospital, Mumbai was the Resource Person for the same.
- BKBCCK in association with Aditya Birla Group and Actalist organized a Webinar on '*Applications of Data Science in B2B Logistics*' on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Speaker 1- Ms. Aishwarya Raghavan, Seasoned Data Science Expert delivered the talk on the topic '*Combining elements of design thinking principles with heavy-duty machine learning algorithms to simplify and solve complex business problems using AI products*' and the Speaker-2 Ms. Nisha K., Data Science Practitioner delivered the talk on the topic '*Strategizing conceptualizing feature designing and delivering AI products of scale*' on digital platform.



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- Department of Mass Media organized a webinar on topic 'Camera: Life through viewfinder' on the occasion of National Camera Day on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Sushilkumar Daund, Senior DOP, Zee Studios was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Information Technology in association with TCS iON organized a webinar on 'Artificial Intelligence: Prospect for Growth and Automation' on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Debasish Roy Product Manager - TCS iON was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Computer Science (under DBT Star College Scheme) organized a webinar on 'Entrepreneurship' on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Abdes Jha (associated with 7 startups in 16 years) was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Management Studies organized Financial Skill enhancement seminar on 'Investor's Awareness Program' on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Amogh Gothoskar (Trainer) was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Computer Science (under DBT star college scheme) organized a webinar on 'Entrepreneurship' on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Abdes Jha (associated with 7 startups in 16 years) was the Resource Person for the same.
- Departments of Zoology and Environmental Sciences organized one day National Webinar on 'Paryavarnam 2021: Research in Biological and Environmental Sciences: Challenges and Opportunities' on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021. The Chief guest for the Inaugural function was Shri Sudhir Shrivastav, IAS, Former Chairman, MPCB and the keynote address delivered by Prof. M. M. Salunke, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Bharti Vidyapeeth, Deemed University, Pune on digital platform.
- BKBCCK organized Special Lecture series 'BKBCCK Expressions' on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee Celebration on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Vijay Suryawanshi, Hon'ble Commissioner, KDMC delivered the talk on the topic 'Solid Waste Management in KDMC areas'.
- Department of Physics and MRSI-MC organized One day National Conference on 'Advanced Materials' on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The Inaugural session was conducted by Dr. A. K. Chauhan, Secretary, MRSI-MC, Head, Organic Devices Section, Technical Physics Division BARC, Mumbai delivered the talk on the topic 'About Materials Research Society of India (MRSI)' and inaugural and keynote address delivered by Dr. Bharat Kale, Director, CMET, Pune. Session I was chaired by Dr. G. P. Kothiyal (Chairman, MRSI-MC, Former Head Glass & Ceramic Division, BARC, Mumbai) and conducted by Dr. Pushan Ayyub (Former Head, Dept. of Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science, TIFR, Mumbai) on the topic 'Crystal Structure of Metal Nanoparticles'.

Session - II was chaired by Dr. Shailendra Dahivale, Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics, SPP University, Pune and conducted by Dr. Debabrata Pradhan, Associate Professor, Materials Science Centre Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Kharagpur delivered the talk on the topic 'Heterostructured Nanomaterials for Hydrogen Generation through Water-spitting'.

Dr. G. P. Kothiyal, Chairman, MRSI-MC, Former Head, Glass & Ceramic Division, BARC, Mumbai delivered the Valedictory Address.



