

SVDC Activities January to May 2021

January 2021

National Youth Day Celebrations were conducted on 12th January 2021 – Elocution Competitions was hosted with the Topic – Channelizing Youth Power for Nation Building.

Mr. S. Chandrasekhar, Faculty, Department of Arts and Humanities was selected for Ambition Awards for Education Excellence – 2021 in the category – Best Faculty in Commerce and Management. He received the award on 30th January 2021 at Hyderabad.

Skill Development Program on “**Essential Employability Skills**” was conducted on 29th January 2021 for all Final year students at Dasari auditorium. Dr. Delhi Babu, Dean Placement and Training addressed the students.

B.Com Students Attended ICT Academy Beyond 2020 - Conclave on “Happening Careers In Accounting And Finance” on 20th January 2020.

February 2021

Two day Skill Development Programme on “**Essential Employment Opportunities**” was conducted on 8th and 9th February 2021 at ED Cell. Resource Person – Shri M. Venugopal.

Dr. S.V. Ravikanth, Head, Department of Biological Sciences, organized an International Webinar on “**Recent Advances in Covid Research**” on 15th February 2021. The Resource Person - Dr. Manjula Mummadisetti, from Pennsylvania, USA.

The Fresher’s Day induction Programme was conducted for the I Year students on 17th February 2021.

Dr. S. V. Ravikanth, Head, Department of Biological Sciences, organized an International Webinar on “**Hydroponics: Emerging Trends in Gardening and Farming**” on 26th February 2021. The Resource Person is Dr. Sairam Reddy Palicherla, Co-Founder and Director Research in Urbankisaan Farms Inc., USA and Director Heartfulness Institute, India.

Mr. Chandrasekhar, Faculty in Commerce and Ms. Raghasudha Durgaraju, III Year B.Com (CA), SVDC, Published a Research Paper on “A Perspective Research Study on the New Age Currency (The Case of Bitcoin Currency System)” in the International Research Journal of Innovations in Engineering and Technology (IRJIET), Volume 5, Issue 2, 2581-3048, February 2021.

Mr. Chandrasekhar, Faculty in Commerce, received "Best Young Faculty Award 2020-2021" from Novel Research Academy.

March 2021

First Semester Students of B.Sc and B.Com attended ICT Academy "Get Set Go - Fresher Induction Program 2021" (Online) on 4th March 2021.

SVDC English Faculty acted as Resource Persons for the Student Development Programme on "**English Speaking and Writing Skills**" hosted by SVIM and SVCP

A Guest Lecture on "**Ramayantargata Padukapattabhishekasya Vysishtyam**" was organized by Dept. of Arts and Humanities on 08-03-2021 in Zoom Platform. The Resource Person was presented by Dr. A. Sachidananda Murty, Asst. Professor, National Sanskrit University, Tirupati.

Department of Chemical Sciences Organized an Online Guest Lecture on "**Signal Transduction and Gene Regulation in Normal Homeostasis and Disease: Focus on NF-kB signaling**" – Resource Person - Dr. Sivakumar Vallabhapurapu, Associate Professor, Department of Biology, IISER, Tirupati.

A Guest Lecture on "**Microbial Cultures and Preservation**" was organized by Dept. of Biological Sciences on 30-03-2021 in SVDC Block. The Resource Person was Dr. B. Devadatha an alumnus of SVDC. Dr. Devadatha studied B.Sc (Biotechnology, Zoology & Chemistry) during 2009 – 2012 and was a Gold Medalist.

The final year B.Com students are attended for an online training programme on **Digital Marketing by APSSDC**.

Dr. J.V. Subramanyam Lecturer in Sanskrit and Training and Placement Officer, SVDC received Certificate of appreciation in acknowledgement of the outstanding professional skill, leadership and ceaseless efforts exhibited by Barclay's Connect with Work training Program. He also received Certificate from National Institute of Skills Training, New Delhi as he successfully completed the "Train the Trainer (Soft Skills) Course.

Dr. S. Ravichandra Babu, Associate Professor of Telugu delivered an invited talk on the occasion of "Mahashivaratri Brahmotsavams" at Sri Kalahastivara temple, Sri Kalahasti.

