



# ST JOSEPH'S UNIVERSITY

[erstwhile ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE(AUTONOMOUS)]

#36, Lalbagh road, Bengaluru - 560027, Recognized as 'College Of Excellence' by UGC  
RE-ACCREDITED WITH A++ GRADE & 3.79/4.00 CGPA BY NAAC

Awarded DBT Star Status and DST FIST Grant  
by Ministry of Science and Technology, GoI

Major highlights, best practices and Milestones :  
Data updated till June 2024

## GENERAL HIGHLIGHTS:

- As per State Government Notification, the following three Associate Professors of the University were promoted to the level of Professors: Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ronald Mascarenhas, Dept of Chemistry, Registrar Prof. Melwin Colaço, Dept of Chemistry and Prof. Jayaram Reddy, Dept of Botany.
- The University houses a digitally enabled world-class library which is radio-tagged and friendly for a physically challenged.
- Digital evaluation is done for all the end semester exams. This has reduced errors and has been smoothly implemented. Examination centre is completely computerized. Barcode system is there at all levels and results are declared by specific days of completion of the exam. Digital attendance with biometrics and scan at exams is implemented this semester for the PG students.
- Totally 362 research papers have been published from 2022.
- The university has produced 50 SCI indexed publications and 140 ISBN publications.
- A Total of 52 books and 101 book chapters have been published in the last two years.
- There are 29 patents obtained by the staff of the university.
- A total of 412 Teaching staff and 149 Non-teaching staff-149 are working in the university with an increase of more than 100 staff.
- 42 of our UG IFA students have cleared the ACCA exams (Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, UK).The department has achieved the maximum number of students securing in the list of top ten ranks for India.
- University has received a total of Rs. 16,20,130 from private, government and other benefactors for Students scholarship in AY 2022-23.The University has spent Rs. 1,99,25,574 in Students scholarship in AY 2022-23. 957 students have been benefitted under the scheme.
- An online class from Infosys Springboard, which is a Digital literacy program launched as part of the Infosys ESG Tech for Good charter. It aims to enable students and associated communities from early education to lifelong learners by imparting digital and life skills through curated content & interventions, free of cost for our students. All UG students have to take up this course.
- A new placement office and office for international student affairs is set up at the university.
- In-house publications -An In- House periodical “Josephite” is published by the university to cover all events of the campus and daily events are covered by the newsletter “The Beacon”. Many departments have in-house newsletters and up to 15 In-house publications such as Open Dosa, Perpendicular, Outreach , Helixer and Zest are brought out each year.
- Orientation programme for Parents –The innovative programme initiated to foster parents –ward –university relationship Orientation for the parents and guardians is conducted in the beginning of the academic year. The programme is compulsory and the attendance has been 95%.



- Vice-chancellor Dr Victor Lobo SJ attended the COP28 in Dubai. He attended the climate leadership and societal impact conference.
- Elixir 2023-24 , an open day event by all departments was organised by the University. Students from various schools were invited for the programme.
- Our links for the university productions :

⇒SJU's digital library and institutional repository, a scholarly archiving facility for the SJU community built with the BSD DSpace software developed by MIT Libraries and Hewlett-Packard Labs in collaboration. This service enables institute members to archive their scholarly publications, patents, conference/workshop-related sources, important rare digital books, department data and other important institutional archival documents. We expect this service to assist St. Joseph's college staff, faculty, researchers, and students in self-archiving and long-term preservation of their scholarly publications, provide easy access to these publications worldwide, and improve the impact of their research, in keeping with the goals of the Open Access movement. This is available for anyone all around the world to access .

