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FACULTY INDUCTION PROGRAMS

On 16th September of 2021, the newly appointed Teaching faculties of various departments were invited and an induction program was conducted. The principal, Vice Principal and Head of all the Departments were gathered to welcome the new appointees.

**FACULTY AWARDS**

Dr. Jaideep Mahendra received an “BEST TEACHER AWARD-2021” on the occasion of teacher’s day by Rotary club Chennai vepery and national green crops. In appreciation for inspiring students to learn and for the outstanding service to the community with dedication and devotion - Sep 11th 2021.

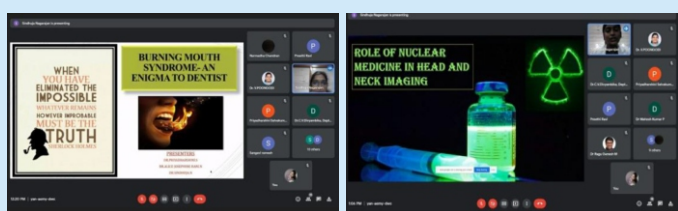


Alumni Association of Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research identified and awarded Dr. Preethi M of the Department of the Department of Oral pathology and Microbiology, “The Distinguished Alumni Award of the year” on 21 Sep 2021.



SYMPOSIUMS CONDUCTED

On 17th September, 2021, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology organized a Symposium for the Second and Third-Year Post Graduates. Second Year Post Graduates presented on “Burning Mouth Syndrome” and Third Year Post Graduates presented on “Nuclear Imaging”. Dr. Dhivyambika, Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Sri Ramachandra Dental College Hospital presided the Symposium. Her words of appreciation and admiration for the prompt guidance, supervision of HOD Dr. K. Saraswathy Gopal. M.D.S and all Professors and the strenuous efforts of our Post Graduates was incomprehensible.



INTERDEPARTMENTAL SYMPOSIUM ON “PEDIATRIC DENTOFACIAL GROWTH MODULATION”

The interdepartmental symposium was organized and conducted by the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry in association with Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics on 30.09.2021 from 1.30pm to 2.30 pm. The symposium was conducted at the seminar hall of Department of Orthodontics and “Dentofacial Orthopedics on the topic “A case of dentofacial growth modulation utilizing Hyrax appliance”.



A virtual Symposium on Mucormycosis was conducted by the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery on 06/08/2021. The objective of the program was to brief the audience about Introduction, Variants, Diagnosis and Management options of Mucormycosis associated with COVID-19. Dr. R S Neelakandan, the honorable Vice-Chancellor of the Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education and Research (MAHER) summated the various aspects of the topic. Dr. Shubhra Chauhan Aranmanai was the Moderator. Dr. Swathi Dayanithi Dr. Meenakshi, Dr. Varsha and Dr. Vinotha and Dr. S. Beena presented on the topic.



An webinar was conducted in the ‘Department of Orthodontics’ titled “CLEAR ALIGNERS - Wireless smiles with V-Clear” on 28.08.2021.



PAPER PRESENTATION AWARDS

On 25th & 26th September, 2021, Post Graduates of Oral Medicine & Radiology participated in the 18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology with the theme, “Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology”. Post Graduates under the guidance of HOD Dr. Saraswathy Gopal, provided a source of motivation with energetic and enthusiastic Staff Team took an active participation in the Paper Presentation Competition conducted during the conference. Four Post Graduates won the Best Paper Presentation: one First Prize and three Second Prize. Dr Priyadharshini. S, II Year – I prize and Dr Narmadha. C, III year, Dr Preethi. R, III year and Dr Alice. N, II year – II prize.



FACULTY PRESENTATIONS

Dr. R Vanitha Jebamalar - Associate professor in Department of Anatomy presented a paper on “chemical characterization and antioxidant properties of egb 761” - Indo- Malaysian two-day international e-conference on recent trends in natural products research and their applications (rtnpra-21) on 16.9.21 & 17.9.21 at Madurai Kamaraj university (virtual Conference)

Dr. R. Vanitha Jebamalar - Associate Professor in Department of Anatomy presented a paper on “Application of GCMS metabolomic profiling in studying the lipid panel effects of EGB761 in dementia induced Wistar rats” in the 3rd International Conference on Dentistry & Oral Health – 3 BIOLEAGUES on 21.8.21 & 22.8.21 (Virtual Conference)

PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY

Dr. D. Anandhi has delivered a lecture in webinar on “Nanotechnology and Its Application” in Mahalakshmi Women’s College of Arts and Science, on 23rd August 2021.