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- Department of Computer Science organized a National Webinar on 'Cyber Crime' On Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Prashant S. Lokhande, Cyber Crime and Digital Forensics Expert, Head-Training & Placement and Professor of department. of Computer Engineering, Pillai College of Engineering, Navi Mumbai was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Mass Media organized a webinar on the occasion of 'World Photography Day' on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Padma Shri Sudharak Olwe, Documentary Photographer, Mumbai talked on the topic 'Social Documentary Photography'.
- Department of Mass Media and Department of Geography organized National Photography Competition on the theme 'EXPRESSIONS' on this day.
- Department of Physics, Department of Chemistry and PGD in Bio-Nanotechnology organized One Day Workshop on 'XRD instrumentation, Analysis, Interpretation of Spectra and Applications' on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Pawankumar Kulriya, Associate Professor, School of Physical Sciences, JNU, New Delhi was the Resource Person.
- Department of Gymkhana and Sports organized One Day International Conference on 'Perspectives of Yogic and Sports Science towards Healthy Living' on the occasion of National Sports Day on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of English organized a One Day National Webinar on 'From Literature to communicate competence : The Paradigm Shift' on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft teams conducted by the Key Note speaker, Dr. Sudhir Nikam, Chairperson, Board of Studies English, University of Mumbai, Resource Person, Dr. Vaishali K. S., Professor, Dept of P.G & Doctoral studies in English, Jnana Bharthi Bangalore University, Bangalore, Resource Person, Dr. R. P. Singh, Professor of English, University of Lucknow, U.P., Guest Speaker, Dr. Rajesh Karankal, Head, Dept. of English, University of Mumbai and Guest speaker Dr. Sambhaji Bhamber, Chairperson, Board of studies English, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.
- Department of Microbiology & School of Paramedical Sciences' organized a webinar on 'Emerging Trends in Clinical Laboratory Medicine' on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The Chief Guest & Guest Speaker was Dr. M. B. Agarwal, Professor & Head, Dept. of Haematology, Bombay Hospital Institute of Medical Sciences, Mumbai, Consultant Haematologist: Lilavati Hospital, Breach Candy Hospital, Mumbai. A Special lecture conducted by Dr. Kinjalka Ghosh, Associate Professor, Dept of Biochemistry, Tata Memorial hospital Mumbai.
- Department of Information Technology organized a webinar on 'E-Waste Management' on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The webinar was coordinated by Dr. Maninder Kaur Dhaliwal, Vice Principal and Head, Dept. of Microbiology, BKBC.
- Department of Environmental Sciences in association with Kalyan Ambarnath Manufacturers Association (KAMA) organized One Day webinar on 'World Ozone Day' on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on Microsoft Teams.

Prof. A. K. Dikshit, Higher Administrative Grade Professor, Environmental Science and Engineering Department, IIT Bombay delivered the Keynote address on the topic 'Air Pollution Control Technologies'



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- Department of Computer Science organized a webinar on 'Project Management Tools' on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Sharmila Gaikwad Asst. Prof. Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Technology, Mumbai was the Resource Person.
- Department of Computer Science organized a National Webinar on Thursday 30 September 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Kasam Shaikh, Author and Global AI speaker and our Distinguished Alumnus delivered a special talk on the topic 'BUILDING FAQ BOTS IN MINUTES'.
- UGC sponsored Gandhian Studies Centre organized Two Days International Conference on 'महात्मा गांधी के सपनों का भारत और आजादी के ७५ वर्ष' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams on 1<sup>st</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2021.
- Department of Bioanalytical Sciences organized workshop on 'Basic Tools and Applications of Biostatistics' on 4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of History and Department of Geography jointly organized 14<sup>th</sup> Dr. Mani Kamerkar Memorial National Seminar on the theme 'Agriculture in History - A Journey through Ancient, Medieval and Modern World' on 5 - 6 October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Bhalchandra Mungekar, Chairman, Indian Institute of Education, Pune was the Chief Guest for the Inaugural function.
- Department of Chemistry and Students' Council jointly organized a webinar on 'Career Opportunities in Science' on Tuesday, 5 October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Shivram Garje, Associate Dean, Science and I/C Director, Garware Institute of Career Education and Development, University of Mumbai was the Guest Speaker.
- BKBCCK organized a Workshop in association with University of Mumbai titled 'Upcoming Zone Wise University Games' on Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2021. Dr. Mohan Amrule, Director of Sports, University of Mumbai conducted the workshop.
- Department of History organized One Day National Conference '11<sup>th</sup> Konkan Itihas Parishad' on Sunday, 24 October 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Rajesh Narvekar, IAS, District Collector, Thane was the Chief Guest for the Inaugural Program.
- Department of History organized 'Two Day National Conference – 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of The Epigraphical Society of India' and '40<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of The Place Names Society of India' on Thursday, the 25<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Naresh Chandra, Director (Education), BKBCCK delivered the Inaugural Address.
- Department of Political Science, Dr. Ambedkar Studies Centre and Social Sciences Association organized a webinar on 'Role of Indian Constitution in Protection of Human Rights' on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams Platform. Dr. Rajeshri N. Varhadi, Professor and Head, Dept. of Law, University of Mumbai was the Chief Guest for the same.
- Department of Political Science, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Studies Centre paid a humble tribute to Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar on his 'Mahaparinirwan Divas' on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2021. Director, Principal, Vice Principals, Teachers and Students were present at the venue.



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Department of Political Science, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Studies Centre and Social Sciences Association organized a webinar on '*Constitutional Thoughts of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar*' on this occasion on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Asmita Adwait Vaidya, Principal, Government Law College, Mumbai was the Resource Person for the same.