⇒Link for our repository : [DSpace at St. Joseph's College: Home](#)

⇒SJU Radio LINK : [St Joseph's University, Bengaluru](#) : [www.sju.edu.in/sjuradioicms](http://www.sju.edu.in/sjuradioicms)

⇒Daily newsletter BEACON LINK : [St Joseph's University, Bengaluru](#) ; [www.sju.edu.in/sjubeacon](http://www.sju.edu.in/sjubeacon) ;

[DSpace at St. Joseph's College: Newspaper](#)

⇒Photo Beacon: [DSpace at St. Joseph's College: Photo Beacon](#)

⇒College magazine: 2022-23: [BLUE & WHITE MAGAZINE 2022-23.pdf](#)

⇒College magazine: 2023-24: [Blue and White 2023-24.pdf](#)

⇒Newspaper coverage on SJU : ⇒[DSpace at St. Joseph's College: University in News](#)

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#### INFRASTRUCTURE:

- The 4 floor of the science block was expanded to house new laboratories, staff rooms, research laboratories, cabinets for PhD students and counseling rooms.
- A Sky walk connecting the Undergraduate and postgraduate block across the Langford road is fully operational. The initiative was completed with the support from BBMP, MLA and Alumni.
- Many staff rooms have been renovated. New staff rooms have been constructed to seat the third shift teaching faculty and other departments which had an increase in the faculty number
- New offices have been created for Placement, IQAC, PRO, Deans, International affairs, Admission, CHRO and Pro-VC.



- The examination section was redesigned and expanded. A new COE, Deputy COE, Office staff collection, storage chambers were constructed.
- A new state of art laboratory in collaboration with the company Eurofins was constructed at the University the equipment in the Eurofins lab are high end research based equipment.
- Central instrumentation facility has been developed for supporting Phd level research. This facility has many instruments.
- The existing studios were renovated and upgraded.

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#### **FINANCIAL**

- From the year 2019-2022 the University has received Rs. 1,47,76,362 under UGC,CSIR, VGST and DST grants.A total of Rs. 32,99,736 have been awarded for 24 seed money projects.
- For the year 2022-2023 the university has spent Rs. 9,73,78,950 for salaries, PF, staff insurance and staff welfare expenses.The University has spent Rs. 83,92,017 under academic expenses in the year 2022-2023.The University has spent Rs. 73,16,093 for students activities in the year 2022-2023.
- To upgrade the Library facility with books, journals, subscription and software Rs. 33,67,482 was spent in the year 2022-2023.
- To upgrade and develop lab facilities the University has spent Rs. 1,38,40,736 in the year 2022-2023.

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#### **RANKING:**

- NIRF: In the NIRF Ranking for the year 2023 we were placed at the Band Rank 100-150. This ranking was in the name of the St. Joseph's college, Autonomous.
- INDIA TODAY RANKING: In the India today ranking at the BCA category our college secured 2nd in India and 2nd in the city. In the BA Arts section secured 18th Rank in India and 2nd in the city. In the BSc Science category our college secured 12th Rank in India and 1st in the city. In the BCom category our college secured 42nd Rank in India and 6th in the city. We are placed as the top 5 emerging colleges for BCom in the country. In the Mass Communication Category our college secured 14th Rank in India and 3rd in the city In the Social Work Category our college secured 18th Rank in India and 3rd in the city
- THE WEEK RANKING: In "THE WEEK MAGAZINE RANKING" for the year 2023, for the Science category we secured 17th Rank in India. In the Arts category we secured 18th Rank in India. In the Commerce category we secured 28th Rank in India. In the Mass Communication category we stood at 17th Rank in India. From the year 2024 all the rankings will be graded as St. Joseph's University.



## RESEARCH CENTER: SJRIC

- There are 33 recognised guides at the university.
- The following Research projects are awarded in the last year.
  - ❖ Dr Rita Pal (Asst Professor, Dept of Chemistry) secured the Vision Group of Science and Technology (VGST) grant of Rs 20 lakhs for her project entitled “Development of carbohydrate-based Chiral Brønsted acid catalyst and its application in asymmetric organic synthesis.”
  - ❖ DST proposal scheme: SERB SURE – Dr. Debashis Ghosh received 28,41,594 rupees.
  - ❖ A team of staff members from the department of social work, psychology and economics have been awarded a project grant of Rs. 18 lakhs for the topic : A Study on the Mental Health and Quality of Life of Intimate Partner Violence in Metropolitan Cities.