Dr. Shyam Sivasamy, Associate Professor has given a Guest lecture on (Resource person) in the online workshop ‘Research Methodology and Biostatistics at Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai State on 27/07/2021 to 29/07/2021

A Debate competition was held and Dr.Jothilatha, MDS (Assistant Professor), Government Dental College, Chennai, was invited to moderate a debate on “Endocrown " for the second year post graduate students on 12.7.2021.

PRESENTATIONS BY STUDENTS

Following Postgraduate students won best paper award in the 12th IFEA World Endodontic Online Congress held between 12th -14th August 2021, Chennai :

- Dr. Aishwarya. V
- Dr. Siddharth Srinivasan
- Dr. Aswathi Varghese
- Dr. Shilpa Jain

PATENTS PUBLISHED BY FACULTY

Dr. Manoj Prabakar from the department of the Department of Oral pathology and Microbiology received patent and copyright for his invention titled ‘Tissue specimen measuring gauge’.

(12) PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATION (19) INDIA (22) Date of filing of Application :18/06/2021	(21) Application No.202141027417 A (43) Publication Date : 02/07/2021
(54) Title of the invention : TISSUE SPECIMEN MEASURING GAUGE	
(51) International classification A61B0005107000 A61B0005102000 A61B0005000000 G01B0001300000 G01B0005200000	(71) Name of Applicant : MEENAKSHI ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH Address of Applicant :NO.12, VEMBUJAMMAN KOIL STREET WEST K.K. NAGAR CHENNAI TAMIL NADU INDIA 600 075 Tamil Nadu India
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(57) Abstract : APPLICANT: MEENAKSHI ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH TITLE: TISSUE SPECIMEN MEASURING GAUGE ABSTRACT The present invention discloses a Tissue Specimen Measuring Gauge for accurate measurement of dimensions of a tissue specimen. The Tissue Specimen Measuring Gauge of the present invention comprises of three measuring arms with markings in centimeters, a length arm[1] (published from 0 to 15 centimeters in measurement, a breadth arm[2] (published from 0 to 15 centimeters in measurement and a height arm[3] (published from 0 to 15 centimeters in measurement, integrated at 90° to each other at a single common point[4] (supported by 6 cylindrical forming mutually perpendicular X, Y and Z axis. The Tissue Specimen Measuring Gauge of the present invention is characterized in positioning plurality of movable pointers on the arm[1]-[3]. The length arm[1] is incorporated with two short movable pointers[5a, 5b] adapted to move along the length arm[1] to adjust and mark tissue extension and configured to measure length. The breadth arm[2] is incorporated with two short movable pointers[6a] adapted to move along the breadth arm[2] to adjust and mark tissue extension and configured to measure breadth of	

Dr. Sabarinath.B and Dr. Prottyusha Guha Biswas from the department of the Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology received a patent for their invention titled “A process of removal of glass coverslip from microscopic slides.

(12) PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATION (19) INDIA (22) Date of filing of Application :21/03/2021	(21) Application No.202141012074 A (43) Publication Date : 26/03/2021
(54) Title of the invention : A PROCESS OF REMOVAL OF GLASS COVER SLIP FROM MICROSCOPIC SLIDES	
(51) International classification G02B0021340000 G01N0001200000 G01N0001100000 G02B0021240000 G02B0021360000	(71) Name of Applicant : MEENAKSHI ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH Address of Applicant :NO.12, VEMBUJAMMAN KOIL STREET WEST K.K. NAGAR CHENNAI TAMIL NADU INDIA 600 075 Tamil Nadu India
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(57) Abstract : APPLICANT: MEENAKSHI ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH TITLE: A PROCESS OF REMOVAL OF GLASS COVER SLIP FROM MICROSCOPIC SLIDES ABSTRACT The present invention discloses a rapid and effective novel process of removal of glass cover slip from a microscopic slide for retaining labeled tissue section without damaging both glass slide and tissue morphology. The process of the present invention comprises of placing a microscopic slide, to undergo desiccator slipping, on a dry ice kept inside a container for predetermined time in which coverslip side of the microscopic slide is kept facing towards the dry ice, followed by placing the microscopic slide on a metal tray and immediately removing glass cover slip of the microscopic slide using a sharp object; followed by placing the microscopic slide in a container containing mounting removal liquid for predetermined time to complete removal of residual mountant present on the microscopic slide thereby removing glass cover slip from the microscopic slide without damaging the slide and tissue morphology. No. of Pages : 11 No. of Claims : 2	

Dr. Preethi M from the department of the Department of Oral pathology and Microbiology received patent for two of her inventions titled ‘Soft bite Appliance Patent application no 2021410335 A’ and Baby weaning Appliance Patent application no 2021410334 A.