- Department of Zoology and Department of Environmental Sciences organized One Day National Webinar on '*Research in Life Sciences and Climate Change*' on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of English organized online '*National level Inter Collegiate Story and Poetry Writing Competition*' on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The topics were -For Story writing - '*Lockdown stories*' and for poetry – '*Lockdown Poetry*'.
- Department of Zoology, Department of Environmental Sciences organized One Day National Webinar on '*Interdisciplinary Research in Life Sciences: A path Towards Sustainability*' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.

Inaugural Address was delivered by Prof. Akhilesh Tyagi, Distinguished Professor, University of Delhi, New Delhi and Keynote address was delivered by Prof. Aniruddha Pandit, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai.

Invited talk was delivered by Dr. Amit Joshi, Professor of Medical Oncology, Tata Memorial Centre, Parel, Mumbai and Dr. Anuradha Majumdar, Dean, Faculty of Science and Technology, University of Mumbai.

Valedictory address was delivered by Prof. R. D. Kulkarni, Hon'ble Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai, Mumbai.

- NSS organized 2<sup>nd</sup> One Day Interdisciplinary National Conference on '*Climate Change and Youth: Time for Action*' held on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams platform.

Dr. Vijay Suryawanshi, IAS, Hon'ble Commissioner, KDMC, Kalyan and Padma Shri Prof. Sharad Kale, Former Associate Director, Bio Science Group, BARC, Mumbai, was the Chief Guests.

Prof. Harshvardhan Pol, Principal Scientist & Assoc. Professor (AcSIR) CSIR-NCL, Polymer Sci. & Engr. Division, Pune delivered a talk on '*Recycling of Polymer waste (Covid PPE kit)*'; Dr. Jayshree Ram Kumar, Scientific officer, BARC, Mumbai spoke on '*Water Pollution and New Technology*' and Dr. Monika J. Kulshreshtha, Sr. Scientist, National Physical Laboratory, New Delhi, delivered a talk on '*Air pollution, Prevention and Precaution*'. Dr. Debdatta Ratna, Scientist 'F' Head, Polymer Analysis Division, NMRL, Ambernath was Chairperson for Paper presentations (oral session) and Dr. R. S. Lokhande, Research Director and Prof. Poonam Dwivedi, Department of Chemistry, JNU, Jaipur as Chairperson for Paper presentation (poster session).

- Dept. of Hindi in association with Akhil Bhartiya Sahitya Parishad, Kokan Region organized '*पुस्तक परिचर्चा ('बल्लव' - उपन्यास) और साहित्यकार स्नेह सम्मेलन*' on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 onwards at Seminar Hall. Dr. Satish Pandey, Head, Dept. of Hindi, Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai and Shri Rushikumar Mishra, National Secretary, Akhil Bhartiya Sahitya Parishad were the Guest Speakers for the same.
- Department of Marathi organized '*मराठी भाषा दिन*' and '*कुसुमाग्रज जयंती*' by conducting '*ग्रंथदिंडी*' and other cultural programmes on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2022. Shri Akshay Tak, Famous Actor was



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the Chief Guest for the same. Various competitions like, Elocution, Essay, Story Telling, Poetry, One act play, Letter writing, Quiz, etc. were organized during the fortnight.