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## VISITS BY VARIOUS DELEGATES:

- St Joseph’s University was officially inaugurated on September 27, 2022, by Smt Droupadi Murmu, the Honorable President of India
- The University and the Royal Society of Chemistry, UK, proudly celebrated National Science Day (India) and International Day of Women and Girls in Science with Dr N Kalaiselvi, the first woman to become Director-General of CSIR in its 80+-year-old history. The Hon’ble Governor of Karnataka Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot felicitated Dr Kalaiselvi. An astounding speech on building an inclusive academic ecosystem was delivered by the DG-CSIR, followed by an interactive Q&A session with students to inspire them to pursue science as a career.
- The team of Jesuits from St Joseph’s College, Tiruchirapalli, visited the campus to carry out a study on the feasibility of starting a University.
- The 5<sup>th</sup> Rev Dr Ambrose Pinto SJ Memorial Lecture was addressed by Dr Sukhadeo Thorat, Professor Emeritus, JNU, Chairman, SEP, Govt of Karnataka, Former Chairman, UGC, and Former Chairman, ICSSR. The topic was “Higher Education in India: The Problems and Prospects” The lecture was also live-streamed.
- Open Heart 2024 featured the Honorable former President of India Shri Ram Nath Kovind, the 14<sup>th</sup> President, as the distinguished chief speaker. Addressing the vibrant young minds of the University, he urged them to focus on excellence along with ethical values and stated that a sense of service would shape them into the leaders of tomorrow.
- Mr. Farooq Abdullah, Indian politician and government official of the [Jammu and Kashmir National Conference](#) visited our campus twice in 2023
- Mahendra Nayak, Former Scientist, UR Rao Satellite centre (URSC), ISRO, Bengaluru visited our University to conduct a workshop on Introduction to embedded systems.
- Dr M Srikanth, Mission Operations Director, Chandrayaan-3, U R Rao Satellite Center, Indian Space Research Organisation, Bengaluru visited the University at 10:30 am.
- Shri Ramalinga Reddy the Honourable Minister for Transport and Muzrai visited the campus to inaugurate Elixir The open day event of our university.



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#### INTERNATIONAL VISITORS:

- 24 students from New Zealand, who were awarded the New Zealand Prime Ministers Scholarship, visited the University and interacted with the Vice-Chancellor, PR interns, and volunteers from the International Office. A friendly cricket match was also played between the SJU Cricket Team and the New Zealand Student Team.
- The President of the Central Tibetan Administration Hon'ble Sikyong Penpa Tsering visited the University as the Chief Guest for Corporate Genesis 7.0 held by the Public Relations Office and the Entrepreneurial Cell. Other reputed CEOs, Founders and a Padma Shri awardee also attended the event.
- Dr. Bu Abdullah an Emirati Businessman of par excellence visited our University on 26th August Saturday, he currently owns 270 companies in the Middle East, Asia and other parts of the world. The MOU discussions are ongoing with the company.
- Students from University of North Caroline, Wilmington, USA visited St. Joseph's University.

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#### NCC achievements this term:

- ❖ Lieutenant Akshay D R Mandalik rose to the rank of Captain in the SD/SW wing.
- ❖ Three of our cadets of 1 KAR AIR SQN NCC, CWO Prajwal Tenginkai (II BBA, III Shift), CWO Manya Kenchain DJ (II BSc CHBT) and CDT/SGT Joel J Mammen (II BCom), were part of the PM Rally in the Republic Day Camp 2024. CWO Prajwal Tenginkai was conferred with the All-India Best Cadet gold medal by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on Republic Day 2024 while CWO Manya Kenchain DJ won the All-India silver medal in the Best Cadet Competition. This is the second consecutive year that our cadet won the gold.