(12) PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATION (19) INDIA (22) Date of filing of Application :13/07/2021	(21) Application No.202141031335 A (43) Publication Date : 16/07/2021
(54) Title of the invention : SOFT-BITE APPLIANCE	
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(57) Abstract : APPLICANT: MEENAKSHI ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH TITLE: SOFT-BITE APPLIANCE ABSTRACT The present invention discloses a Baby Soft-bite Appliance to avoid sharp bite by baby's teeth on mother's skin during breastfeeding thereby enabling comfortable and confident feeding by mother to baby. The Baby Soft-bite Appliance of the present invention comprises of characterized Soft-bite shield[1] and an head strap[2]. The characterized Soft-bite shield[1] is adapted to be cover maxillary arch, and configured to act as a barrier in avoiding direct contact of baby's erupting teeth with mother's skin and comprises of structure in a shape of maxillary arch of customized size. The head strap[2] is adapted to help in retaining the Soft-bite shield [1] in place, and comprises of strap removable fixed to the Soft-bite shield [1] by connecting means on characterized position of between deciduous upper canine to molar region in buccal aspect on either side of the Soft-bite shield [1]. No. of Pages : 10 No. of Claims : 5	

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(57) Abstract : APPLICANT: MEENAKSHI ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH TITLE: BABY WEANING APPLIANCE ABSTRACT The present invention discloses a Baby weaning Appliance for developing high discomfort and losing euphoric feel during breast feeding among children and thereby slowly weaning out of breast feeding habit. The Baby weaning Appliance of the present invention comprises of characterized Baby weaning guard[1] and an head strap[2]. The characterized Baby weaning guard [1] is adapted to be positioned on maxillary teeth and palate, and comprises of structure in a shape of maxillary arch with nature of customized size. The head strap[2] is adapted to help in retaining the Baby weaning guard [1] in place, and comprises	

EVENTS CONDUCTED

12th IFEA World Endodontic Online Congress was held between 12th -14th August 2021 and the following faculty from department of Conservative dentistry and Endodontics for which the Scientific chairperson was Dr. N.Velmurugan (Prof & Head) and Treasurer and conference coordinator was Dr. Prof. Nandini Suresh. Session leads for Scientific paper presentation were Dr. Buvaneshwari (Assist Prof) Dr. Vignesh (Assist Prof) Dr. Haritha (Assist Prof) Dr. Aswathi (Assist Prof)

Debate competition was conducted and Dr. Subbaiah, MDS (Prof & Head), Balaji Dental College, Chennai, was invited to moderate a debate on “Deep margin elevation” for the third year post graduate students on 9th September 2021.



EVOLVE 3 - TREATMENT OF ENDODONTICALLY TREATED TOOTH was conducted on 02.09.2021 and 03.09.2021

Dr. H. Annapoorni, Dr. S. Lakshmi, Dr. B. Devi Parameswari and Dr. K.S. Bharanija were actively involved. Dr Manikya Arabolu currently working with 3M as their Clinical Specialist for South India was the event speaker.

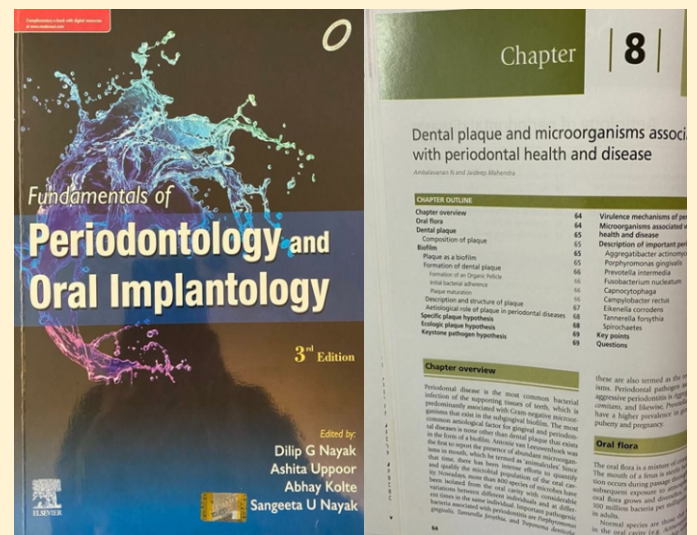


EVOLVE 4 – BICON was held on 22.09.2021 to 24.09.2021

Dr. Srinivas Reddy Goli is an international practitioner who was the speaker. He is the Director of Bicon Dental Pvt. Ltd, India which is sister concern of Bicon U.S.A. He truly believes that “FAILURE IS NOT AN OPTION”.