S. Soumya and (III B.Com) and Mr. Chandrasekhar (Faculty of Commerce) published a paper on "A Study on Robotics in Digitalization of HRD; Impact and RDA implementation" in the International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts (IJCRT), ISSN: 2320-2882, Volume 9, Issue 3, March 2021

G. Swetha Chowdary (III B.Com) and Mr. Chandrasekhar (Faculty, Commerce) published a Paper on "A Study on Role of Retails Chain in India: The Business Model of D-Mart" in the Journal of Inter-Disciplinary Cycle Research – UGC Carelist, , ISSN: 0002-1945, Volume XIII, Issue III, March 2021.

April 2021

The Rank ceremony for NCC cadets was held on 6th April 2021. Honourable CEO, Mr. Vishnu Manchu congratulated the NCC Cadets and expressed his happiness about the NCC activities at SVDC. Principal, Dr. D. Ashalatha conferred the ranks to Mr. Prem Chandra Reddy, Shaik Mohammad Ashwak, Ms.Shiny, Mr. Vishnu Mahesh and Y. Venkata Mahidhar Reddy in the presence ANO Lt. B. Nagaraju, Heads of the Departments, Faculty, Staff and Students.

A Guest Lecture on "**Principles and Practices of Accounts**" was organized by Dept. of Arts and Humanities on 4th April 2021. The Guest Lecture was presented by Mr. C.P. Gopi Assoc. Professor, Department of Management Studies, SIET.

A Guest Lecture on "Statistics - Applications and Opportunities in the real world" was organized by the Department of Mathematical Sciences on 24th April 2021 – Resource Person - Dr. M. Venkateswaran, Assistant Professor, Department of Statistics, the Madura College, Madurai.

Placement and Training department conducted a workshop on **Goal Setting & Career Guidance** for 1st year students on 7th April 2021 at Dasari auditorium.

Dr. S. Ravichandra Babu, Associate Professor of Telugu delivered an invited talk on *Annamayya Vardhanthi Utsvalu*" at Annamayya Kalakshetram, Tirupati on 10th April 2021.

Dr. D. Ashalatha, Principal, Sree Vidyanikethan Degree College is selected as one of the winners of the ULeckt **Wall of Fame Award- India's Top 50 Women Leaders in the Education Industry**. She is only one selected from Andhra Pradesh.

May 2021

Dr. S.V. Ravikanth, Department of Biological Sciences organized a National Webinar on "**Caring for COVID -19 Patient- Treatment Myths and Life Saving Facts**" on 27th May 2021. Dr. Venkata Subba Reddy Avula MBBs, MD, Medical Manager, Clinical Research, Aurobindo Group, Hyderabad was the Resource person.

<https://youtu.be/08QIy2Wtk4g>

Dr. S.V. Ravikanth, Department of Biological Sciences organized a National Webinar on "Mini-projects for Microbiology undergraduate students" on 28th May 2021. Dr. Shalini an alumna of

2010 batch (MBiC) was the Resource person.

<https://youtu.be/IBVC4ur5QbA>

Mr. S. Chandra Sekhar presented a paper entitled "A Study on the Impact of COVID-19: Second Wave on Indian Financial Markets" in the Virtual National Conference on Union Budget 2021-22 for sustainable development, organized by IMC on 22-05-2021.

Dr.V. Sridevi, Assistant Professor, Department of Biological Science published a review paper as coauthor entitled "Suitability of Blackgram Genotype for Tolerance Mechanism to Water Deficit under Rainfed conditions of Prakasam District" in an International Journal of Multidisciplinary Advanced Research. Vol. VIII, Issue 1(1) January 2021.

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22 Faculty Members attended various FDPs and Training Programmes - Setting Goals and Managing Time, Emotional Intelligence, Data Science Using R, organized by the ICT Academy.

The Students of SVDC enrolled for ICT Skill Edge, AWS Cloud Computing 101 and Sales Force Fundamentals being conducted by the ICT Academy.

Dr. D. Ashalatha

Principal, SVDC