**NSS:** We have a total of 5 functioning units of NSS. The NSS Unit-1 Annual Rural Camp 2023-24 was held at Aalahalli, Thyavanahalli, Kolar Taluk, Kolar District. The 4<sup>th</sup> Edition of Prayaag'24, the NSS inter-university and intercollegiate fest was held with the theme "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam – Colours of Harmony". All the units of the National Service Scheme, National Cadet Corps and Youth Red Cross in collaboration with "The Check Up with Referral Labs", organised a "Complimentary Health Camp" on campus for all the staff and their dependents.

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#### OUTREACH:

- We received an appreciation certificate from Karnataka Forest Department for organizing a public awareness programme on the theme: Save water and save forest on Occasion of World Forestry Day 21 March 2023.



- We have also received a certificate of Appreciation from ITC limited paperboards & specialty division for recycling paper in the year 2023.
- Bembala Outreach Centre held meaningful Republic Day celebrations in Siddapura Slum and Urdu Govt. School, Shantinagar, Siddhapura Slum and Govt High School, Yentaganahalli, Nelamanagala.

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#### ALUMNI:

- St Joseph's Alumni Association celebrated 100 years of its formation on February 5, 2023 - Chief Guest Mr Bijou Kurien, Chairman, Retailers Association of India.
- A new alumni team is constituted for the university. The general meetings are conducted every month.

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#### Events organised under the TEACHING-LEARNING concept:

- Currently all staff of the Schools are trained in a one-day workshop on Teaching, Learning and Evaluation.
- An international-level webinar on Mastering Data Science: Essential Tools, Techniques and Skills-2024 was organised by the Dept of Statistics and the resource person was Mr Sarankumar, Senior Data Scientist, Chubb, Pennsylvania, USA.
- To engage with students who are pursuing education in the science stream, an inspiring virtual session was conducted by the School of Life Sciences on "Women in Science Leadership: Inspiring the Next Generation & Breaking Biases" with a talk by Kammy Fehrenbacher who shared her remarkable journey in the field of science and leadership.
- The School of Communication and Media Studies in association with the PR Consultants' Association of India (PRCAI) organised an academic conclave, a one-of-a-kind event with interesting sessions in the form of industry-insider panel discussions and one-on-one interactions with prominent PR professionals, bringing the world of Public Relations to aspiring students, aimed at helping them shape their minds for the best opportunities in store for them.
- Meta, the Josephite Festival of Literature, celebrated its 12<sup>th</sup> year and featured interactions with the writers Anjum Hasan, Vivek Shanbagh, Roopa Pai, Kirtana Kumar, Paromita Vohra, Abhishek Anicca, Amulya Shruti, Tejaswini Niranjana, Jayant Kaikini, and Sukirtharani. Other attractions included the SJU Essay Prize, the Fr Hedwig Da Costa Shakespeare Elocution Prize, the Nicholas Parsons Trophy for JAM and Bookends-the Book Quiz.
- Upstage, the annual theatre festival of SJU was conducted by the Performing Arts Society of the University.
- The Student Council organised a Tutor Appreciation Ceremony as part of a P2P Learning Programme.
- Semantics, the annual language festival was held by the Dept of English and the Linguistics Society to celebrate language and linguistics.



- The Dept of Management organised a Professional Interface Forum on Production and Operations Management for Business Administration students with the guest speaker Mr Ankeet Dadu, Head Strategy-Anand Sweets and Savouries.
- The University held its first “Spotlight” programme, which is a series of events that provide students an opportunity to network with and learn from the career experiences of leaders from diverse backgrounds. Dr Bhaskar J, Deputy Drugs Controller, Govt of Karnataka, was the distinguished speaker.

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#### CULTURALS AT INTERUNIVERSITY LEVEL:

- Visages, the two-day annual inter-university and intercollegiate cultural fest was hosted by the Student Council and centered around the theme “Pop Culture”.
- TEDxSJU was an event conducted by University on 20th March 2024

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#### SPORTS EVENTS ORGANISED :

- The 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Athletic Meet was organised and graced by Ms Sucheta Deb Burman, an alumna, an elite ultramarathon swimmer.
- Sportstakes 2024, the one-week inter-university/intercollegiate sports tournament witnessed participation in great numbers from sports enthusiasts across 30 educational institutions in Bengaluru.
- Intra class events are ongoing every semester.