BOOK CHAPTER CONTRIBUTION:

Dr N Ambalavanan (Head of the Department) and Dr Jaideep Mahendra (Prof), Department of Periodontics contributed a chapter on “Dental plaque and Microorganisms associated with Periodontal health and diseases” on book titled “FUNDAMENTALS OF PERIODONTOLOGY AND IMPLANTOLOGY” – 3rd Edition Published by Elsevier-September 2021.



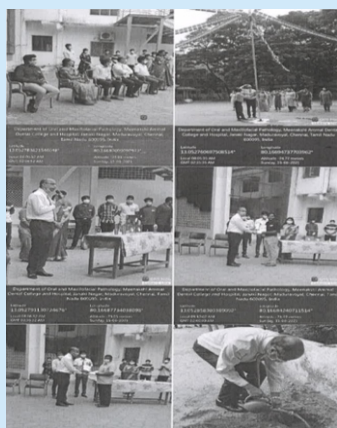
Dr. Jaideep Mahendra Professor, Dr.Anitha and Dr. Geetha Associate Prof, got their fellowship of International Congress of Oral Implantology (ICOI) organized by Saveetha dental college-Sep 18th



Dr. Jaideep Mahendra chaired a session as an expert panliest at “10,000 IMPLANT SYMPOSIUM” held at Saveetha Dental College.

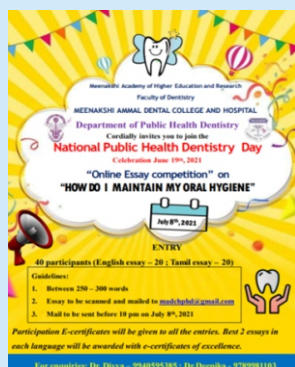
EVENTS ORGANISED

1. 75th Independence Day Celebration was celebrated on the morning of 15.8.2021 in the presence of Dr. N. Velumurugan, Principal, MADCH. Following flag hoisting and inaugural address by the Principal, the undergraduate students were awarded for their academic excellence for the year 2019-2020. Special award was given to Dr. Deependra Kumar. T for his exemplary contribution during internship and to Mr. Thamarai Selvan. A for his extraordinary service during the COVID-19 pandemic. Three of the non-teaching staff were awarded for their 25 years of service at MADCH. As a part of the “Go Green” initiative, the principal and his wife planted saplings in and around the college campus. The parents and students were also encouraged to plant sapling in and around the college campus. This was followed by breakfast for the students and parents.



2. National Public Health Dentist Day is celebrated on June 19th, every year. With regards to this, the Department of Public Health Dentistry, celebrated the National Public Health Dentistry Day on 08th July 2021 by organising an online essay competition on the title “How to maintain my oral hygiene?” for the 1st year B.A Literature students, from Dharmamurthi Rao Bahadur Calavala Cunnan Cherry's Hindu College. The essay competition was conducted in two languages (English and Tamil) with 20 entries for each language. A total of 25 students sent their essays to the mail id of the department. Dr. ArunodhayaRaj and Dr.Divya.R evaluated the winners and the certificates were distributed online on 10.07.2021.

3. An online awareness programme on Oral Health Promotion was conducted for the B.A Literature students, from Dharmamurthi Rao Bahadur Calavala Cunnan Cherry's Hindu College by the Dept. of Public Health Dentistry on 10.07.2021. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Aromal 3rd year PG.



MEENAKSHI COLLEGE OF NURSING, MANGADU, CHENNAI-69 EVENTS

FIRE DRILL- 15.09.2021

Fire safety drill was conducted in MCON for all the students and faculty to re-enforce safety and familiarize evacuation routes through practices. The goal was to have the proper actions be an automatic response whenever fire alarms sound, so that everyone safely evacuates the area in an orderly manner.



