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SENSITISATION OF STUDENTS

DETAILS OF ACTIVITIES THAT INCULCATE VALUES

NECESSARY TO RENDER STUDENTS INTO RESPONSIBLE

CITIZENS DURING THE YEAR 2020-2021:

Constitutional Obligations

Objective

The college tries to sensitize the students and employees of the Institution to the constitutional obligations: values, rights, duties and responsibilities of citizen. The ways are as follows:

Every year on **National days** (The Independence Day and The Republic Day), the National flag of India is saluted. National song is also sing in this occasion. Since it was the year of Covid 19, all programmes were conducted as per government regulations and protocols.

INDEPENDENCE DAY

The NSS unit of MSM College, Kayamkulam celebrated Our Independence day on 15th August 2020. This year, the theme of the 75th Independence Day would be 'Nation First, Always First'. The Indian Independence Bill was introduced in the British House of Commons on 4 July 1947, and was passed within 15 days. On 15 August 1947, the British rule over India ended and marked history. Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru unfurled the tricolour from the Red Fort in Delhi for the very first time. Thereafter, every year on Independence Day, the national flag is hoisted at the Red Fort by the Prime Minister followed by an address to the nation. The NSS Unit arranged five programmes as part of Independence day. First the honourable Principal of our College, Dr. K Geethakumari hoisted the flag at 8:00 am.

REPUBLIC DAY

The NSS unit of MSM College celebrated Republic day on 26th January 2020. The republic day 2020 parades in Delhi were held on January 26, 2020. The republic day 2020 chief guest for this event was the President of India Ram Nath Kovind and the Prime Minister of India Narendra Modi. The Republic day 2020 parades have been a part of the national celebrations in India since 1950. The NSS unit programme started with a rally at morning 9:00 am to Kayamkulam bus stand. All the volunteers performed well and the programme was a grand success.



Few programmes on Fundamental Human Rights was organized by the college
National Webinar Report

Topic: “Comparative Secularism and Religious Majoritarianism -Lessons from Contemporary India “-17th
,August 2020 at 2.30 PM

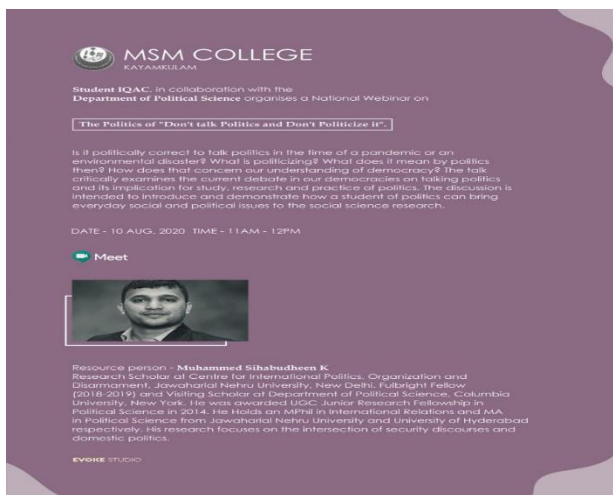
Resource person: Mr.Sarath Sasikumar

As part of Al-Haj P.K Kunju Sahib Memorial Webinar Series 2020-2021 , the Department of Political Science had organized a National Webinar in collaboration with IQAC ,M.S.M College, Kayamkulam on the topic “Comparative Secularism and Religious Majoritarianism -Lessons from Contemporary India” and the resource person was Mr.Sarath Sasikumar, Research Scholar, Centre for Political Studies ,Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, on 17th August 2020 at 2.30 PM. The talk focused mainly on why secularism no more enjoys the hegemony it once had as a desirable political value that nation states shall aspire for. In different parts of the world, champions of religious majoritarianism had successfully established their regimes not necessarily by sabotaging the existing liberal - secular-political frameworks but largely working within them. Increasingly the idea of ‘temporary majorities’ that is care to the working of liberal democracies is getting replaced with relatively permanent religious – ethnic majorities that can capture power very much under the procedural framework of liberal democracy but by harming it in substance. This new development places a challenge before the discipline of comparative secularism, to comprehend, explain and theorise it. This talk examined the endeavors in such a direction and also from a comparative secular framework. Dr.Geethakumari ,Principal, M.S.M College, Dr.MuhammedThaha, Vice Principal and Dr.NeethuSundaresan, NAAC-IQAC Coordinator participated in the webinar with their thoughtful words. The Conveners were Dr.Rekha Nair R, Assistant Professor and HOD of Political Science and Smt.Advaita R Prasad, Assistant Professor of Political Science.