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#### PLACEMENT:

- The placement data for the year 2022-2023

Number of final year students placed students placed : UG - 551 out of 1584.

Number of final year students placed students placed : PG - 351 out of 580.

Other students have opted for higher education.

- The Centre for Skill Development and Placement began the process of placements with companies like EY, Finastra, Aditya Birla, Firstsource, Delta, Deloitte, Axa, Ather, NatWest, Mu Sigma and Arvind Fashions. Campus Drives were conducted by all these companies for students from different streams. The sessions included interview rounds with pre-placement presentations, online screening, and shortlisted students invited for online/ offline interviews.
- Ionage Technologies Pvt Ltd Sales conducted a campus drive for immediate Joiners with a stipend of INR 15,000 per month and an internship Duration of 4 months. The following positions were targeted- Customer Success, Marketing and Sustainability, open to students from any department who were passionate about building a career in Sales.

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#### THE UNIVERSITIES APPROACH TO ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY:





- Fully functional sewage treatment plant is set up at the university.
- Biogas plant supplying the source energy to hostel kitchen
- 425 KWH of power is generated by solar energy alone during peak hours and the university is contributing in fighting global warming by reducing emission of 7600 kg co2 every month and annually 91,000kg
- Fully functional green-house to maintain plants
- The campus has a completed rain water harvesting system.
- Playground with bermuda tiff grass (for water retention) and underwater drainage system with connections to rain water harvesting unit.
- Vermicomposting pit generates manure and earthworms are reared in it.
- Plastic-free campus: an initiative to outlaw the use of plastic products on campus is taken up by the administration.
- Every year world earth day climate change rally by the ministry of youth and sports affairs, government of karnataka.
- Lake cleaning drive and plant distribution is conducted every year.
- Online plantation drive: the outreach team planned an online plantation drive for the kids in honor of republic day. more than 200 kids took part in the online planting campaign, where they were required to create a video with a message and plant a sapling on their property.
- Pot painting was conducted on September 8, 2022 at the green house, PG campus, St Joseph's University.
- OUTREACH: Bembala is the outreach division of SJU - students are taught the importance of community service and how we can help those who are less privileged. Some of the major projects taken by Bembala during the year 2022-23 include vigilance awareness week; children's day celebrations; rural exposure camps to Sindagi and Manvi; paper bag making and distribution to local shops; traffic awareness drive, and many more. Bembala has received awards for the following - anti-drug campaign from the excise department, government of karnataka, and world earth day climate change rally by the ministry of youth and sports affairs, Government of Karnataka.
- BEST OUT OF WASTE: Best out of waste was held on november 10, 2022, from 1 pm to 3 pm under the leadership of amrutha m. It is a craft which follows environmental-friendly principles and creates useful objects out of waste products. participants were given an hour to create anything that was the best out of waste, after which the final objects were displayed. participants used their imagination and creativity to make innovative objects using bangles, plastic bottles, cds, and so on. Things which are seen as waste in our day-to-day lives were used in a constructive manner and a variety of items were made from them.
- CLEANLINESS DRIVE: The cleanliness drive was conducted on november 11, 2022, to create an opportunity for volunteers to assist in the daily running of the college premises. About 30 volunteers from all units took part in the event, who were then divided into groups. Volunteers cleared the store room, college basement, where groups were assigned to arrange files in the admin office and arrange tables, chairs, and other office furniture. They also assisted in the segregation of useful items and scrap materials. Volunteers were



provided refreshments and lunch. They were able to spend a day in the shoes of the hardworking non-teaching staff and understand their duties.