NSS ACTIVITY: 24.09.2021

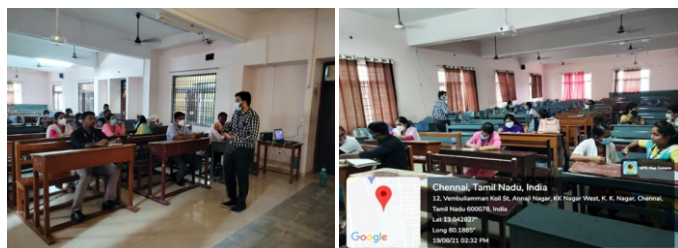
As a part of NSS, tree plantation activity was carried out in MCON. 25 samplings were planted inside the campus of MCON to combat global warming and ensure green environment inside the campus.



FACULTY OF PHYSIOTHERAPY

On 7th July 2021, P.G.Maheshkumar, Assistant professor, faculty of Physiotherapy have presented a webinar in Saveetha College of physiotherapy, as a resource person on the topic “Role pf Physiotherapy in COVID-19 and its impact on Multiorgan”.

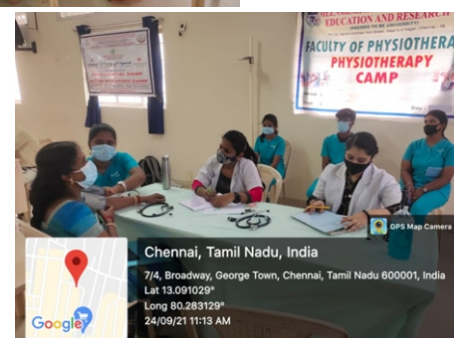
1. On August 19th Mr.P.V. Hari hara subramanyan, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Physiotherapy conducted one day Faculty development program on “Methods to Enhance Teaching Strategy” at physiotherapy department and was attended by faculties from yoga sciences and Humanity sciences.



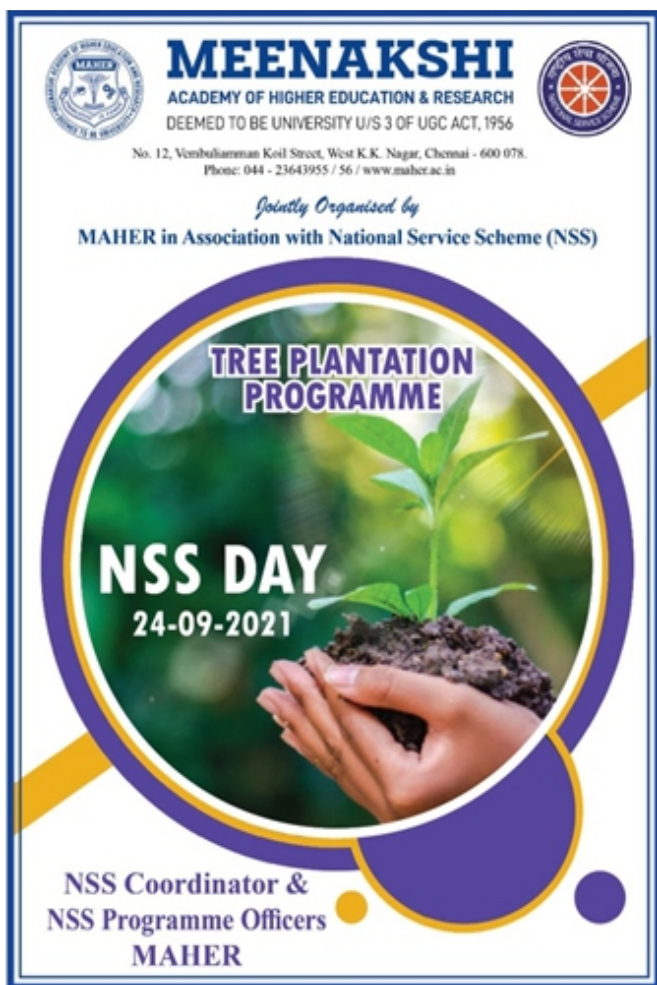
2. On 8th September 2021, faculty of physiotherapy Celebrated WORLD PHYSIOTHERAPY DAY and conducted Online webinar



3. On 24th September 2021, Faculty of Physiotherapy organized a Physiotherapy camp along with NSS unit at George Town Chennai. The camp had a good flow of patients and it was supervised by P.G.Maheshkumar, Assistant professor, faculty of Physiotherapy-MAHER



4. On 24th September 2021 as a part of NSS Day Faculty of Physiotherapy along with NSS Unit Participated in tree plantation program in a idea to create a greener environment.