Topic-“The Politics of Don’t talk politics “and “ Don’t politicize it”- August 10,2020 at 11 AM

Resource person : Muhammed Sihabudeen K

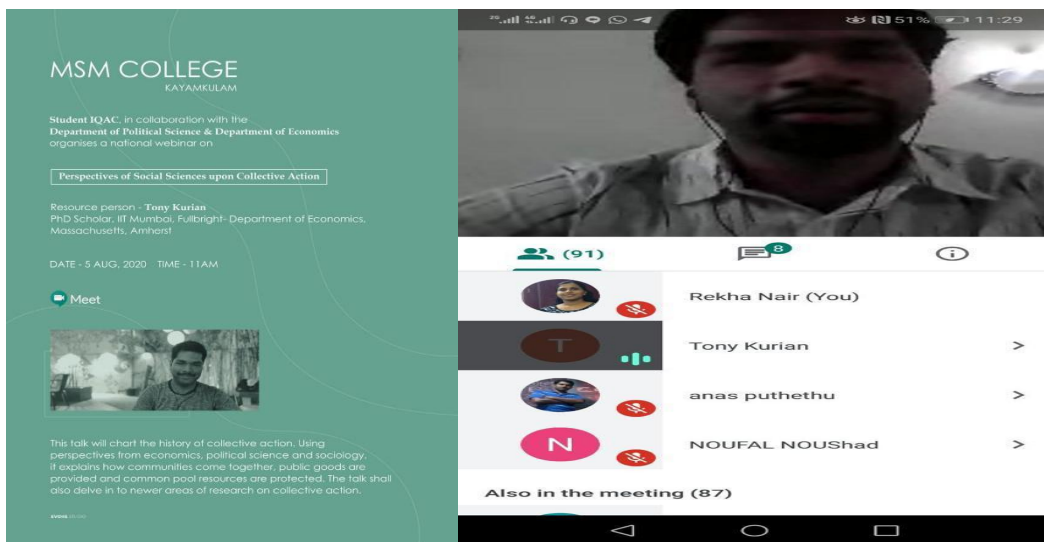
The Department of Political Science had organized a webinar in collaboration with Student IQAC ,M.S.M College, Kayamkulam for the students on the topic “The Politics of Don’t talk politics “and “ Don’t politicize it “ and the resource person was Muhammed Sihabudeen K, Research Scholar,Centre for International politics, organization and Disarmament ,JNU, New Delhi, Fullbright fellow (2018-2019) and visiting scholar at department of Political Science, Columbia university, Newyork. The major concerns regarding the issue was is it politically correct to talk about politics in the time of a pandemic or environment disaster. The talk critically examines the current debate in our democracies on talking politics and its implications for study, research and practice of politics. Dr.S Amina (Educational Secretary ,M.S.M Institutions) inaugurated the webinar ,Dr.Geethakumari K(Principal, M.S.M College), Dr.MuhammedThaha ,(Vice Principal) and Dr.NeethuSundaresan(NAAC Coordinator) participated in the webinar with their thoughtful words. The Conveners of the Webinar were Asha.K Nair, Assistant Professor of English and Anas N, Assistant Professor of Political Science and the Joint Conveners were Dr.Rekha Nair R, Assistant Professor and HOD of Political Science and Smt.Advaita R Prasad, Assistant Professor of Political Science . Student Conveners- were AswathyPrasannan(Semester III), she introduced the resource person and Hepsiba S L (Semester V) cast the vote of thanks.



Topic- “Perspectives of Social Sciences upon Collective Action”- August 5, 2020 at 11 AM

Resource person: Tony Kurian

The Department of Political Science and Economics had jointly organized a National webinar in collaboration with Student IQAC, M.S.M College, Kayamkulam, for the students on the topic “Perspectives of Social Sciences upon Collective Action” and the resource person was Tony Kurian, Research Scholar, IIT-Mumbai, Fulbright fellow- Department of Economics, Massachusetts, Amherst. In his talk, he explained the history of collective action. Using perspectives from economics, political science and sociology, he explained how communities came together, public goods were provided, and common pool resources were protected. His talk also delved into newer areas of research on collective action. Dr.S Amina (Educational Secretary, M.S.M Institutions) inaugurated the webinar, Dr.Geethakumari K(Principal, M.S.M College), Dr.MuhammedThaha (Vice Principal) and Dr.NeethuSundaresan (NAAC-IQAC Coordinator) participated in the webinar with their thoughtful words. The Convenors of the Webinar were Asha.K Nair, Assistant Professor of English and Anas N, Assistant Professor of Political Science and the Joint Convenors were Ms. Advaita R. Prasad, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science and Ms. Nizia Ameer, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics. Rekha J (Semester V) cast the vote of thanks.



Some programmes on Values of Life was conducted

'Parithraanam' the massive scheme launched by the Kerala University, by raising the theme 'Survival of the Mankind through Nature' was aimed at planting 10,000seedlings, seven days before the environment day of 2020 starting from 29/05/2020 to 04/06/2020 .The hidden aim of this project is to ensure the self sufficiency of each house and Panchayaths. During this Covid 19 pandemic, the volunteers of National Service Scheme units of MSM College,Kayamkulam had planted trees in their homes by following the

terms and rules including social distancing. The volunteers had successfully implemented the scheme by delivering and planting more than 600 seedlings in their villages.