- **CLEANLINESS DRIVE:** On february 01, 2023, nss unit-2 held a cleanliness drive to create awareness on cleanliness. Volunteers were given manual items and taken out of the campus. They were split into two major groups and taken to a nearby post office and a park respectively. The post office was cleaned, swept, and wiped; racks were cleaned and messed up things were arranged in their places. volunteers even built a wall using the stones which were looking bad. Another group was taken to a park and made to clean in and out of the park. They also picked up dry leaves, plastic (bag, paper, bottle) to maintain the appearance and hygiene of the park, protect the environment and wildlife that live there, and provide an attractive environment for visitors. **DISASTER MANAGEMENT:** On february 20, 2023, nss unit-2 organised a disaster management campaign in collaboration with unit-1. The event aimed to promote safety and health in the community by preparing for, responding to, and recovering from natural or man-made disasters. **TALK:** On May 8, 2022, talks regarding the importance of water conservation and sustainable water management were delivered by experts in the field of water management, environmental science, and sustainability. The event provided a platform for experts, students, and the learned water entries general public to exchange ideas and experiences on water management. It also highlighted the role of individuals and communities in ensuring water security and promoted the need for a comprehensive approach to water management.
- **NEERATHON:** On May 8, 2022, a one-day event, neerathon 2022, was held at st joseph's university to raise awareness about water conservation and promote sustainable water management practices. The event was organised by the university's wildlife awareness and conservation club and the public relations office. It was open to students, faculty, and the general public.
- A guest lecture was organised in collaboration with destination heritage on the theme 'environmental sustainability through the lens of ancient wisdom' on march 23, 2023.
- **SWEFT (SOCIAL WORK ECO FRIENDLY TEAM):** An initiative of the students of social work, had its inauguration on september 28, 2022. The guests highlighted the need for an environmentally friendly lifestyle and highlighted certain statistical evidence that puts across the need for conserving the environment. The students had an interaction at the end of the session in understanding the challenges with regard to carbon footprints and how it can be reduced.
- **SWEFT:** The social work eco friendly team, has embarked on a transformative journey to cultivate a greener college campus. Through a multifaceted approach, they've championed sustainability by orchestrating an array of initiatives aimed at fostering environmental consciousness among students and faculty alike. Their efforts began with an extensive awareness program meticulously designed to educate the campus community on the importance of eco-friendly practices and their profound impact on the environment. leveraging their platform, SWEFT also curated a series of engaging sessions featuring keynote speakers renowned for their expertise in promoting sustainable living and eco-friendly products. these speakers shared



invaluable insights, inspiring individuals to adopt more eco-conscious behaviors and advocating for the adoption of greener alternatives within the campus ecosystem. Through their dedication and innovative strategies, SWEFT has not only sparked a paradigm shift in attitudes towards sustainability but has also catalyzed tangible action towards building a more environmentally responsible college campus for future generations.

- The Natural Science Association held two national webinars, one on Golden Jackals of Mumbai Mangrove and Spiders of Mumbai Mangrove.
- Conserving wetlands is essential as they are among the most productive environments. Therefore, to create awareness of the vital role wetlands play for people and the planet, an online quiz contest was held in honour of World Wetlands Day.
- An informative and interactive Snake Awareness programme was conducted by the Dept of Zoology. The seminar was led by Mr Shuayb Ahmed, a famous snake rescuer.

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#### **MAJOR EVENTS ORGANISED:**