5. On 26th September 2021, Faculty of Physiotherapy organized a Physiotherapy camp at Kodambakkam, Chennai. The camp saw many kind of patients and it was supervised by Prof Parthasarathy. S, Principal, faculty of Physiotherapy-MAHER



WEBINARS / CONFERENCE

- One Day Multidisciplinary International Virtual Conference on “Industry 4.0 – Leading Business Practices for Sustainable Milieu” and presented a paper on “Role of chatbots in recruitment” on 25th & 26th August, 2021.
- Mrs. Shanthi.R has participated in the national webinar on “Numerical Approximation of Non- Linear Fractional Differential Difference Equations by using modified He- Laplace method- Idhaya College for women, Kumbakonam on 06th August, 2021.
- Mrs. G. Uma Maheswari from Mathematics department has participated in one day state level online workshop on 17th sept 2021 and participated in webinar on Numerical Approximation of nonlinear Fractional Differential difference Equation by using modified He- Laplace method on 6th August 2021.

PUBLICATIONS

- Anitha.K, Dr. V. Shanthi, Dr. Annie Sam, “Impact of Artificial Intelligence Techniques on Employee Well-being for Employee Retention” International Journal of Engineering Research & Technology (IJERT); ISSN:2278-0181, Special Issue 2021, ICRADL - 2021 Conference Proceedings, Volume 9 (5), pp 334-337
- Anitha.K, Dr. V. Shanthi, “Artificial Intelligence- A Driving way for Organisational Growth”, Management Matters; ISSN:2279-0187, September 2020, Volume 17 (2), No. 1, pp 5-18

Teacher’s Day Celebration – 05.09.2021

- On behalf of teacher’s day, students & faculty of the department of Management studies celebrated the teacher’s day on 5th September, 2021. The celebration started with the speech of Ms.Archana, II BBA. The programme was hosted by Ms. Aruna of II BBA. The students had planned games for the teachers which was refreshing. The next item was dance by Monisha & Ramya, II BBA. The whole celebration ended with cake cutting by our principal, Dr. V.Shanthi mam. Vote of thanks was given by Mrs.Anitha.K, HOD.



DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

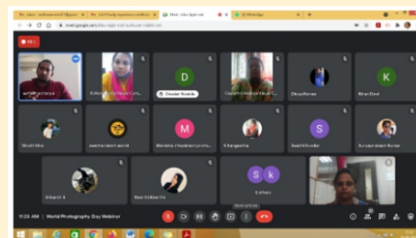
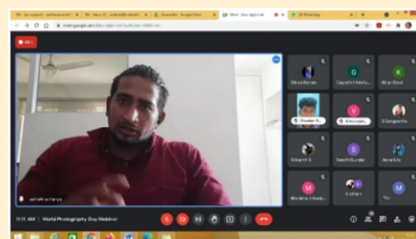
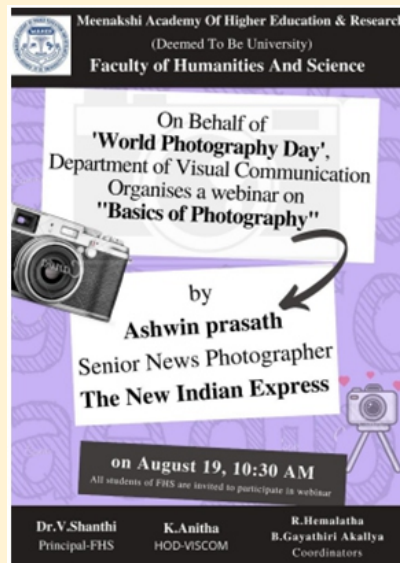
The Department of Commerce conducted a webinar on “Skills for Entrepreneurial Development Programme” on 17.9.2020. Mr.V.Arulmurgan, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Pondicherry was the chief guest.



GUEST LECTURE

On Behalf of World Photography Day, Department of Visual communication organised a webinar for all the students of FHS on the title “Basics of Photography”.

The speaker Mr.Ashwin Prasath started the session with the introduction to basics of photography, led the discussion through this experience on news photography and as photojournalist. It was indeed a thought provoking session and the students gained some great insights.



UNIVERSITY- IN FIRST PAGE

From July 22nd to 9th of August all the faculties, faculty of Physiotherapy attended online workshop on NAAC- criteria wise intense workshop conducted by PS quality certifications.



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