

AAMDANI 2018-19

AAMDANI: The Finance and Investment Cell (FIC) was founded in 2016, with an initiative from the students of Economics department. It is a society with a blend of academics and practical knowledge that aims to generate and nurture the financial and business acumen of the students. The members of the cell are characterized by the phrase - Money is always on their mind. We do not make profits, we create it!

The society provides a platform to get acquainted with the day to day economic and financial happenings at national and international level through group discussions, debates, paper presentations, case study competitions, interaction with experts and eminent personalities in finance field, virtual stock trading (mock stock competitions) etc. The cell is a catalyst for sharing ideas and imparting practical knowledge and experiences to polish the members and subsequently make them profitable stakeholders and probably future Warren Buffet and Rakesh Jhunjhunwalas!

The cell has been dedicated to serve its purpose from the day of its inception by organizing for various seminars and activities to facilitate financial awareness among students. It organized for its first Inter College Mock Stock Season in October 2017. It also organized its first edition of annual fest FINTASTIC 2018 on September 13th, 2018 in which students from various other colleges participated. The fest consisted of three competitions namely – THE TROUBLESHOOTER, ATTRACT AND INTERACT and EYE-SPY which were held on the same day.

THE TROUBLESHOOTER was a case study competition in which a real-life problem about a bank was given to the participants and on-the-spot news was displayed on whose basis they had to solve the questions. This was followed by ATTRACT AND INTERACT, which was a business plan competition in which a total of 15 teams participated and had to present their business idea to the panel of judges. A treasure hunt competition, EYE-SPY conducted on the same day where the participants had to find the final prize taking cues from business problems and questions.

Many ice-break and self-development sessions were also kept during the year for the team members to boost their confidence.

To mark the occasion of founder's day on October 26th, 2018, an in-house group discussion was conducted for the team mates on the topic "Public Sector Banks are the backbone of Indian rural economy" and "Bank of Baroda, Vijaya Bank and Dena Bank merger: pros and cons" to provide them deeper insights to these topics.

AAMDANI in collaboration with the Economics Department also promoted and successfully completed an Add-On Course on Development Finance with Centre for Financial Accountability in the academic session 2018-19 for students from various departments.



CA Sachin Gupta speaking to the students about 'Portfolio Investment'.



Group Discussion on the topic 'Merger of Idea and Vodafone: A Monopoly or better service'.

The event Mockstation (The Mock Stock) was organized in association with the BSE (Bombay Stock Exchange) Institute Limited.



Poster for the event 'Mockstation'.



FINTASTIC 2018, First edition of the annual fest of AAMDANI, held on 13th September, 2018.



Ms. Bijoyata Yonzon, Convener of AAMDANI, addressing the participants during FINTASTIC 2018.



Members of AAMDANI, The Finance and Investment Cell