- Staff training: Currently all staff of the Schools are trained in a one-day workshop on Teaching, Learning and Evaluation.
- Over 1000 students and citizens of Bengaluru participated in the 7<sup>th</sup> edition of Neerathon. The annual run was flagged off by Mr Satish, Vice-President, TCS; Dr Uday Kumar, Director and Additional Secretary, Dept of Revenue, GOK; Fr Victor Lobo and Fr Denzil Lobo. The highlight of this year's event was the 1.5 km para run.
- MediaCon 2024, a two-day International Conference was held by the School of Communication and Media Studies. Renowned figures from the media sector graced the event, offering valuable perspectives on the ever-evolving communication landscape.
- An international webinar on Meteorites and the Early Solar System was organised by the Physics Students Association. Students got to listen to Lunar and Planetary Scientist Dr Prajkta Mane, a cosmochemist and isotope geochemist from USRA, Houston Texas, analysing samples from rock samples.
- The Council of Molecular and Computational Biology, Dept of Botany in association with the Women's Cell and Radio Mirchi organised a Cervical Cancer Awareness programme during which they honored Dr Betty Daniel for her outstanding contribution towards cancer research.
- Institute of Management Accountants (IMA) SJU Student Chapter of the Bangalore Chapter was inaugurated by Mr Fenil the Head of IMA India and Dr Madhavi the President of the IMA Bangalore Chapter. The newly elected office bearers of the IMA SJU Student Chapter were introduced. The chapter aims to provide our students, especially aspiring accounting professionals with valuable insights into professional studies and foster their growth in this field.
- The Josephite Media Forum (JMF) in association with the School of Communication and Media Studies hosted a talk on Skills and Strategies to Kickstart a Journalistic Career in



the AI and Data-Driven World which was delivered by Vignesh Radhakrishnan, Principal Correspondent (Data), The Hindu, Chennai Bureau.

- The Inter-Religious Harmony Club of St Joseph's University conducted a seminar on "Human Fraternity Document" in association with the ASHIRVAD Centre for inter-religious dialogue and Islamic Studies Association, Delhi. The topics discussed were Interreligious Dialogue-Need of the Hour, Pope Francis' Approach Towards People of Other Faiths and Introduction to Human Fraternity Document followed by Human Fraternity Forum-Panel Presentation.
- The Northeast and Tibetan Students Forum organised a food fest showcasing the diverse cuisines of various cultures and states of the Northeast and Tibet, including Assam, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Tripura, Manipur, Mizoram, Arunachal Pradesh, Sikkim, Ladakh and Tibet.
- Antrang, a cultural event which included quizzes, debate, fashion show, singing, dance and many more was held by the Dept of Languages to promote Indian tradition and culture.
- The department of Psychology and counseling organized a Karnataka State stakeholder Roundtable, with St. Joseph's University hosted the event. This roundtable is part of a larger initiative spanning across 13 states. The theme of the event, "Gender Responsive services for women, girls, and marginalized communities."
- We collaborated with the department of health and family services - Govt. of Karnataka to conduct a policy roundtable on the "Future of Infectious Disease Control & prevention" at St. Joseph's University. Dr Pushpalatha B S, Director-HFW, delivered the opening remarks, setting the tone for the discussion. The roundtable was co-chaired by Professor Sweta Raghavan, Advisor to DHFWS and Professor of Practice at SJU and Dr Uma M, Nodal Officer for AMR.

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#### MASTER PLANS FOR THE FUTURE:

- Develop the next big campus in Mount St Joseph.
- Construct active plans to collaborate with alumni for funds. An action plan and construct has already been initiated.
- Training the top line leadership
- Marketing during admissions to be enhanced even better.
- Apply for the Research funding availability by UGC, DST, DBT, VGST and other agencies.
- Innovate to become an Integrated PhD programme offering institution.
- Initiate plans to publish research papers at UG and PG level.
- Build MOU with National and International Universities as well as companies.
- Strategies plans to Improve Networking with outside labs, organizations and universities.
- To enhance Staff training in mentoring and monitoring.
- Identify the selling point of every course that is offered in the University.
- Offer training programmes regularly for students at the department level in skill and aptitude development.



- Build Internship and study opportunities for the students within the city for courses that require mandatory completions in industries.
- Investigate and improve consulting opportunities for the staff.
- Strengthen Credit transfer programmes with International Universities
- Improve International exchange programmes, exposure visits and industry visits
- Planning in bringing about transformation in the city through already existing BEMBAL outreach program
- To increase Remedial classes and utilize MOOC and SWAYAM Courses for open elective.
- Engage in building a stronger referral system to supplement/replace placements.
- To assert a Magis-driven idea of learning against the tide of conformist and market-driven education.

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