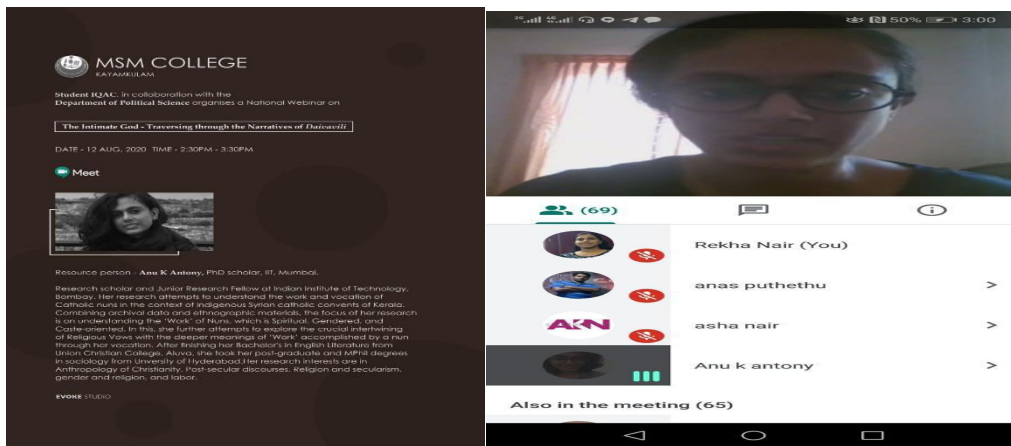
National Webinar Report

Topic “The Intimate God-Traversing through the narratives of Daivavili “- August 12, 2020 at 2.30 PM

Resource person: Anu K. Antony

The Department of Political Science had organized a webinar in collaboration with Student IQAC ,M.S.M College ,Kayamkulam for the students on the topic “ The Intimate God-Traversing through the narratives of Daivavili “ and the resource person was Anu K. Antony , Research Scholar ,IIT Mumbai. This talk mainly attempted to explore the crucial intertwining of religious vows with the deeper meaning of work accomplished by a nun through her vocation. Dr.Geethakumari, Principal, M.S.M College, inaugurated the webinar. Dr.MuhammedThaha, Vice Principal and Dr.NeethuSundaresan, NAAC-IQAC Coordinator participated in the webinar with their thoughtful words. The Conveners of the Webinar were Asha.KNair ,Assistant Professor of English and Anas N, Assistant Professor of Political Science and the Joint Conveners were Dr.Rekha Nair R, Assistant Professor and HOD of Political Science and Smt.Advaita R Prasad, Assistant Professor of Political Science .

Student convenors: Hasmath M.H (Semester V) and Ganga L.(Semester III) coordinated the students for the webinar.



International Webinar Report

Topic- “Interrogating Religious Heterogeneity and Pluralism: Some reflections from Kerala” –on 13th November 2020 at 7 PM

Resource person- Filippo Osella

As part of Al-Haj P.K Kunju Sahib Memorial Webinar Series 2020-2021 , the Department of Political Science had organized an International Webinar in collaboration with IQAC ,M.S.M College, Kayamkulam, on the topic “Interrogating Religious Heterogeneity and pluralism: Some reflections from Kerala “ and the Resource person was Filippo Osella (Professor of Anthropology and South Asian Studies, University of Sussex, UK).Drawing from his anthropological research among various communities in Kerala, Filippo Osella talked and discussed about how religiosity in settings characterized by religious heterogeneity is constituted and experienced through encounters and engagement with others –religious, ethnic or political –both locally and globally. The lecture explored how everyday religiosity in such context emerge through such encounters even as the religious actors try to ethnically fashion themselves in relation to various others. It points out to the larger methodological relevance of studying religiosity in heterogenous settings as against the flawed treatment of religious traditions as idealized whole or self-contained theologies.

Dr.Geethakumari ,Principal, M.S.M College, inaugurated the webinar. Dr.MuhammedThaha , Vice Principal and Dr.NeethuSundaresan, NAAC-IQAC Coordinator, participated in the webinar with their thoughtful words The webinar was chaired by Mr.Anas N, Assistant Professor of Political Science ,M.S.M College, Kayamkulam ,and the discussants were Dr Santhosh .R (Assistant Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences ,IIT ,Madras) and Dr Roopesh .O.B (Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT, Bombay). The Conveners of the International Webinar were Dr.Rekha Nair R, Assistant Professor and HOD of Political Science and Smt.Advaita R Prasad, Assistant Professor of Political Science. Student conveners: 1.Afeeha Muhammed Ali (SEMESTER III) 2. AswathyPrasannan (SEMESTERIII) 3.Siyad S (SEMESTERIII)

INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE IN COLLABORATION WITH THE
IGAC, MSM COLLEGE, KAYAMKULAM

TOPIC ▶ Interrogating Religious Heterogeneity and
Pluralism: Some Reflections from Kerala

DATE : 13 NOV

TIME : 7PM



Speaker



Filippo Osella
Professor of Anthropology And
South Asian Studies, University of
Sussex, UK

Discussants



Dr. Santhosh. R
Assistant Professor, Department of
Humanities and Social Sciences,
IIT Madras



Dr. Roopesh OB
Department of Humanities and
Social Sciences, IIT Bombay

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