- Department of Information Technology and Computer Science in association with Miracles Unlimited Pvt. Ltd. organized 3 days workshop from Monday, the 28<sup>th</sup> February to Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2022 on 'Power BI' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Information Technology organized One Day National Webinar on 'Cyber Unsafe' on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Gaurav Gupta, Addl. Director, Scientist 'E' Cyber Law and E-Security, Ministry of Electronics and IT (Meit Y), Govt. of India was the Guest Speaker for the same.
- BKBCCK organized a webinar on 'Know about Women Health' on the occasion of 'International Womens Day' on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Varsha Phadke, Obstetrics and Gynecology was the Resource Person for the same.
- UGC sponsored Gandhian Studies Centre organized a 5-day National Youth Camp on the topic 'आजादी का अमृतमहोत्सव और महात्मा गांधी के सपनों का भारत' from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 to Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022. Shri Tushar Gandhi, great-grandson of Mahatma Gandhi and renowned author, Gandhian Thinker was present, and the inaugural address was delivered by Prof. Suresh Rutuparna, Director, K. K. Birla Foundation, New Delhi.
- On the occasion of 'International Women's Day', Women's Development Cell, BKBCCK organized a webinar on 'Women Empowerment (Past, Present and Future)' on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 conducted by 3 speakers i.e. Prof. Swapna Samel, Sr. Vice Principal (Arts) and Head, Department of History, BKBCCK; Prof. Maninder Dhaliwal, Vice Principal (Science) and Head, Department of Microbiology, BKBCCK and Mrs. Esmita Gupta, Vice Principal (Unaided) and Head, Dept. of Information Technology, BKBCCK on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Information Technology organized One Day National Webinar on 'Recent Trends in Cyber Crime and Cyber Security' on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. S. Murugan, IPS, IGP, STF, Tamil Nadu Police was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Computer Science and Information Technology organized 'TECH Expression' from 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 and Inaugural Function was held on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Events were conducted like Select from Brain, आरंभ-Lets startupp!, Code Conversion, Extempore, Drisya2K22, Techलेखन, etc.
- Patent Cell and Department of Zoology jointly organized a webinar on 'Creating the awareness on Intellectual Property Rights and Patenting for Researchers and the Fraternity of Higher Education' on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Suhas Kulkarni, Assistant Controller of Patent, Patent office, Mumbai was the Chief Guest for the same.
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- UGC sponsored Gandhian Studies Centre organized a 5 day National Youth Camp on the topic 'आजादी का अमृतमहोत्सव और महात्मा गांधी के सपनों का भारत' from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 to Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022. Shri Tushar Gandhi, great-grandson of Mahatma Gandhi and renowned author, Gandhian Thinker was present and the inaugural address was delivered by Prof. Suresh Rutuparna, Director, K. K. Birla Foundation, New Delhi.
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- NSS Unit organized 'IGNITE 2022' on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2022. Various competitions were organized like Street play, Elocution, Dance Competition, Poster Making, Photography, etc. at college campus.
- Department of Information Technology organized a National Webinar on 'Cloud Computing Trends & Future Technology' on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Saurabh Rai, Sr. Software Engineer, ValueLabs Solutions was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Geography organized a National webinar on 'Earth Sciences - A Demographic Perspective' on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Ram Babu Bhagat, Professor, International Institute of Population Sciences, Mumbai delivered the Inaugural Address.
- Department of Environmental Sciences organized One Day webinar on the occasion of 'World Water Day' on the topic 'Climate Change: Impact and Solutions' on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Subimal Ghosh, Institute Chair Professor, Water Resources Engineering, IIT-B was the Resource Person for the same.



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- Department of Mathematics organized *Theorem A Month* (A seminar series for UG and PG students) on the topic of '*Spectral Theorem and Hadamard's Maximal Determinant Problem*' on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Sudhir R. Ghorpade, Department of Mathematics, IIT Bombay was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Information Technology organized a lecture on '*Making your presence known in the World of IT*' on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Kartik Iyer, Sr. Software Developer, SOTI, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada was the Resource Person for the same.
- Dept. of Political Science, Dr. Ambedkar Studies Centre and Social Sciences Association organized a webinar on *Democracy, Indian Society and Marginalized Communities (लोकतंत्र, भारतीय समाज और हाशियों के समूह)* on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Suraj Badiya, Associate Professor, Dept. of Hindi, Dayal Bagh Education Institute (Deemed University), Agra and Visiting Associate Professor, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Tokyo, Japan was the Chief Guest for the same.
- 'Education World and Hello Career' presented "*Career Webinar Series*" on Event Management, Nutrition & Dietetics, Entrepreneurship, Accountancy & Finance and Performing Arts / Dance & Choreography on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022 on digital platform for our students.
- 'Education World and Hello Career' presented "*Career Webinar Series*" on Fashion Design, Interior Design, Marketing Management, Event Management, Actuarial Science and Business Management on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022 on digital platform for our students.
- 'Education World and Hello Career' presented "*Career Webinar Series*" on Sports Management, Film Making, Modelling and Grooming, Education and Management and Tourism & Travel Management on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2022 on digital platform for our students.
- Dept. of Computer Science organized '*WEB DEVELOPMENT BOOT CAMP*' on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2022. Mr. Yash Kadam, Freelancer was the Resource Person for the same.
- Placement cell organized webinar series for the first-year students '*Personality Assessment and Corporate Training*' on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The Webinar was coordinated by Dr. Rinky Rajwani and Mrs. Soumya Majumdar.

## Lecture Series/ Sessions for students

- Department of Geography organized Alumni Lecture series from Monday, the 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2021 to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2021, on the occasion of Golden Jubilee Year celebrations.
- BKBC, 6 Mah. Bn. Mumbai-'A' Group organized Orientation Training Programme for CTO's on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Closing Address was given by Brig Manohar Thomas (Retd.) (Sr GM (Admin), Century Rayon, Shahad) on Microsoft Teams Platform.
- Department of Environmental Sciences organized an alumni lecture on 'Environmental Law' on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Mrs. Jaie Joshi (Dongare), Assistant Professor, Dept. of Environmental Science, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar University, Marathwada).



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- Department of Management Studies organized 'Orientation Program' for M.Com (E-commerce) for the graduates in B.Com./BMS/BAF/ BBI / BFM / BBA on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2021, on Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Environmental Sciences organized a special lecture on topic: 'Biotechnological and Microbiological perspective of Marine Pollution' on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. Abhay Fulke, Senior Scientist, Microbiology Division, CSIR- National Institute of Oceanography, Mumbai was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Mathematics organized IIT JAM lecture series- Lecture 1 on 'Some problems from Calculus' on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Dipak Jadhav, Assistant Professor, Smt. CHM College was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of History organized a lecture series on 'History : A Way to Future Endeavour' conducted by the Guest Speakers from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021 to 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021.
- BKBCK faculty of Degree and Junior jointly celebrated 'Chartered Accounts Day' on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. CA Kaushik Gada, Vice Chairman & Treasurer, Kalyan-Dombivali branch of WIRC of ICAI) and CA Ashish Harkare, Assistant Vice President, Yes Bank were the Guest Speakers for the same.
- Department of Mathematics organized IIT JA M lecture series on 'Taylor's Theorem and its applications' on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2021 on the digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Nitinkumar Potadar, Ramnarain Ruia College, Matunga was the Resource Person for the same.
- Department of Gymkhana and Sports, BKBCK and BKBNC organized 'Mission sports Ignition: A Webinar series' from 15<sup>th</sup> July 2021. Ms. Amruta Deshmukh (Sports Psychologist and Shiv Chhatrapati Rajya Krida Puraskar Awardee) was the first speaker of the series and spoke on the topic 'Sports Psychology' on Microsoft Teams.
- A special lecture was conducted by the Resource Person Dr. Suparna Mukherji (Institute Chair Prof., Centre for Environmental Science and Engineering, IIT-B, Powai, Mumbai) on the topic 'Application of Novel Microbes for Treating Industrial Waste and Wastewater' at Microsoft Teams.
- A special lecture was conducted by the Resource Person Dr. Binesh Desai (Founder, Eco Eclectic Technologies, Valsad, Gujrat) on the topic 'Advancement in Recycling Technologies' at Microsoft Teams.
- On Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2021, Department of Management studies organized 'Constitution Literacy Programme' (project under the guidance of PCGT Chairperson Mr. V. P. Raja, ex-IAS officer) conducted by the speaker Ms. Ruchi Bhagat (Program Manager, Youth for Governance, PCGT) on Microsoft Teams.
- On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021, Department of Botany organized a workshop on 'Terrarium Designing' conducted by Prof. Aruna Rai (Former Head, Dept. of Botany, CHM College, Ulhasnagar) on Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Computer Science organized 'CANVA' on the topics 'Types of Programming Languages', 'Promoting Mental Health Awareness', 'Be Eco-Friendly', 'Olympics: Cheer 4 India', 'Things to be Entrepreneur' on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.



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- Department of Information Technology organized 'Virtual Exhibition' on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams
- BKBCCK organized a special lecture in 'Career Opportunities in Home Science' on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Dr. (Mrs.) Geeta Ibrahim, Principal, College of Home Science, Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai was the Resource person. Other lectures conducted by
  - Dr. (Mrs.) Pratima Goyal, Head, Dept. of Textile & Fashion Technology, College of Home Science, Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai
  - Mrs. Vibha Hasija Head, Dept. of Food, Nutrition and Dietetics, College of Home Science, Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai
  - Dr. (Mrs.) Kamini Rege, Assistant Professor, Human Development, College of Home Science, Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai
  - Mrs. Roopa Rao, Assistant Professor, Community Resource Mgmt., College of Home Science, Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai
- BKBCCK, BKBNC and Department of Gymkhana and Sports organized *Mission Sports Ignition: A Webinar Series* on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Abhishek Sawant Alumni of BKBCCK and Sports Physiotherapist, MCA was the Resource Person.
- Department of Philosophy organized special lecture on the topic 'What is Friendship: Aristotle, Kant and Patriarchal notion of friendship' on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Prof. Kanchana Mahadevan, Head, Dept. of Philosophy, University of Mumbai was the Resource Person.
- Department of Mathematics organized *IIT-JAM Lecture Series* (Lecture 3) on the topic 'Some Problems in Linear Algebra' on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. S. Venkitesh Iyer, Research Scholar, IIT Mumbai was the Resource Person.
- Department of Physics organized Inspiration by Alumni Lecture Series on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Harnish Gajjar, MBA FCMI, Chief Strategy Officer & Country Director (India), TPT Global Tech. Inc. San Diego, United States was the Resource Person.
- Department of Zoology organized 'Abhyas Mahotsav' for 4 days from 11<sup>th</sup> August to 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2021.
  - Lecture 1 was delivered by Dr. Vijay Joshi, Chief Consultant, RUSA, Maharashtra on the topic 'Surviving in VUCA World' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
  - Lecture 2 was delivered by Dr. Surekha Gupta, Associate Professor, Dept. of Zoology, G. N. Khalsa College, Mumbai on the topic 'Scope in Applied Zoology'.
  - Lecture 3 was delivered by Dr. Sagarika Damle, Head and Associate Professor, Dept. of Life Science, KC college, Mumbai on the topic 'The Joy of experiential Learning; Lab to Life' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.



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- Lecture 4 was delivered by Prof. Harish Phuleria, Associate Professor, Dept. of Environmental Science and Engineering, IIT-Bombay on the topic 'Urban Air Pollution. Why should you care?'
- Lecture 5 was delivered by Dr. Dhanlaxmi Shetty, Officer In-charge, Dept. of Cancer cytogenetics, ACTREC on the topic 'Utility of cytogenetics in the modern era' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Lecture 6 was delivered by Dr. Roshan D'Souza, Associate Professor, Dept. of Zoology, Sophia College of Women, Mumbai on the topic 'Zebra fish and Celegans as model organisms'.
- Lecture 7 was delivered by Dr. Ramjayram Govindaraj, MBBS, Ph.D., Scientist-C centre for consciousness studies, Dept. of Neurophy ACTREC on the topic 'Utility of cytogenetics in the modern era' on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Department of Geography and Women's Development Cell organized 'Expert Series' from 24<sup>th</sup> August to 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2021.
- Department of Hindi organized a Special Guest Lecture on 'Hindi Day' on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2021 on Microsoft Teams. Dr. Damodar Khadse, renowned litterateur was the Guest Speaker.
- Inaugural function of Science Association was organized on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2021 on Microsoft Teams Platform. Dr. C. P. Kaushik, Director, Nuclear Recycle Group, BARC, Mumbai talked on the topic 'Challenges and Innovations in the field of Management of Radioactive Waste'
- Department of Chemistry organized Special Lecture under 'Alumni Lecture Series' on the topic 'Preparation for IIT-JAM' on Thursday, 30 September 2021 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Vikas Tiwari, M.Sc., IIT, Delhi was the Guest Speaker.
- Department of Microbiology organized a special lecture on digital platform of Microsoft teams on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2021. Dr. Anita Chalak, Professor and Head, Dept. of Biochemistry, GSMC & KEM Hospital, Parel, Mumbai delivered a lecture on 'Error Management in Clinical Laboratories'.
- Students' Council in association with Mpower Counselling Cell celebrated programme 'H<sub>2</sub>O, Holi and Happiness Onboard' on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 on the occasion of Holi.
- Department of Management Studies organized Series of Days like Banking Day, Management Day, Taxation Day, Accounting Day, e-Commerce Day and Finance Day, etc. from Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March to Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2022.
- Entrepreneurship Cell and IQAC in association with MSME Technology Development Centre (Process & Product Dev. Centre, Agra) organized 'FIRST STEP - 5 Day Entrepreneurship Training Program' from Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams.
- Dept. of Information Technology organized a Guest Lecture on 'Machine Learning for Audio & Speech' on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. Mr. Harishchandra Dubey, Sr. Machine Learning Scientist, Microsoft Research, Redmond, USA was the Resource Person for the same.



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- Dept. of Computer Science organized '*Python Bootcamp*' on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Ms. Nithya Sathanathan, Engineer (Cloud and Infra Services)- Larsen and Toubro was the Resource Person for the same.
  - Dept. of Information Technology organized a summer camp for '*Training Session on Digital Learning (MS Office)*' from Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May to Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022 on digital platform of Microsoft Teams. The topics like MS Word, MS Excel, MS Power-point and Internet & Security are covered in the sessions.